



**Monday, September 17, 2018 at 7:00**

## **"Thornton's WWII Conscientious Objector Camp"**

**Presented by: Lita Nelsen**

Who were they? What did they do? How did they change Campton and the surrounding area? Come to this presentation to hear a very interesting story that not many people know about.

Lita Nelsen retired in 2016 as director of Technology Licensing Office of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, where she had worked for 30 years. Prior to that, she worked as a chemical engineer in bio-engineering.

She currently does some consulting work and volunteers for several non-profits, including the New England Wildflower Society, where she is a member of the board of trustees.. She has been a member of the Appalachian Mountain Club, and over 50 years ago became a 4000-footer club

member. She has been a mushroom hunter and cook for many decades without a single case of upset stomach or worse on the part of herself or her friends.

Lita lives year round in Winchester, Massachusetts and she and her husband Don spend many summer and fall weekends in their mostly-unrenovated 1790 house in Wentworth, NH.



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- Sept. 22** - Cemetery Walk
- Oct 6** - Concert and Dinner
- Dec 2** - Community Holiday Concert & Cookie Swap



The presentation will be at the Old Town Hall in Campton, which is handicap accessible, and open to the public. Refreshments will be served. For information about the Society, check our web site at [www.camptonhistorical.org](http://www.camptonhistorical.org)