

CURATOR COMMITTEE MEETING APPROVED

September 18, 2017

PRESENT: Reg Barney, Carol Begeron, Donna Dunkerton, Susan Nero, Ann Wadsworth, Patsy Carter

The meeting came to order with Donna Dunkerton, Historian, reporting on the summer activities at the Museum. Beginning with New Hampshire History Day June 2, 2017. This field day was well attended by the Canaan Elementary School 4th grade class. New Hampshire History Day has been a fun filled learning day for the students since 1984. The highlight being an exciting ride in a horse drawn wagon, driven by Richard Vincent.

Donna continues to do tours and talks for Cardigan Mountain School Classes. This year she also did a talk and tour for the Mascoma Senior Center. Many of the seniors were very impressed with the contents of the museum and the talk. The groups biggest interest was the '38 hurricane. There was a lot of positive feedback from all they saw and heard.

Genealogy seems to be of great interest to folks in the area. Donna took Diane and George Gromley on tour of the Old North Church, Canaan Street cemetery, and meeting house. They were researching Rev. Thomas Baldwin. The Gromley's gave Donna a check for \$50.00 for her time spent with them.

The museum was open for Old Home Days. Bill Spaulding had his display of the early 1800 & 1900, logging, and log drive down the river, on exhibit for the month.

LCIP group is going to visit the museum on the 26th of Sept. Susan Nero, Carol Bergeron and Patsy Carter, offered to help Donna dress up the mannequin Sept. 23rd before the LCIP group comes.

Carol Bergeron is reviewing the computerized inventory to appraise items and indicate items needing security, being placed in cases. Also seeking ones that have special significance to Canaan. She is about 1/3 of the way through.

Future Meetings: February 12, 2018 & June 12, 2018.

Respectfully submitted by Patsy Carter