

Kimball Cabin Committee  
Meeting Minutes  
May 27,2015

Present: Ed K., Lee W., Heather M., Chris L., Paula S., Louise C.

Absent: Ricardo R., Carl G.

Ed will follow up again with Neal to see if he has given DPW permission to pick up the granite. They need his approval before they can bring it to the cabins. He has contacted several landscapers who will try to make the June 10<sup>th</sup> meeting at the cabins. If they assist with the landscaping they will be allowed to leave their business sign up for the remaining of the year.

The committee discussed the need to have several of the signs redone. The no motorized boating can barely be read along with several other signs. We would like to get an estimate for heavy gauge aluminum. Ed mentioned that he has used Hillsboro Sign Company in the past and thought their prices were reasonable.

Our next focus will be to raise the \$2,500 needed for the metal roof. Maple Street school 4<sup>th</sup> grade students sent out letters to all of the 4<sup>th</sup> grade parents and raised \$300 in donations so far. June 5<sup>th</sup> they will be having a BBQ and fun day at the lake. Paula will put an A frame sign out thanking them for their efforts. We would like a letter sent out to them by town hall. With the funds we already had we now have \$700 toward our goal.

Lee spoke with several floor finishers and they recommended that we put 2 coats of high gloss then 1 coat of satin on the floor once we have it screened.

Louise reached out to Blaine to see if the scouts wanted to have a BBQ during the grand celebration day festivities as a fundraiser toward the boy scout cabin repairs. It didn't seem to materialize but may try to do one during the 4<sup>th</sup> of July family fun day. The scouts will be using cabin #1 for their wolf pack meetings.

The water tank has been pressure washed clean and the fire department will fill the tank. This water will not be for drinking but can be used to clean up with.

October 17<sup>th</sup> is Hopkinton Cares day where volunteers will do a variety of tasks to help out around town. The Kimball Cabins will be on the list as one of the sites for volunteers to help out that day. We will start compiling a list of tasks we would like to try to get accomplished during town clean up day.

Chris Lawless informed the committee that he will be traveling a great deal due to work commitments so he will not be able to attend many meetings over the next several months.

We would like to invite the BOS to the cabins to see the progress that has been made. We would like to schedule a grand opening day for Sept. 26<sup>th</sup> or 27<sup>th</sup> as the encampment will be the same weekend drawing a crowd to the area.

Louise informed the committee that the BOS voted to pay for the website domain fee from the general fund.