

Dayton Historical & Preservation Committee Meeting:

Minutes May 24, 2016

Present: Yvonne Shaw, Becki Thomen, Amos Gay, Rachel Smith, Jim Hathorne,
and John Coniaris via telephone

6:30 Yvonne called the meeting to order.

Old Business:

- Franklin School:
 - Turner is finishing work on last set of windows.
 - John will be contacting SMR for update on electrical work.
 - Bake Sale:
 - Volunteers needed for Election Day Bake Sale 8a.m. until sold out.
 - Volunteers needed to Bake Goods. Yvonne will make request on web.
 - Additional items for sale: tote bags, calendars, and auto “Dayton Decals” .
 - Committee voted on ordering 100 of each decal.
- **New Business:**
- Cemeteries:
 - Jim Hathorne & Amos Gay spoke and provided a wealth of Information pertaining to Perpetual care of Maine Veteran’s Cemeteries; enacted by the People of the State of Maine, locating Veterans in our communities, private cemetery laws - statutes, the Lyman Cemetery Committee and their very large group of resourceful volunteers; and the Friends of the Lyman Cemetery Committee.
 - Working on a map project that the community can participate in locating and tag a cemetery that they may have on their land.
 - Erecting a fence around the cemetery behind the Town Hall. No decision was made on style of fence.

New Business Continued:

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Franklin School:

1. What year did the school get electricity? 1948? What was the style of the first light fixtures installed in the school house at that time?
2. Future meeting at school house to inventory desks, fixtures, etc....
3. Do the Town or community members have interior pictures of the school house? Possibly put up a request for pics on web.
4. June meeting at school house weather permitting, bring chair.
5. Thanks to Amos & Rachel for the bits of history from their days spent at the school house.

Bake Sale:

1. Election Day June 14th Flag Day 8a.m until sold out
2. Need volunteers for sales and to bake goods.
3. Yvonne will make a request on the Town website.
4. Other items for sale tote bags, calendars. "Dayton" auto decals with the longitude and latitude was also chosen by the committee to be offered for sale.
5. Becki Thomen will open sale when doors open until 1p.m. and John Coniaris will take over.
6. Yvonne & Becki will meet to inventory supplies needed for sale table.

Next Meeting June 28, 2016

Franklin School weather permitting bring your own chair

This is a summary of the meeting

Becki Thomen