

Special Select Board Meeting  
Town of Plainfield  
August 22, 2017, 6 pm

Present were Select Board members Betsy Ziegler and Sasha Thayer. Also present were Paula Emery, and for a portion of the meeting Kathleen Hayes, John Harrison and Michael Billingsley.

The meeting was called to order at 6:10 pm. The focus of the meeting was Old Home Days preparation and planning.

Variety show: Being coordinated by John Harrison and Owen Bradley. They already have a number of individuals committed to participating in the Old Home Days Revue ranging from music to comedy and storytelling and poetry.

Parade: Paula Emery will coordinate the parade at the Park and Ride on Saturday morning. Area businesses including the Plainfield Coop and Farnham's Maple Syrup and Black Bear Biodiesel are expected to be part of the fair, along with folks from the Cutler Memorial Library, Twin Valley Senior Center, the Fire and Rescue Department, the Hazard Mitigation Ctee with their banner, people on horses, musicians, members Twinfield sports teams possibly people with dogs.

Sasha will contact our legislative delegation to see if they would be willing to be part of the parade.

Rec Field:

Tent: Betsy has arranged for a 20 x 20 tent for folks to sit under. Need someone to pick up the tent in St. Johnsbury on Friday, Sept. 8 and to help put it up, Friday evening. Also need someone to get chairs and tables from the Town Hall and/or from the church.

Music at the rec field on Saturday: John Harrison is also coordinating music at the rec field, including the Twinfield Jazz Band, Araña, and Swedish Fiddlers. John has made the arrangements for the PA from Twinfield to be used at the Rec Field on Saturday.

Old Home Days Tentative schedule:

8:30 am	Fitness Walk with Town Clerk Linda Wells - starting at the Red Field
9 am - 2 pm	Yard Sale at the Methodist Church
10 am	Parade lineup at the Park and Ride
11 am	Parade
Noon-1:30	Chicken Barbeque and Music at Rec Field
11:45 - 2 pm	Activities at the Rec Field Bike smoothies Duck Race Pony rides and tricks
1 pm	Pie slice sale
1:30 pm	Volleyball

1:30 pm Street Tree Walk with Niko Rubin  
2:30 or 3 pm Invasives Plant Walk with Rose Paul and George Springsten  
4 pm Historical walking tour - start at Mill St Park

Sasha will check in with Leatrice Potter and/or Judy Dix re whether they are all set or need help.

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