

FRIDAY MARCH 21, 2025

8:00 – 9:00

REGISTRATION / SET UP

9:00 – 9:10

Welcoming remarks

Tim Green

9:10 – 9:25

An Analysis of the Discovery of an Unknown Population of Desmognathine Salamanders Following the Collapse of the Mill Pond Dam

Gabe Finger

9:25 – 9:40

Conservation Update: River Otter Roadkill Mitigation

Terrence Benefield, Conservation Technician,
Seatuck Environmental Association

9:40 – 10:10

Understanding Changes in Groundwater and Surface Water Expression on Long Island

Christopher Schubert, Hydrologist, USGS New York Water Science Center

10:10 – 10:40

Wildfire Effects on Populations of Tick Species in the Pine Barrens

Sam Gilvarg, Department of Sustainable Resources Management,
SUNY College of Environmental Science and Forestry

10:40 – 11:10

BREAK / POSTER SESSION

11:10 – 11:40

The Beautiful and the Dammed

George Jackman, PhD, Aquatic Ecologist, Seatuck Environmental Association

11:40 – 12:00

Conservation Update: Fish Passage Campaign

Enrico Nardone, Director, Seatuck Environmental Association

12:00 – 12:30

Roy Latham's Unpublished Journals (1902-1978)

John Holzapfel, Oysterponds Historical Society

12:30 – 1:45

LUNCH

1:45 – 2:15

Updates from the New York Mammal Survey

Georgianna Silveira, Project Coordinator, New York Mammal Survey, SUNY College of Environmental Science and Forestry

2:15 – 2:45

Integrated Plant and Wildlife Management at a 400-acre Long Island Urban Oasis

Stephane Perreault, Naturalist, Greentree Foundation

2:45 – 3:15

Conservation and extirpation: Reviewing the status of leopard frogs, other herpetofauna, and extirpations across a range of taxa

Jeremy Feinberg, Smithsonian Museum of Natural History

3:15 – 3:45

Results of the Long Island Mammal Survey: 2023-2024

Mike Bottini, Wildlife Biologist, Seatuck Environmental Association

3:45 – 4:00

OPEN DISCUSSION / CLOSING REMARKS

