

Boodey House Committee

Jan. 31, 2013

Present: Cathy Orlowicz, Crissa Evans, and Sherry Cullimore

The meeting commenced at 7:02pm, at the New Durham Town Hall.

The minutes were unanimously approved as presented for the October 17, 2012 meeting, with Crissa moving and Cathy seconding. The minutes for the Nov.4, 2012 meeting were unanimously approved as presented with Crissa moving and Cathy seconding.

Cathy distributed the balance sheet from our fund raising efforts for the past year. They show that we have a balance on hand of \$2961.47. This figure includes our efforts for both 2012 and 2013. We raised \$205 at Bingo in January this year.

Bingo will be held on Feb. 3 at 9:30 am at the school. Crissa will bring hot dogs and rolls, American chop suey, chopped onions, custard pie, coffee, cream and chips. Cathy will bring paper products and sandwiches. Sherry will again make apple cake, tarts, and cake, bring water and soda, coffee filters and tablecloths.

Next month Bingo will be on March 3 with the Boodey House Committee meeting at 16 Ridge Road following Bingo at 1:30pm. Sherry will make the apple cakes, and bring water, soda, etc. Crissa will make mac and cheese, pie, and bring coffee and cream. Cathy will make a garden salad, bring dressings, and hot dogs with rolls.

The committee's report for the Town Report is due. Cathy will write re: planning with Aaron, the fire department, and Arthur Capello, the building inspector, fund raising efforts from Bingo lunches and the installation of the new sign donated by Hal Evans erected on the site of the future home of the Boodey House at the corner of Stockbridge Corner Road and Berry Road.

Planning is going forward. Our goal for this year is to get the foundation in by the end of 2013. Sherry will write Aaron Sturgis for the dimensions / square footage of the building. We need to know if he can provide stamped engineered drawings for the post and beam reconstruction of the Boodey House or suggest someone who can. The information is needed to calculate the size of the foundation to meet the specific specifications of such a load and what the cost will be.

Crissa contacted Pastor Nason to ask him about holding another Harp Concert at the Ridge Church this summer. He was agreeable. Crissa has talked with a harpist who is well known and with a quartet to come, probably sometime in August. She contacted the mother church about their 75th anniversary tour that will visit the Ridge church. We would like to give them a presentation on Boodey House and family and what we are planning. She has not heard back yet.

Johnsons Dairy Bar has not been contacted about a cookout yet but we may try for the September. Crissa is looking into grant possibilities also. Several ideas were tossed around. Cathy will look into whether we qualify for the state registry on old buildings/ houses.

A discussion on committee officers was held. It was decided that the Chair had done an excellent job and would remain in Cathy's hands, Sherry would remain secretary and Crissa the family rep. The vote was unanimous.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:30pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Sherry Cullimore, Sect'ry