

## Sunapee Sestercentennial Committee Minutes

May 11, 2017 7:00 PM Sunapee Town Hall

Present: Ron Garceau, Kathy Springsteen, David Cahill, Becky Rylander, Wendy Nolin, Brenda Huff, Sharon Parsons, Dana Ramspott, Betty Ramspott

Guest: Sue Godin, LSPA

Absent: Steven Marshall

Copy: Barbara Vaughn

Ron Garceau opened the meeting and welcomed Sue Godin, Office Manager of LSPA, as the committee's guest.

Discussion of April Minutes: Ron Garceau has not yet met with logo designer. David Cahill is trying to make contact and will send information to the Committee when this is done. It was noted that the final design would need to be presented to the Town Selectmen for approval. Note was made of the policies related to expending Committee budget money. All committee members have received copies of memo prepared by Lynne Wiggins concerning the policies to be followed. Brenda Huff made a motion to approve the April minutes. The motion was seconded by Wendy Nolin and then approved by the Committee.

Becky Rylander will launch the Sunapee Quilt Project at a meeting on June 5, 2017, 7:00 PM. She will inform members of the community.

David Cahill has spoken with John Ryba about use of his drone to take community pictures of the events and has received a commitment to assist.

The Committee discussed potential events for the celebration. Ron Garceau shared ideas from other New Hampshire towns that the Committee might consider.

Sue Godin discussed ideas from the Lake Sunapee Protective Association. The Sestercentennial Celebration will partially coincide with Love Your Lakes Day. LSPA is planning a boat parade and normal LYLD activities (games, band) from 10-2 on Saturday. This will also be the 120<sup>th</sup> anniversary of LSPA so tentative plans also include information and displays of the history of the association. LSPA also

plans to participate in the parade. The Committee expressed its appreciation to the LSPA for their input and willingness to participate.

The Committee then discussed how to involve other Sunapee organizations in planning and participation of Sestercentennial events. After a brief discussion of possible organizations that should be involved and ideas, the Committee agreed to reach out to organizations and discuss involvement. Members agreed to contact the following:

- LSPA, Fire Association-Dana Ramspott
- Sunapee Gardeners-Becky Rylander
- Project Sunapee, Livery, School Boosters Club-Sharon Parsons
- Police Association, Sunapee Seniors-David Cahill
- PTO, Lions Club-Brenda Huff
- Yacht Club-Wendy Nolin

The meetings ended with short discussions of the following items:

- Members suggested that businesses and some families might be contacted about sponsoring banners.
- Dana Ramspott shared information about insurance requirements for parades that the town is currently studying, as they might affect parade considerations.
- The Committee discussed potential vendors for events and stressed not overlooking any town businesses.
- The Committee added home/condominium associations to the list of Sunapee groups to contact about involvement with activities.

The Committee discussed timing of the June meeting and agreed to change the date to Wednesday, June 21, 2017, at the Safety Services Building.

The Committee was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Kathy Springsteen