

Vermont Chapter Report 2014

Another relatively quiet Year Here in the Green Mountain State. A Five Hundred Dollar Grant was received from the FFLA for Restoration of the Mt. Olga Fire Tower in Southern Vermont, hopefully to be completed this coming year.

Bald Mountain in Westmore (Northeast Kingdom) was added to the NHLR this year and numerous other towers in Vermont are scheduled to be added to the register in 2015.

In June, Mark Haughwout, Kevin Williamson, and I attended a fascinating talk given by Myra Daley Ellingwood at the Lemington Town Hall on the Monadnock Mountain Fire Tower. Myra had done extensive research on the structure and presented an informative dissertation, which included numerous photographs and memories from former Lookouts and others who had spent time on the mountain. A "standing room only" crowd was in attendance.

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