

Greetings and Happy Spring. I think it has finally arrived. Some rivers are quite high from the melting of the last heavy snows. The Mississippi is up but no surprise. Up North they have had some heavy late snows that have melted. It has been dry but last night we got rain and as I sit here it has just started to rain again. Possible storms but I hope not.

I don't know if anybody made it to the luncheon on April 18. Being on the roads was not a good idea. Heavy snow and all that goes with it. I did try to call TBocks today to see if we should try there again but didn't get to talk to anyone. The messages where you have to punch a different # for everything. Punched one for reservations and would have to leave a number or send an email. I decided we hadn't been to Mabe's for awhile so called there. Wed. May 18 at 11:30 A.M. we are meeting in the back room of Mabe's. Hope we don't have another snowstorm. Please come with suggestions as to where you want to meet next.

This machine and I are at odds again. It was doing all kinds of things. Had in shop - didn't act up there. But it is of an age and still has Windows 7 on it so would have to be replaced in awhile. Is now back with me but it will be replaced soon and I am not looking forward to that. As I have stated I am not "techy" and don't like having to try learn how to operate new things. Is that a sign of getting old?

Anyway - the grass is turning green, flowers are blooming and Monday I saw my first humming bird of the season. I immediately got out and cleaned my feeder, cooked some syrup and hung it out. He found it Tues. and has been back several times today. All of a sudden - life is good and it's time to see what Mother Nature has in store for us.

Hope to see you on the 16 at Mabe's.

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