

HISTORICAL COMMISSION OF MILFORD Memorial Hall, School Street Milford, MA 01757



The Milford Historical Commission meeting of June 11, 2014 was called to order by Robert Andreola, Chairman, at 7:10 pm in Memorial Hall. Motion to accept the minutes as read was made by Pam Fields, seconded by Lyn Lovell. Motion was unanimous.

Motion was made by Pam to ask Bob Samiagio to purchase a roll of stamps plus 2 books to have on hand at the commission, seconded by Mary Villani. Motion was unanimous.

We received several thank you notes written by the children from Woodland School who visited the museum recently. They enjoyed educational day learning about their town with visits to the Town Hall, police and fire stations, library, Draper Memorial Park and the Doughboy monument as well as the museum.

Ron Marino checked with Dick Villani regarding Comcast. We will be going on-line for \$74.99 starting in July. The increase in our budget was approved at Town Meeting allowing us to hook up to the internet.

Thanks go to Mrs. Tibbetts for obtaining two copies of the "Oak, Lily and Ivy" for our research room. Bob Andreola each year brings us current copies to add to our collection.

Myla Thayer donated a box of assorted ephemera. There was a GAR dance program and a souvenir from the Draper statue dedication in 1912 among other things.

Anne will be holding a quarry walk on Saturday, June 14<sup>th</sup> at 1:30 pm starting at St. Mary's Church. She had pictures plasticized of buildings and monuments that were built with Milford Pink granite. She chose four pictures from: Boston, New York, Washington, Hopedale and Milford. Steve Zaloga offered to help, too.

Tomas MacCormaic from Ireland attended the meeting. He also visited the museum Thursday, June 10<sup>th</sup> to do genealogy and see an ancestor's name engraved on a marble tablet in the vestibule. He will be back again as he was impressed by the museum, St. Mary's cemetery and the Irish round tower.

Anne made a motion to adjourn at 9:15 pm and Lyn seconded the motion. Motion was unanimous. The next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, August 13<sup>th</sup> at 7pm in Memorial Hall.

Respectfully submitted,

Anne Lamontagne

**Commissioners Present** 

Guest

Robert Andreola, Chairman Lyn Lovell, Secretary Anne Lamontagne, Secretary Pam Fields Ron Marino Mary Villani -----

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