

The Loudon Historical Society meeting was held June 07, 2017 at 7:00 pm.

Attendees: Michele York, Stan Prescott, Dustin Bowles, Ashley Simonds, Cyndi Babonis and Lucy Gordon

The minutes from the May meeting were read. Stan made a motion to accept the minutes as they were written and Michele seconded the motion.

Stan will contact a member of the Canterbury Historical Society. We would like to tour their facility and find out more about the Town History book they have recently published. The H.S. will be taken a tour of Pittsfield's Historical Museum on Wednesday June 21st. Our contact there is Clayton Wood and we very much appreciate the opportunity to look at their facility.

The Historical Society will have a Humanities Council program in the Fall. The topic will be "New Hampshire Roads – Taken or Not?" The speakers name is Steve Taylor.

We discussed what we can do on "Old Home Days" to bring more people into the museum. We will have a bake sale. We also hope to have samples of home made bread with home made jelly available. This will be discussed further as the date comes closer.

Stan is planning on giving the H.S. a tour of some of the Town' cemetery this summer. Stan told us about an Eagle Scout Project done by James Dunbar. James made a kiosk and has recorded the names of all the people buried at the Village Cemetery. The Historical Society will put up a plaque with James name on it to honor of the work he did.

Dustin and Stan will get and plant a tree to be used for the holidays. Our tree lighting ceremony was a great success; we would like a "real" tree to be used in future years.

Roger Maxfield wrote a draft letter to be used to send to the Select board. The letter puts "in writing" our wish to have the now vacated Town Office for our museum. The board would like to tour the empty building to start imagining what a new museum would be like.

The next meeting will be July 05, 2017.

Respectfully submitted,

Lucy Gordon