

New Hampshire Folklife A Workshop for Teachers

Introducing the New Hampshire Folklife website, a resource for teaching and learning about traditional arts and folklife.

When: Friday, September 25, 2009, 8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

Where: Colebrook Elementary School, Colebrook, N.H.

Cost: \$15 (includes lunch)

Please register by Thursday, September 17, 2009

Come join us for a day of exploring, discussing and hands-on activities all centered on the New Hampshire Folklife website: www.nh.gov/folklife

This online, easily accessible and engaging resource is designed for teachers and students to learn about and explore our state's living heritage.

In this workshop teachers will be introduced to the website and delve into the **Learning Center's Heritage Arts Build-A-Picture Activities**. These interactive picture puzzles take advantage of innovative technology and are directed to students grades 3 and up. The workshop will explore ways to integrate these activities into a multi-disciplinary curriculum and units on New Hampshire history.



Fly Tying by Eileen Belanger



New Hampshire farm by Beth Krommes



Special features of this workshop include:

- * a participatory session on **"Sketching & Heritage Arts"** led by Colebrook art teacher Michele Johnsen, introducing teachers to basic sketching techniques and ways that sketching can enhance student learning across the curriculum.
- * an interview with a local traditional craftsperson, demonstrating interview techniques that can be taught to students at all grade levels.

This workshop is presented by the Traditional Arts Program of the N.H. State Council on the Arts in conjunction with the Arts Alliance of Northern New Hampshire, whose missions include the preservation of our living heritage and cultural life.

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To register, fill out the registration form available at: www.aannh.org
For more information, call (603) 323-7302 or email info@aannh.org

