



BICENTENNIAL COMMITTEE
TOWN OF EAST BRIDGEWATER

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MINUTES OF APRIL 4TH, 2022

Members:

Dale Julius, Co-Chairman	P	Nancy Hill	P
David Sheedy, Co-Chairman	A	Paul Connell	P
Katie Cavanagh, Secretary	P	Rose Culp	A
Noreen Cahill, Treasurer	P	Dee Dee Rogers	P
Tom Turner	P	John Haines	A

Called to order at 6:05PM

Special Guest from the YMCA:

Kristen Landry – Membership Director – Engagement aspect out of the pandemic mindset and back into the community.

Discussion on the YMCA Bicentennial Family Fun Day on August 18th which is a Thursday. Planning to use the campsite area and do a summer carnival not with rides b/c of liability, but the ropes course, guided walking tour, BBQ, Barn Babies, etc. Family Fun Day where the community can come out and explore the outdoor parts of the property.

Discussion on the Fundraising Calendar. Anne Kenneally Hynes Scholarship (AKHS) printed up 250 calendars at Happy Frog. Used electronic wheel (names.com), set up for automatic spin and contact. Kiwanis is doing May, AKHS was in February. You could watch it live with Kiwanis. We are thinking the month of November, which means we will sell in October.

Dave needs to get EIN from state and then open an account

M/Dee Dee Rogers to accept the minutes from March 7th, 2022, and was **S/Nancy Hill**, all were in favor.

Update from Co-Chairmen. Dale checked the Navy Band out of Rhode Island they will come to town and play for free. The Navy Band out of Hanscom Air Force Base will not book 60 days ahead is Dale.

Library is slated for January

Tom Paragraph brought and reviewed his paragraph for the website.

Discussion around having a puzzle made and 02337 zip code bags.

Nancy Hill spoke to Ann Marie from SSRM and penciled us in for June 10, 2023. Money is collected after race. After review of our options, we voted for the full contract, which is all inclusive. **M/Nancy Hill** to sign the all-inclusive contract with SSRM and was **S/ Dee Dee Rogers**, all were in favor.

10-year celebration of the Sachem Community Center- just beginning thinking open house. **February** will be the month 2023. Time Capsule – senior to senior's program headed by Mary Haines

The Grace Bible Church has given us permission to use the church but not the Fellowship Hall. The committee discussed timing of the event and settled on Jan 7th, 2023. **M/Dee Dee Rogers** to contact Grace Bible Church about Jan 7th, 2023, date **S/Noreen Cahill**, all were in favor.

- Dale discussed the Historical Commission has decided to do a Spring Walking Tour and is looking at setting a date for Spring.
- Discussion around things we would like to highlight
 - Oldest resident who has lived here the longest
 - Oldest Business
 - Longest Townie
 - Oldest House (Washburn??)
- Paul asked if we could/should do an event at the COA the night before the race like a pasta fest.
- Dale discussed his conversations with groups about maybe doing a concert on the common with Local bands.
- Saturday following June 14, 2023, we would like a ball.

M/Nancy Hill to adjourn the meeting **S/Paul Connell**, all were in favor. The meeting was adjourned at 7:30pm.

The next meeting of the Board will be held May 12, 2022, at 6:00pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Katie Cavanagh