

Hazel Grove Planning Committee

MINUTES

SEPTEMBER 21, 2011 7:30 PM

FIRST FLOOR MEETING ROOM
TOWN HALL, GROTON MA

TYPE OF MEETING	Committee Meeting
ATTENDEES	Adam Burnett, Tim Svarczkopf, Laura Menard, Gineane Haberlin, Meredith Scarlet, Anna Elliot, Laurie Smigelski (Park Commission liaison), John Ott, Linda McCrosson, Patti Modzelewski
NOTE TAKER	Patti Modzelewski

Agenda topics

GREENFIELD FAIR VISIT

DISCUSSION	Gineane and Tim gave the group of summary of their visit to the Greenfield Fair. Some of their observations were that the fair was very agricultural. There were a lot of "down home" country exhibits. The fairground has a fair number of permanent structures including restrooms. The catering area featured local grown food and local food providers. The midway and arcade games were a bit kitschy.
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POTENTIAL USERS

DISCUSSION	People should continue to add to the list of potential users of Hazel Grove Park. Please add to the list on google docs.
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PROGRESS AGAINST THE COMMITTEE'S TIMELINE

DISCUSSION	The timeline is in place but the details are a bit thin. The information gathering is going well. John stated that the historic data collection is going well but it's time consuming.
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DISCUSSION	Tim reported about his discussion with Jon Strauss regarding CPC funds for historic preservation. CPC funds may be available if the Committee can show the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Long range plans• A revenue stream The discussions continued regarding the need for a HGP Association. The needs and vision of the Groton Pony Club and the Riding and Diving Club are needed.
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MOTION	To propose that we form sub-committees to include, but not be limited to, the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Association Committee• Use Committee• Maintenance Committee• Potential Revenue Stream Committee• Historic/Natural Resource Committee
VOTE	Unanimous

NEXT MEETING

UPCOMING MEETINGS	10/05 10/19
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