Old Home Day Minutes – July 19, 2020

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER: 7:05 pm

Committee Members Present: Haley Bush Co-Chair, Tammy Bergeron Vice Chair, Barbara Kiszka

Secretary, John Blinn (Selectman rep), Julian Kiszka (Selectman alternate / citizen)

Haley Bush (Chair) – present, family in residence

Tammy Bergeron (Co-chair) and John Blinn (Selectman rep) – both present, alone at residence Barbara and Julian Kiszka (Selectman alternate) – both present, alone in park

Committee Members Excused: Michelle Lampron, Jim Peck, Tracy Fuller (YMCA rep), Derek Travers (PFD Rep), Bill Coye, Bob Fairhurst (Lion's rep), Jim Peck, Rose Holliday, Michelle and Ella Lampron, Beth Tilton

Motion to Accept the **minutes** of June 14, 2020 – Barbara motions, Haley 2^{nds} Tammy, John, Haley, Julian, Barbara all vote in the affirmative. 5-0-0 Motion passes.

Status updates:

Fireworks -

- Francine Hart and Fire Chief Knutsen believe it is possible to have the fireworks in the next few months.
- Haley suggests the high school football field. Barbara notes they just had fireworks there at graduation on July 18, so it is possible with distancing.
- The discussion turned to when to have the fireworks. Various people were on vacation in August, then busy later in the fall. It was noted it was not necessary for committee members to be there.
- Discussed the criteria for when the event would be a go, vs. no-go. For example, the level of COVID illness in town.
- At this point the committee has lost steam. There is not enough enthusiasm for managing a potential on-again / off-again event. We had enough of that with the OHD event date this year.

Next meeting:

- Consensus is that we will re-group on the 3rd Sunday in January next year, January 17, 2021.
- We can re-use the planning we did this year, including the theme of Decades, the trophies and prizes for the beard contest, etc.

Meeting adjourned at 7:16pm