

Trekking in the Gaspé With Kish and Leyman



-- Free --
Public Invited



In late summer 2012, Carey Kish and Fran Leyman embarked on an 8-day, 70 mile trek on the **International Appalachian Trail** through Gaspésie National Park. Gaspésie is a vast expanse of high summits, alpine tundra, dramatic escarpments, deep valleys, old growth forests and pristine waters located just inland from the St. Lawrence River on the Gaspé Peninsula in Quebec. It is also home to a remnant herd of woodland caribou, moose, deer, black bear and hundreds of bird species. The park's "Grand Traverse" was the pair's goal, and carrying relatively light packs and staying in simple but comfy backcountry refuges, **Kish and Leyman** enjoyed a magnificent walk. **At 7pm on Tuesday, May 7th at Fields Pond Nature Center**, they will show slides describe their adventure, and give advice on replicating it. This program is jointly sponsored by the Maine Chapter of the Appalachian Mountain Club and Maine Audubon's Fields Pond Center. Driving directions at www.amcmaine.org under meetings and education committee. For more information, email Education Chair John Mullens at education@amcmaine.org or Audubon Naturalist Holly Twining at htwining@maineaudubon.org



Tuesday, May 7, 7pm
Maine Audubon's Fields Pond Center, 216 Fields Pond Rd, Holden, 04429