Town of Francestown

250th Committee Minutes of Meeting Wednesday, December 8, 2021

Members present: Chairman Jamie A Pike, Elly Miles, Janet Hicks, Kevin Pobst, Marsha Dixon, Priscilla Martin, Bev Abbott and Sarah Pyle.

Chairman Pike called the meeting to order at 4pm.

Bev and Priscilla provided an update on the Scavenger Hunt. The liability waiver will be forwarded to the insurance carrier for review and/or revision.

Bev is working on a military parade down Main Street. It will include uniforms from the colonial period through modern day. Bev is also seeking horses from Silver Ranch to drive the carriage ahead of the parade. A look-a-like contest will be held March/April for Governor Wentworth and Frances Deering. The winners will ride in the carriage and deliver a proclamation at the Old Meeting House.

At 5pm the winners of the Scavenger Hunt will be announced followed by a cocktail hour. The dinner will be at 6pm. The group Green Heron will be playing on the Common from 3-7pm. The band 60's Invasion will be playing from 7-9:30 with fireworks to follow. A rain date of June 26th will be used for the Opening Ceremonies and carnival only. Dinner will still go forward and Fireworks will be moved to Labor Day weekend. Dinner will be just \$5 per person, Under 18 eat free.

Additional funding options were discussed. Ideas were hats, t-shirts, pewter ornaments, engraved bricks for a walkway, suncatchers and temporary tattoos.

The meeting was adjourned at 5:30pm

Respectfully submitted,

Jamie A Pike