



WELCOME! New Board members Fran Ferrari, Cathy Folio and Sally Duffy (pictured) and Tom Salmon (missing from the picture).

Four new members were elected to the Board of the BWA at the annual meeting of the members held at the Chateau Resort on October 2. Joining the Board are:

Sally Duffy, has a BA in Environmental Studies from East Stroudsburg University, where she currently works in the financial aid department. She lives in Barrett township and serves on the Open Space and Eac Committee, and previously served on the Upper Brodhead/Paradise Creeks Greenway Committee and the Regional Open Space Committee. She is a hiker and conservationist at heart.

Frances L Ferrari, has lived in the Poconos since 1987. She is a self-employed CPA, in Tannersville, specializing in individual taxes and estate and trust tax and administration. Fran has been a member of BWA for 2 years and a Streamwatcher for one year. In addition, she volunteers with Habitat for Humanity, Family Promise, VNA/Hospice of Monroe County, League of Women Voters of Monroe County and my church.

Cathy Folio Ed.D., has BS and MS degrees in Mathematics from Monmouth University in NJ, an Ed.D. in Higher Education Management from Rutgers U., and an MAS in Natural Resource Policy, Planning and Management from the U. of Denver. She taught at Brookdale Community College in Lincroft, NJ for 34 years, where she was Chair of Logic Systems (math and computer science), then Chair of Computer Science, and finally Chair of the Environmental Science Department. Cathy retired and moved to the Poconos in 2013 in order to grow organic blackberries. She joined BWA as a Streamwatcher and is now Team Leader for the McMichael Watershed. She volunteered for this year's River Ramble and Silent

Auction for the Annual Dinner. Cathy also conducts student activities part-time for the Kettle Creek Environmental Education Center and school bog walks at the Tannersville Cranberry Bog and is active with the Nature Conservancy in Long Pond, Friends of the West End Regional Park, Friends of HJP Regional Park and enjoys hiking, canoeing, biking, and exploring the Poconos.

Tom Salmon, has lived in the Poconos for 90% of his life and has family ties that date back to the 1930s. He was a charter member and Streamwatcher for the first seven years of the BWA's existence, then took a hiatus when his third child was born. Now homeschooling his fourth child, Teri, they are getting involved again as Streamwatchers. He lives in Henryville with his wife, their two youngest children and a bunch of animals. He has a bad habit of bringing home chickens from his job at Quiet Valley Living Historical Farm.