

# **RED Committee Meeting Minutes**

**September 28, 2021**

**Meeting called to order at 6:00 pm by Chair Jason Koerber**

**Present:** Jason Koerber, (Chair), Mike Fualkner, Jeanne Van Patten and Patti Dixe

**Excused:** Lindseigh Picard, (Selectman's Representative) and Lola Bobrowski

**Absent:** Kristin Smart-Bagster

**Minutes:** Minutes approved for 9/14/21, Patti made motion, Jeanne seconded, approved 4-0

**Financial Report:** Nothing to report

**Farmers Market:** Jason and others reported that the Farmers Market had an excellent day as it was held during the Pickle Festival. All vendors were pleased with the turn out.

**Smokey and the Scarecrows:** Jeanne reported she has 12 scarecrow frames on hand, Mike reported he has some rebar and will need to purchase more. Mike has agreed to purchase the wood for the scarecrow frames and the rebar. The committee has decided to make 40 more scarecrow frames, in the hopes we will have a great turn out for this event. Jason will do a Facebook post on Oct 1, 2021 and Lola will open registration on October 1, 2021 for the event. Jeanne will help with distribution of the scarecrow frames and the collection of the scarecrows at the Farmers Market, Oct. 23 and Oct 30, respectively.

**Santa in the Park:** No response from Kerry at this time.

**Winchester Wonderland:** To Be Determined

**Pole Banners:** Nothing to report

## **New Business:**

Walpole Savings Representatives, Lindsey Swett, branch manager and Danielle, event manger attended meeting to introduce themselves and share their news about the Winchester Branch opening on October 26, 2021. Walpole reps, shared information about the festivities that will happen the week of the opening.

Lindsey and Danielle wanted ideas from the committee how they can help in the Winchester community. The committee shared information on all the events the RED committee sponsors to raise funds for different organizations in the Winchester. Walpole savings can help with funds and sweat equity at the events the committee sponsors and other opportunities they may develop in the community.

**Music in the Park:** Mike made a suggestion that we change the date of when Music in the Park is held, maybe a Friday. There was some discussion about this and the availability of the town hall when it rains and Friday is the only day it's available to use. Jason suggested doing a Facebook poll to see what the interest might be about changing the date.

**New place to hold RED Committee meetings:** Jason will talk with Kerry about what space may be available and the dates space is available.

Jeanne made motion to adjourn, Mike second, all in favor 4-0  
Meeting Adjourned 6:52 PM

Approved on 10/26/21

Jason Kel