

Old Home Week 2020 Committee

Old School Community Room

Wilmington, Vermont

February 28, 2019

Present: Nicki Steel, D.J. Boyd, Carol Bogard, Mary Towne, Deb Boyd, Heather Maynard, Julie Moore, Carl Swanson

The meeting was called to order by Nicki at 7:06

Secretary's Report: Motion was made by Deb and seconded by DJ to approve the minutes from the January 3 meeting. Motion passed 8-0.

Treasurer's Report: Mary reported that she has set up two accounts with Brattleboro Savings & Loan. A checking account and a savings account. She has also written two checks, one to Jim Dassatti (Parade chairman) and one to Fran Cunningham (Webmaster).

BS&L has offered to sponsor an event during OHW.

Mary also said that since the town is tax exempt and we are a town committee we would also be tax exempt. She has the tax-exempt number so whenever the board makes a purchase we should let her know; she will prepare a tax-exempt form for the vendor's records. Also, there will not be any sales tax charged on any merchandise we sell.

Old Business:

Mailing list: Mary had been able to run the huge list of alumni addresses for mailings. Julie will take the list and compare it with the Historical Society's records. She will then pass it on to Deb.

Magnets - Carl had obtained information on magnets and decals from his source in Bennington. After some discussion a motion was made by DJ and seconded by Heather to order 5500 oval magnets with our 2020 OHW logo, with our web site and Facebook addresses around the exterior of the frame in color, providing size does not exceed 1oz. for mailing purposes. (They will be going out with the July tax bills.) Motion passed 8-0

Decals – A motion was made by DJ and seconded by Julie to order 1000 color decals with our web site and Facebook addresses around the exterior of the frame in color. Motion passed 8-0

New Business:

Web site is up and running and Nicki would like to be able to do a little tweeking where necessary and to make additions periodically. She needs to meet with Fran to find out how to do it. Deb and Mary are also interested in knowing how to add information. DJ indicated that Fran might have some free time in a couple of weeks.

Town Meeting – Tuesday, March 5 – Nicki and Carol will sit at a table to encourage people to take the survey and to consider volunteering. If people sign-up to volunteer, they will try to find out where their

interests might be. We are looking for people to handle some large responsibilities such as: grounds (tent, port-a-pottys, tables, chairs etc.), memorabilia sales and publicity.

Bonnie Lorimer has volunteered to encourage civic groups/organizations/second homeowner associations etc. to march in the parade.

Carl will ask Cliff Duncan if he would put our logo to scroll thru on Channel 8. He will also ask if Old Home Week 2020 might be considered when they again film places and things to do in Vermont.

Next Meeting: April 4, 2019 7 P.M.

Tasks to be done:

Nicki will put together a short survey form to hand out at Town Meeting.

Nicki, Deb and Mary will meet with Fran to find out how to make additions/corrections to our web site.

DJ will check with Mount Snow to see if we can advertise thru their network

Carl will check with Cliff about putting our logo on the scroll of activities on Channel 8 and also ask about filming a segment on Old Home Week for the series about places and things to do in Vermont.

Being there no further business, meeting was adjourned at 8:22 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Carol Bogard, Secretary