

Pawlett Historical Society
Minutes
Trustee Monthly Meeting
January 8, 2025
Pawlet Library

Present ; Rose Smith, Rhonda Schlangen, Theresa Jones, Judy Coolidge, Martha Schoenemann, Fred Stone, Steve Williams, Sue Hosley, John Malcolm, Glenda Young

Minutes of Trustee Monthly Meeting November 13, 2024
Approved by a motion of Judy and a 2nd by Theresa

Treasurer's Report

Both reports of November and December 2024 were approved on a motion by Martha and 2nd by Sue. Judy added that there was a very good response to the appeal letter.

It was also reported that the PHS Town Meeting petition was submitted with the appropriate number of signees and at the required time

Farm Project

Fred read a letter from many years ago, there was discussion about other related projects other than dairy and it was passed along that Suzanne Wright offered to help with interviews, and Martha relayed a post by Seth Leach celebrating Rob Waite's birthday and his longtime work at Woodlawn Farm. It was suggested also to interview Marcia Russo of next door Southwind Farm

Tree Trimming at North Pawlet Schoolhouse

It was approved by a motion by Sue and 2nd by Steve to accept John Hayne's proposal to do the work for \$400

Future Events

There was continued discussion about future events for spring summer and fall of 2025 and 2026. It was decided to hold the ice cream social on July 20, 2025 and July 5, 2026. Speakers could be from the catalog of the VT Humanities Council and other topics such as the numerous mills operating throughout the years, Steve Leach offered to speak on Marcellous Jones, a Pawlet native famous for shooting the first shot at the Gettysburg Battle, and the freeing of slave Dinah Mattis

Next Meeting WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 12, 2025, 7 PM Pawlet Library

Submitted by John Malcolm,