

Minutes of Vermont 250 on Wednesday, February 19, 2025

Attendance: Kathleen Nutter, Therese Lounsbury

Call to order at 10:30am in the Town Clerk's Office

Therese asked for changes to the minutes of February 5, 2025, and noted one correction to the date of the next meeting to be February 19, not 29. Making that correction, the minutes were declared approved.

Review Budget and Calendar:

We need more numbers for T-shirts, decals, and coins. Therese to contact Vermont 250 original acknowledgement to exchange information. Need committed calendar items to lodge on website.

Committee Reports:

Jim called in to ask about finding a copy of the Guy Hawkins 1950 Old Home Week address. Kathleen will check at the Historical Society. Working on the completion of the Westminster Massacre poster. He would like to do a land grant poster as well. Looking for help in creating and placing a QR Code.

Kathleen reported that she has edited Jim's "Catamount Chronicle" and will create Google Doc for all to be able to edit or suggest changes. Need it to be one double-sided page. Tease the information enough to have people research for themselves and embed QR code to lead them to our website postings.

Committee Tasks:

Therese will check on Memorial Hall use; contact more partners; has ordered paper for Catamount Chronicle; start 1% Fund Application; secure space on the town website for information, calendar of events, and merchandise purchase (?); figure out QR Code; contact Old Home Week for direction on t-shirt and decal ordering; mock up Memorial Hall dedication for banner; mock up Lyman Pettee and library dedication for banner?

Kathleen to begin contacting potential speakers.

Jim to decide start date and frequency of "Catamount Chronicle" – need a bell? Need an assistant? is considering artifacts for the displays to determine display cases needed for three locations; working on broadsheets; considering start date for "Road to Revolution".

Next Meeting: Wednesday, March 12, 2025, at 10:30am at Town Clerk's Office

Respectfully submitted by Therese Lounsbury 2/19/2025