

Holliston Community Farm Board

Meeting minutes

11/14/19

Members in attendance: Jim Taralli, Kriss Westland, Dennis Prefontaine, and Kristen Serocki

Guests: PJ Kilkelly and Bobby Blair

Meeting called to order at 7:08 pm by Kriss and seconded by Jim

Minutes approved by all members

PJ and Kriss ran into Mark Dellicker, he said he could possibly start some work on the house when the weather is better. Mark said he has needs quite a bit of wood for the supports of the wall as the work is getting done. We may need to look into some less costly options for the supports. He called dig safe to have them come and mark out what is safe and he will pull the permits.

We would like to set up some dates to get some projects done. Dennis P feels we really need to be out reaching for more volunteers. The group discussed how we have tried reaching out through Facebook, emails, and other channels to find more volunteers with little success but we will keep reaching out and find other venues to get more involvement.

We do need to put the lumber for the barn under cover or tarp it over. It would be better to get it into the barn.

Bobby gave us a copy of the plot plan to all the bulbs and bare roots that he and PJ planted. Daffodils, Lilies, Peonies, and Phlox. PJ is going to build a set up for the sale of the flowers hopefully at Coffee Haven and or other local businesses with an honor jar.

PJ and Kriss will reach out to Dave Dubin for some more manure for the field.

Fundraising: Pig Roast in the spring, Cross fit fundraising opportunities, Flower sales,

Egg Hunt- We really need to work out the system, this was a really profitable event we just need to work out the process and have way more eggs. We want this to be an enjoyable event for all.

The girls that are helping with the grant writing would like to do a survey of the Community to see what type of events and equipment they would like to see up at the farm for events and classes. The group voted and all members said yes.

The CR is still a work in progress. Krista Collins from Sudbury Land Trustees is helping in the process. She is a protection Specialist.

Meeting ended at 8:32