



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



The Milford Historical Commission meeting of April 9, 2014 was called to order at 7:02 pm in Memorial Hall by Robert Andreola, Chairman. Motion to accept the minutes was made by Pam Fields, seconded by Mary Villani. Motion was unanimous.

A moment of silence was held in memory of John Lowney who was a very knowledgeable and dedicated Associate Commissioner who will be greatly missed.

The Finance Committee approved \$1,000 for the internet in the 2015 budget. Lyn called Rick Villani who said it was fine, it is a go.

The 8 x 10 pictures that were printed for the book "Images of America" will be put in binders so visitors to the Museum can enjoy them.

Anne made a motion to purchase the copy of Adin Ballou's History of Milford for \$85.00, seconded by Bob Andreola. Motion was unanimous.

Motion was made by Anne to purchase a Circus Booklet for \$10 that was published at the time the circus was featured in the Music Hall, seconded by Pam Fields. Ron Marino and Bob Samiagio voted no while Bob Andreola, Pam Fields, Anne and Mary voted in favor. We will purchase it.

Carolyn J. Kahn of the Milford Farmers Market sent Lyn an e-mail inviting us to participate on a Saturday in August for a theme day "Milford History and Heritage". We will send a letter thanking them for allowing us the opportunity but we are not interested at this time.

Lyn and Anne were guest speakers this month at the Trinity Church for their 150 anniversary tea and Cornerstones which is Milford's new assisted living facility.

Van Lucier sent pictures of the hurricane of '38 and Susan Tabor emailed vintage pictures of Milford around 1900. Terrie Moschelli donated a 1950 picture of the graduation class, a 1919 Oak Lily and Ivy and offered us a 1926 Remington typewriter that she will drop off on a Thursday.

We will get prices on reprinting packages of note paper with Memorial Hall sketched on the front with envelopes from Jet Press.

A quarry walk is planned for Saturday, June 14 with a rain date of the 15<sup>th</sup> and a lawn gathering at the North Purchase District School in August. Pam suggested that we ask people to bring a canned good for the food pantry at our October open house.

Motion to adjourn was made by Ron Marino at 8:30 pm, seconded by Mary Villani. Motion was unanimous.

Ron brought to the meeting an owl and eagle that he recently carved and painted. Both are amazingly lifelike.

Note: There was no March meeting due to a pending snowstorm.

Respectfully submitted,

Anne Lamontagne  
Commissioners Present  
Robert Andreola, Chairman  
Robert Samiagio, Treasurer  
Anne Lamontagne, Secretary  
Pam Fields  
Ron Marino  
Mary Villani

Associate Commissioner Present  
Steve Zaloga