

SCC Minutes 10/13/14- Unapproved
Shrewsbury Meeting House
5:15 pm

Louise Duda, Cynthia Thornton, Connie, Grace, Peter, Chris Clarke

1- Minutes from 9/8/20- read and approved.

2- Treasurer's Report
no change

3-Town Farm Wildlife Management Area celebration
A nice time! We agree the event went well! Weezie will contact Joel ? from Fish and Wildlife, who will help manage this area. She will let him know that SCC would like to be involved.

4-Jeffords Tree
Connie sent an email to the Select Board and Gary Salmon to say that SCC was interested in replacing the Jeffords Tree sometimes in the spring. Perhaps a Mountain Ash, which is native to Vermont.

5-Church Property
Grace and Peter walked this area with Mountain School staff. It is quite a "mess" because it has been extensively logged. It has a wetland and also some lovely areas. The SMS teachers may use it for trail maintenance, eco system studies, orienteering etc. They will let us know their thoughts. The Town is buying the 24 acres near the town garage- this area could be used by the school. Who would own the 82 acres? Could the church sell off part of it to adjoining neighbors? Mark Youngstrom will continue to pursue this.

6-AVCC emails
Peter and Cynthia are still not getting the emails. Weezie will follow up.

7-Gaynor Road
Aaron Korzun is motivated to get the Town to close off the lower section. A petition has been signed. Rutland Regional Planning Commission and Jamie have some interest in turning other Shrewsbury class 4 roads into trails. SCC will participate in future discussions about this issue. (Class 4 roads must be maintained by homeowners who live on them.) The Planning Commission is also interested in keeping an eye on this issue. Gaynor Road still has lots of ATV traffic- especially from the Rte 103 access.

8-Walks and Talks
none scheduled at the moment

9- Moose Signs

Grace ordered 20 more signs at her own expense. Grace suggested putting them at Swinging Bridge, Stone House, Stone Chimney, Shrewsbury Peak, new WMA, 3 Spring Lake Campsites. (SCC still has 7 of the large signs.) Weezie suggested purchasing 1/2 of Grace's signs and putting them at other places around Town- particularly at entries into Town. Grace said that the Shrewsbury Outing Club might also want to put some up.

Weezie will talk to Kim Royer about putting them up in other locales. Kim has expressed interest in this.

Chris and Grace will go to a Select Board meeting and get permission to put signs up around town. They will compile a list of potential locations. SCC will need permission from either the Town, landowners and other entities.

We had an informal discussion of places.

We agreed to reimburse Grace for 10 signs from our SCC funds.

9-Other-

Connie suggested paying Grace to create an SCC banner to use at SCC events. We all agreed that Grace should design one.

SCC received a generous donation from a neighbor. Cynthia will write a thank you note.

Next Meeting:

Tuesday, November 10, 2020 at 5:15 at the Meeting House

It will be a distance pot luck. We will discuss goals for the future goals.