

Hyde Park Historical Society
Minutes of meeting
May 12, 2011

President Carolyn Jones opened the meeting at 6:07 pm at the residence of Harold and Beth Bailey, 104 Eden St. Hyde Park, Vt. 05655.

Heat for the building: We decided to hold off from buying any fuel until we have a need for it.

Maggie's house: Robert Jones has talked to two possible donors for the project. We still have not been able to get in to the house yet. We will also need to have the property appraised and the name of Beth Currier was suggested. We really can go no further until we have the OK from Maggie to view the inside of the structure. Maggie will let us know when we can see it.

Linda Radtke: Linda is a singing historian and goes to different locations to bring Vermont history through song to folks. She will be joining us on August 19, 2011. We decided to hold an open house and have refreshments, including ice cream sundaes before the show. All of this will be free to the public. We will ask the Village Electric Department to include hand bills, about the show, with the August billing. We will need to spread the word. Harold will contact Rolland about radio announcements. Carl will check on Ben and Jerry's.

We will attempt to put an emergency exit on the north side of the building this summer. We will be doing this with volunteer help and donated material. We have a small amount of money, some of which can be used for this project. Carl will call some of us and we will meet at the hall to take measurements and prepare to start work on the stairs.

The Society voted to visit with the Select Board about the alcohol policy at the Grange Hall. We would like an audience with the Select Board.

Next meeting will be at the Grange Hall, unless otherwise notified, on June 6, 2011 at 6pm.

Adjourned, 6:50 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,
Harold L. Bailey, Secretary
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