

Town of Maynard

Sesquicentennial Steering Committee Minutes

June 30<sup>th</sup> 2021

Via Remote/Zoom

Call to order: 6.01pm

Attendees: Molly Bergin, Paula Copley, Lisa Dahill, Ellen Duggan, David Mark, Donald James, Jen Picorelli , Dave Griffin.

1. Approval of June 7<sup>th</sup> meeting minutes. Motion to approve Paula Copley, seconded by Molly Bergin. Approved 8-0.
2. Erickson's Ice cream Flavor : Erickson's will create a flavor , will ask for ideas of flavors via social media with people voting for the best, will release flavor at Duck Race event . Chosen flavor will be available after August 22nd 2021.
3. Duck Race Event: Kim Lalli , representative for Maynard Relay for Life asked if the group could be in attendance at the event to have their own event which will include a gift basket raffle. Motion to approve made by Jen Picorelli , seconded by Paula Copley . Approved 8-0. Event will also have a food truck in attendance, details still to be finalized.
4. Maynard Garden Club asked if we could donate some small 150th flags to place in pots around town, we suggested they make a donation to the committee. Motion to approve Jen Pecorelli, seconded by Molly Bergin, Approved 8-0.
5. David Mark will extend invite to Maynard Family Members.
6. Parade: 13 groups to date participating. Some have not yet replied. Will make a script for all to use for a universal request. Each member will receive 5 or more to reach out to. Miss Tricia Dance Studio will perform a "Dance through the years" piece.  
  
Two locations in place for options: Mill & Main (pending) and Church parking lot (St. Bridgit), still in the works.
7. Greg (TA) will be sent contract/proposal for parade to sign off for insurance etc.

8. Viewing stand may not fit or hold all invited guests in front of Sanctuary, discussed other possible locations on Main St. and Memorial Park as an option also.
9. Dave Griffin will contact Parade Marshalls, letter on Town letterhead should go to distinguished guests : local reps, State Reps, Congressman, DA. Jen will send invites. Discussion was had on inviting previous Town Admins (5) and Police (4) and Fire Chiefs (3), or to March in the parade? And previous BOS members.
10. Acton Ford would like to donate convertibles for guests to drive in, they need logistics and information of route etc.
11. UMass Lowell Marching Band confirmed participation. Membership is 120 young individuals. Cost \$3,500.00 Motion made by Ellen Duggan, Seconded by Paula Copley, approved 8-0. This would be 5 bands in total to date.
12. Discussion of selling 150<sup>th</sup> swag in Memorial Park on some Saturday mornings in summer months.
13. David Mark selling books at Farmers Market on August 7<sup>th</sup>.
14. David Mark updated on Artspace Exhibit on 9/18 and 9/19. Need opening remarks from Board Member. Display cases need to be moved from Arlington to Maynard and returned when exhibit over. Each case may be 50 to 60 lbs and a moving company would be needed, David will research cost. If not cost effective, items will be limited and displayed in alternative ways.

Meeting adjourned 7.10pm.

Next meeting July 21 at 6.00pm