

**Notes in lieu of Meeting Minutes of the Halifax Community Club Meeting for
November 11, 2019**

Meeting Cancelled

Members: Gretchen Becker (VP, Trustee 2017), John Kirk (Treasurer, Trustee 2019), Laurel Copeland (Pres, Clerk, Trustee 2017), Joan Courser (Trustee 2018), Lynda Copeland, Edie Fenton, Gary Rand, Marilyn Allen, Bonnie Brown (Trustee 2017), Linda Lyon, Heidi Schmitt, Andrea Rand, Penfield Chester, Jason Ashcroft, Diana Conway, Nancy McCrea, Julia Copeland.

NB: Trustees are elected for 3-year terms; year of election is noted in parentheses.

- 1. HCC is entering winter hibernation!** The October 14 meeting was cancelled as we had already done our annual mailing. We will not meet on November 11. We will meet for our annual holiday dinner at New England House once we settle on a date by email. This will typically be Wednesday, December 11 or 18 starting at 5:30 pm.
- 2. Colrain Library event.** Joan did not take the ice cream wagon to the Colrain Library event on account of bad weather
- 3. The Celebration Day on Sep 28 had lovely weather.** The breakfast (7-9 am) was very well attended. Two persons stayed over from the prep-and-serve group and washed virtually all of the dishes. Our HCC crew included Edie Fenton, Gretchen Becker, Stephan Chait, and me; we wrapped up about 10:15 am. Very efficient! The Ice Cream Wagon was across from the church. We had a fairly steady trickle of customers. Edie and Gretchen stayed throughout; John Kirk spelled me mid-afternoon. We sold \$273 worth of ice cream and also sold 2 cookbooks during the breakfast at \$5 each.
- 4. Joan put the Ice Cream Wagon to bed.** She inquired of Pete LaFogg how much he wanted for the heated rental space in his Grange building he is advertising: \$600/month; too much for HCC. She and Wayne will tarp the Ice Cream Wagon for the winter, as they always do. Thanks, Joan & Wayne!
- 5. Gary Rand fixed the weatherstripping on the front door of the Hall.** It is now much easier to close that door securely. Thanks, Gary!
- 6. We will plant pine trees in our 2 flower buckets at the Hall for the winter.** Let's hope no one pulls these ones out.

**NEXT REGULAR MEETING (usually 2nd Mondays): TBD but most likely May 11,
2020.**