

## HERITAGE COMMISSION MEETING -- Churchill School House

Wednesday, 6 March 2019

The meeting was called to order by Marilou MacLean at 6:05 pm. Also present were Brian Robischeau, Bob & Karen Servacek, Harriet Wilson, and Ron Prior. Bob moved to approve the minutes of the January meeting; Brian seconded the motion and it passed unanimously. Marilou moved to accept the minutes of the February meeting; Brian seconded the motion and it passed by a vote of 5 - 0 with Harriet abstaining.

Marilou reported that the person she hoped would have a copy of the NH Chronicle presentation of Fritz Wetherbee in Brookfield, had decided not to purchase it and does not have a copy. Bob & Karen reported that their visit to the WMUR studios in Manchester to search out a copy was unsuccessful; they had trouble getting someone to even talk to them about it and were told that the station did not make these copies available.

Marilou reported that Susan Raban and a friend are very interested in helping to produce a "signature quilt" to honor the Town's 225<sup>th</sup> anniversary. They will be asked to come to the April meeting to discuss the design. Harriet will bring the one from the Congregational Church to show everyone.

Marilou is contacting the folks we are asking to fill historical Town positions. At the start of the Town Meeting on March 12, the Moderator will make the appointments and present a certificate for each position. This will start off the year's celebration.

Marilou is hoping to get bunting to put on the Town House (and Town Office Building?) for July 4. It would be nice to have that for the rededication of the Town House bell June 29 as well.

Ron has put a link on the Town website to his report on James Hackett; he would like someone to put a link there for the article in Wikipedia as well. He also recommends a listing of all Brookfield residents who have served in national conflicts from the Revolution to the present day be posted on the website. Between the Town History and the lists in the Town House, we should have a complete list.

The meeting adjourned at 6:45 pm. The next meeting will be Wednesday, April 17, at 6:00 pm.

Respectfully submitted, Harriet Wilson, Recorder