

RCTV LINKS

Randolph Community Television

"Your Link to the Community"

October-November 1999 Edition

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It's been a busy summer here at RCTV! This newsletter will help inform you of our progress and also let you know about upcoming events for the fall. RCTV is no longer affiliated with MediaOne and has become its own entity. We are now located inside the Randolph High School and are constructing a new television studio. Our progress has been a little slower than expected, but when it's completed, we know that all of the volunteers and producers will be very pleased. We are excited to see some new equipment arriving as we plan the new studio's layout and capabilities. We want everything to be as good as it can be, so we ask for your patience during this rebuilding period. Although we are not officially open for in-studio productions, we are covering a wide variety of programming on location. Some items you will see in the near future include a **new robotic camera set up** for the Selectmen meetings, a new **S-VHS linear editing system**, and by February 2000 a new **production van**. This is a very exciting time to be a part of RCTV. These items and many more will lend to our success as we head into the next century. Thanks and we'll see you around the town!

Concerts on the Gazebo- The Summer of 1999 saw another successful run of the Concerts on the Gazebo series. Lesly Freed and the Randolph Community Arts Council brought a wide assortment of musical styles to Randolph. From Pop to Big Band to Country, these Summer concerts covered quite a spectrum and RCTV was there. This year we incorporated our new **wireless video camera system** for some great coverage. This system allowed for much greater freedom of movement both on the stage and within the crowd. We also had countless replays of each concert, much to the satisfaction of RCTV viewers. Of course, we couldn't of done it without the help of our volunteers! Many thanks for "a job well done" go to: Jim Cassidy, Beth DiFranza, Aaron Fellman, Chris Hannigan, Gerry Hershoff, Dave LaCivita, Bob Stone, and Kiran Verma. We'll see you all next year at the Williams Gazebo!

Arts in the Park '99- On August 29, the Town of Randolph celebrated the 21st Annual Arts in the Park celebration. Sponsored by the Randolph Community Arts Council, this event brought to Randolph music and entertainment of many varieties. Besides the countless crafts & vendors, there was face painting, music, magic, dance, and even a martial arts demonstration. RCTV loaded up the van and presented a live broadcast for almost 4 hours! RCTV host, Douglas Krabbenhoft, took our viewers through the sights and sounds of the event as he interviewed craftspeople and encouraged everyone to come join the fun. Special thanks to Doug and the rest of our volunteers; Jim Cassidy, David LaCivita, Linsonjude Naval, Bob Stone and Kiran Verma for making this event and our coverage fun and successful. We hope we'll see all of you at Arts in the Park in 2000!

Upcoming Events- Ahh...Fall. When people's fancy turns to what else? FOOTBALL!!! Randolph Community Television will continue its tradition of covering the Randolph Blue Devils Varsity Football home games. This year we can definitely use volunteers. For those of you that don't know, these home games are some of our most exciting shoots! The action is constant and the Blue Devils always give an exciting show.

Randolph Blue Devils Varsity Football games:

- **September 24 at 7:00pm vs. Plymouth North**
- **October 8 at 7:00pm vs. Scituate**
- **October 15 at 7:00pm vs. Hingham**
- **November 5 at 6:00pm vs. Canton**
- **November 25 at 10:00am vs. Rockland (Thanksgiving)**

All games are played at the RHS Football Field. If you are interested in volunteering for any of these games, give Stu or Anders a call. We usually begin setting up between 3 and 4pm and ask volunteers to be show between 4:00pm and 6:15pm. Thanksgiving Day game crew call is at 8:00am.

Other Autumn events that we can always use volunteer help with include;

School Committee Meetings:

- **Thursday, October 7 and 21**
- **Thursday, November 9 and 18**
- **Thursday, December 2 & 16**

School Committee Meetings take place in the High School TV Studio. The crew call is at 6:30pm and the meetings begin at 7:00pm live on Channel 22.

Special Town Meeting:

- **Monday, November 1**
- **Tuesday, November 2**

Special Town Meetings take place in the Randolph High School Auditorium. The crew call is at 6:00pm and the meetings begin at 7:00pm live on Channel 10. Call Stu or Anders and let them know if you are interested in volunteering for any of these events.

The volunteers are the ones who will keep RCTV going strong into the year 2000 and beyond! Thanks to all of you!

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