

## LYNDEBOROUGH HERITAGE COMMISSION

Friday, June 21, 2019, Center Hall

Present: Jessie Salisbury, Bob Rogers, Stephanie Roper, Julie Zebuhr,  
Selectman Mark Chamberlain and Scott Roper

Stephanie opened the meeting at 7:45, following the annual meeting of the  
Historic District Commission

### SHOW AND TELL

A gift was received from Tom Schultz of Wilton: a framed Civil War  
certificate of commendation received by Jason Holt in 1867. Mark will take  
it to Citizens' Hall where it will be added to the other pictures.

Received from the New Boston Historical Society, a copy of an oration  
given at the funeral of Rev. Benjamin Clark. He was the son of Peter Clark,  
born in 1808 and a potter until he felt called to the ministry. He graduated  
from Miami University in Ohio and returned to Lyndeborough in 1837. The  
booklet was accepted by the Historical Society.

Bob had a photograph of a wildflower he wanted identified. According to  
Peterson's "A Field Guide to Wildflowers," it is a round-leaf pyrola.

### FOURTH GRADE HISTORY TOUR

The tour on June 6, went well except for an ill student who was cared for by  
teachers. It was agreed the tours should continue. Children need more  
involvement in the town and its history.

### CLARK POTTERY SIGN UPDATE

The stakes marking the site are in place. Road Agent Mark Chase has the  
sign and the posts and will install it as soon as his schedule and weather  
permit. Stephanie will construct a planter around it if there are stones  
available.

## WEST CEMETERY

Stephanie will redo the wording, the sign to be the same size as the Woodward Monument. The South Yard sign will be installed after the wall has been repaired in August. It was noted that at some time in the past, capstones from the wall along Furnace Hill Road had been stolen, as well as one from Johnson's Corner. Bob recalled that the Whittemore Cemetery was badly vandalized in the past. It was agreed such vandalism is "sick" but not much can be done to prevent it.

## OTHER BUSINESS

There was no other business,

The next meeting is Friday, July 26, at the Town Hall

The meeting adjourned at 8:05 p.m.

Secretary