January 8, 2026 Old Home Day Meeting Minutes

Meeting Location: Fire House Meeting Room/Town Hall & Google Meet

Meeting called to order at 6:10pm

In Attendance: Ashley Nash in person. Ashlee Crosby, Vicky Scalera and Kristina Crabb via Google Meet.

Currently no updates on the parade. Will talk to Jojo more about the parade at the next meeting.

Discussed the vendors. Ashley Nash has the online registration all set up and has sent out the information to the committee. Ashley Nash to send out the open registration information to past vendor participants. Ashley Nash brought up the survey that was made and sent out to last year's participants. The main review was that vendors don't feel their booths are getting enough visibility with the current set up, so we discussed different ways to rearrange everything to make it more cohesive.

For Live Music, the Shana Stack band contacted Ashley N with information for 2026. They can do the whole band for $800 for however long we would like them. Ashley N suggested 11am to 1pm so as not to interfere with the parade as well as most events for the day are wrapping up at 1:30/2. Discussed again moving the live music to a more visible location as no one likes to cross the street to go over to the current location and had little to no attendance last year, there is no point in paying for live music if no one is hearing it.

Ashlee Crosby brought up wanting to contact 6th NH reenactments and get them back. Need to get the contact information from Allyce. The 4-H group from last year was discussed and Ashlee C suggested getting them more involved and really promoting and supporting their 4-H group, Ashley N suggested giving them their own, more highlighted spot in the vendor area or maybe even a new location.

Ashley N discussed the car show and contacts for that were suggested. Ashley N to go through the Recreation emails for past interested parties. Kristina suggested getting the Stratton Free Library involved this year and the committee agreed. Kristina made up a design for this year's Old Home Day for promotional material and t-shirts, the committee members in attendance unanimously agreed that it was a beautiful design and Kristina will clean it up a bit more before we start using it.

Meeting called to end at 6:30pm