

## LYNDEBOROUGH HERITAGE COMMISSION

Friday, May 25, 2018, Center Hall

Present: Jessie Salisbury, Clayton Brown, Bob Rogers, Stephanie Roper, Julie Zebuhr, and Selectman Mark Chamberlain.

Clayton had a selection of old pictures taken from the Internet by his daughter-in-law Barbara Brown. Attempts will be made to identify them.

The minutes of April 26, 2018, were approved by consensus

No treasurer's report.

No intent-to-cut forms were received. Dawn said the state has changed the system

### STONE CULVERT MAP

The idea is to get people to look at it for an update, make loggers aware of existence of such things in the area, and to watch for them. It is hoped to have a letter attached to completed intent-to-cut forms in the future.

### GLASS FACTORY SIGN

It has been reinstalled, the area weed-whacked, and flowers planted. The old sign is at Citizens' Hall.

### CLARK POTTERY SIGN.

Stephanie's proposed wording was approved, and the sign will be ordered. It will be the same size as the new Glass Factory sign. Bob suggested the sign directly face The Turnpike for easier reading.

### JUNE 7 FRES TOUR

The first group will be at Citizens' Hall in the morning, then the town hall. The second group will arrive in time for a picnic at the Town Pound. Walter Holland will be at the town hall for a discussion of the Glass Factory and Stephanie will be at Citizens' Hall. Jessie and Stephanie will arrange displays. Teachers hope to make this an annual event for help them promote local history in both towns.

### COMMON CLEAN UP AND MEMORIAL DAY

The common has been raked, flowers planted, the area along Putnam Hill road further cleaned and “is looking good.” Greg mowed the whole area again. Wally installed the rest of the memorial bricks in front of the monuments and there are bricks available when a plan for the walkway to the flagpole is decided. The dedication of the memorials to veterans of Vietnam and Other Conflicts will be held on May 27, following the usual ceremonies on the common.

### TOWN HALL STAGE

Russ Boland said the work is scheduled for when other floors at Citizens’ Hall are redone. The anteroom steps may be done as well, depending on the budget. Refurbishing the rooms on either side of the stage has been placed on the list as next year’s project.

### TARBELL-KNIGHT HOUSE

The house, located on Grove Road behind the Village Church, has been acquired by the town for taxes, and will not be returned to the owner. The Historical Society has asked the selectmen to consider allowing them to acquire it three years from now. The Selectmen have asked for a formal letter of request and the Society will hold a board meeting in early June to do that. The name for the house was chosen because Joel Tarbell moved it to its present location and long-time resident E. Foster Knight lived there for many years. It was also the residence of tax collector Mary Chase who also gave piano lessons. The house was built in 1834.

### OTHER BUSINESS

Johanne Woods has ordered a sign for her home, the former Patterson house on Grove Road. Other signs may also be requested, and they will be ordered with the Pottery sign.

Johanne also donated some pieces of Lyndeborough glass, currently in the meeting room case at Citizens’ Hall to the Historical Society.

Clayton said a crane has been secured to complete the work on the Center Church steeple. It was mentioned that the weathervane was found to have six bullet holes when it was refurbished some years ago. They were left “for historical reasons.”

**NEXT MEETING**

Friday, June 29, 7 p.m., at the Center Hall, the annual meeting of the Historic District Commission will be held, followed immediately by the Heritage Commission meeting.

The meeting adjourned at 8 p.m.

Clerk