

Town of Kensington
Kensington Recreation and Social Committee (KRSC)
May 26, 2022
Public Meeting, Town Hall
6:00 pm

Attending:

Lili Spinosa, KRSC Member
Donna Carter, KRSC Member and Sawyer Park Trustee
Jessica Minghella, KRSC Member
Sarah Jean Turcott-Hall, KRSC Member
Courtney Brady, KRSC Member

Skip Heal, Kensington Fire Association
Meghan Gross, Heritage Commission/ Historical Society/ Grange Trustee
Ben Cole, KFD and Universalist Church
Meeting opened at 6:05 pm.

This meeting was held to discuss the ongoing preparations for the 13-Aug-22 scheduled Old Home Day event. Representatives from each town organization were again invited to attend. Each organization in attendance provided an update to their planned activity(s), and an outline of the schedule of events was drafted.

Conservation Committee was unable to attend this meeting, but provided the committee with an update to their planned Trail Run prior to the meeting. The details were reviewed and discussed, including the anticipated road closures and the steps required to ensure this process is properly carried out.

Heritage Commission is planning on hosting town walking tours.

Universalist Church will host an open house as well as a table at Sawyer Park throughout the event to discuss the work this committee does and offer a copy of the building's blue prints.

Kensington Police Association is planning for basketball and kickball games, possibly dunk tank.

Kensington Fire Department will be hosting a ninja course for children, touch a truck event with the ambulance and fire truck, and host the BBQ (KRSC will provide the food and supplies, Skip Heal has offered to provide his grill and propane).

Adult Softball League will host a homerun derby

Historical Society is hosting the annual yard sale at the Old North School and will host a scavenger hunt.

Live Music and Fireworks will close out the event.

KRSC has reached out to The Carriage Barn, to gauge their interest in being involved. KRSC has also requested feedback from Chief True regarding the ability to host a pie eating contest. The Board of Selectmen recently approved the KRSC request to create signage for advertising this event and place at corner of Amesbury Rd/ Trundlebed Ln.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:12 pm.

The Kensington Recreation and Social Committee has moved their regular meetings to the second Thursday of each month at 5:00 pm at the Town Hall; this is due to the committee members' availability. The public is always welcome to attend.

The next Old Home Day planning meeting will be held Thursday, June 23, 2022 at 6:00 pm. The next regular KRSC meeting will be held Thursday, June 2, 2022 at 5:00 pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Jessica Minghella