

Ruth V. Fisher Lecture Series 1999

- **June 16: TOURMALINES, GOLD, URANIUM, AND ZINC by John Marshall**
Geologist John Marshall will talk on the tourmaline discovery at Newry, Maine, and other interesting minerals in our area. He will have slides and samples.
- **June 30: CAVE ART by Fran Herbert**
Fran Herbert is a paleoarcheologist who will talk about life and art in ice age Europe. Their art is all about animals, and she will show slides of the famous cave paintings and sculptures. Some of the paintings could have been made yesterday of animals we know today.
- **July 14: LANDSCAPING TO ATTRACT BIRDS by Palmer Koelb**
Palmer Koelb, owner of Baker Valley Nurseries, and a landscape gardener for 30 years will talk about the plants and designing the plantings.
- **July 28: PLANETS IN AND OUT OF THE SOLAR SYSTEM by Leslie Young**
Dr. Leslie Young will show slides of new discoveries in the solar system, and also discuss the recent controversy over whether Pluto is really a planet.
- **August 11: WILD MUSHROOMS by Faith Hunt,**
Faith Hunt, President of the Mycology Club of Hanover will lead a walk, looking for edible mushrooms. If we find enough, we will fry them up and share a taste. She will also show slides of common mushrooms to seek and avoid.
- **August 25: WHEN WILD ANIMALS MAKE THEMSELVES AT HOME with Paul DeBow**
Mr. DeBow removes problem wild animals from inappropriate places. He will talk about how to avoid problems to begin with, and show slides of animals in conflict with human settlement.

Programs begin at 7:00 o'clock in the evening at the Quincy Bog Nature Center located on Quincy Bog Road, off Quincy Road, in Rumney, New Hampshire. See sidebar for a link to a yahoo interactive map to help guide you to the Nature Center. These programs, sponsored by the Ruth V. Fisher Fund, are free and open to the public. Light refreshments are served after each talk. For further information or directions, phone Jody Williams at 603 786-9053.