

## ASHLAND NH 150TH ANNIVERSARY COMMITTEE

June 27, 2017 6 pm Ashland Railroad Station

Chairman Jane Sawyer called the meeting to order at 6pm.

Present: Jane Sawyer, Chairman, Kendall Hughes, Vice Chairman, Jeanette Stewart, secretary, Bob Baker, Finance. Caroline Gosse, Seasonal Member. Alisha Wndlebor, Common Man Rep, absent with notice.

Motion was made by Caroline Goss and Seconded by Bob Baker that the minutes of May 23, 2017 be approved. Motion carried.

10 books have been sold.

Treasurer's report to be filed for audit.

Chairman Sawyer posted the book form on the I'm From Ashland Facebook and the Ashland Historical Society Facebook.

Press releases are going out to:

David Ruell, Record Enterprise and Jeanette Stewart, Laconia Daily Sun and also online sites.

Caroline suggested a Whitten Woods walk for the 150th, she will talk to SLA.

Barry Gauw is doing an antique boat parade for the 150th.

30 more books were ordered from Flanders.

KB has 10 books. KB made the motion to order more books seconded by BB. Motion carried. Set up in front of Elaine Hughes RE July 3rd to sell books.

Banner for the park was given to Kathy Jaquith to put up. 2 smaller banners to be used for the 4th of July float.

Meeting with Hell's Gate about Fireworks, received a quote of \$8,000 and the will be at the school. It was a consensus of the board that this was a good price.

Commemorative plate sell are going to start the end of 2017. Cost is \$12. Committee will order 100 minimum. Sell online and at Christmas in Ashland., and at town office. Jane will check on money for DMV and timing.

Saturday schedule: Parade at 2pm, and ceremony at 6pm. Letters will go out to all groups and Ann Barney from Park & Rec will do games, etc. We will have vendors. etc. Fireworks from 9-9:30pm. We can use Shirley White's tent and AFD tent.

Discussed a 2018 calendar with old pics? Monthly raffle? Ceramic plate? Shirts, mugs, and much more... These were just suggestions by everyone at the meeting.

Talked about reserving 2 rooms at the common man inn for \$350 per person, no deposit necessary.

Talked about the street dance, and using Ashland Lumber flatbed for the event.

Jane met with Tim Paquette to discuss banners for the street and he said they will put them up and check with JD Design for size and also check with Megaprint in Campton for pricing.

Jane plans to meet with John Glidden and David Paquette in July to view bell and take pics and measurements. Pemi Baker will do a design for a monumer id then a quote.

The committee talked about River Walk park running along Mechanic Street.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:31 pm by Chairman, Jane Sawyer.

Respectfully Submitted,

Jeanette Stewart  
Secretary