

Hollis Heritage Commission
Town of Hollis, Hollis, NH 03049

Date: 23 May, 2017

Members Present: David Sullivan, Wendy Trimble, Jan Larmouth, Karla Vogel, Michael Bates, Aurelia Perry

Members Absent: Ron Peik, Vahrij Manoukian, Honi Glover, Josey MacMillan

Meeting: Called to order: 7:00pm

Minutes: April, 2017

Approved – motion by Jan, 2nd by Karla

Finance: Jan reports that nothing has changed since last month. We haven't even got our interest yet this month, but will shortly.

Business: Dave received e-mail from Christine; those from this Commission who have not yet been sworn in for this term please go to the Town Clerk ASAP. We also received a notice to renew our membership in Freedom's Way. It's \$50 a year. Karla moved that we continue our membership; Aurelia 2nd. Approved.

Dave has prepared a great flyer for the Vintage "Drive It Day", **June 17th**. \$20 per vehicle; registration to begin at 9am at the Lawrence Barn with coffee and doughnuts, and we'll begin the tour at about 9:45am. We'll stop at RMR Restoration for a tour, and then continue on to Beaver Brook. Proceeds will go to our Cooper Shop fund; a portion will go to the Beaver Brook Association. Maps will be provided.

The Old Home Days Committee would like us to go in 50% on the live cooper for the event; 50% is \$125. Motion by Aurelia that we do so; 2nd by Karla; approved. We also voted to have a booth at Old Home Days: motion by Jan, 2nd by Michael. Old Home Days will be **September 15th**.

Those who were able did participate in the Gilmour Walk two weeks ago. It will be a Rotary event from now on.

Michael reported that there wasn't a Historic District Commission meeting this month, as there were no petitions. However, Dunkin Donuts is going to come around to argue about their sign again. Michael relishes keeping them to Historic District standards.

We will have a new Selectman representative: Frank Cadwell.

Calendar: Karla has prepared detailed flyers to go out, and we already got some great photos from the blurb in the paper! There is some excellent interest! We'll send at least one more blurb as the deadline approaches.

Jan sent out 40 letters soliciting sponsorship, and we just this evening received a check for \$200 from Jennings Excavation for their business card to be included on the calendar. Jan will send around a spreadsheet of businesses for us to divide up and call, as well.

With all the fine, very New England photos rolling in, Michael suggested that there's no reason not to sell across the country and even internationally.

The drop-dead deadline for sponsors should be the end of August, so that we can get calendars printed for sale by Old Home Days. Pictures should be in by the end of June, and we will pick them in July.

* The August HHC meeting is going to be moved from our traditional 4th Tuesday to Thursday, August 17th. *

Meeting adjourned at 7:58pm: motion by Wendy, 2nd by Michael.

Next Meeting to be held on Tuesday, June 27th.

Respectfully submitted by Aurelia Perry.