

EASTON CEMETERY COMMITTEE
REGULAR MEETING
Wednesday, May 13, 2015 7:00 PM
Minutes

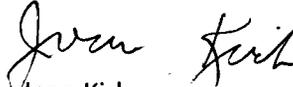
Present: Phil Doremus, Gary Haines, Joan Kirk (ex-officio) Ray Longo
Absent: Wayne Lyon, Shaun Malay

Meeting was called to order at 7:08 PM by Chairman, Gary Haines.

1. Review and approve minutes from the Regular Meeting on April 8, 2015
Changes: Item 1, **eliminate Shaun Malay from welcome**. Correct spelling of stone company is **Ontra**. Item 6, regarding ironwork add cemetery **gate** restoration. Approved as corrected (Ray/Phil)
Update on Lyon Cemetery by Wayne Lyon
Gary left a message with the Public Works regarding removal of the ash tree. No response at this time.
2. Update on Center Street Cemetery ("Potter's Field" memorial and gate repair)
The only location we have for this field is Drew King's research of an 18 by 18 foot plot owned by the town. Phil said we should mark the spot at the top of the knoll and acknowledge that it is somewhere in this area.
Gary wants more updated photos of what we have accomplished and post them on the website.
3. Update on Gilberttown headstone setting and repairs
The workday on April 25 was attended by Ray, Drew and Gary. A summary of what was accomplished is attached. Gary to check the correct spelling of **Merwin**.
4. Update on tree work
Waiting for UI to cut down the Ash tree at Gilberttown.
5. Next workday discussion (May 30th/31st)
May 30th was the date determined for the workday at Gilberttown from 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM. The date is based on availability of workers.
6. Other business
Cheryl Norton received permission to photograph stones in Den Cemetery. More updated photos to be done in Gilberttown Cemetery.
Joan Kirk to contact Mr. MCGuire to put a flag in Lyons Cemetery, at the veteran's gravesite where the newest marker was placed.
Phil would like to have the names of all the vets in our cemeteries.

Motion to adjourn at 7:35 PM (Phil/Ray).

Submitted by:


Joan Kirk
Recording Secretary

WORKDAY SUMMARY

April 25, 2015

Gilbertown Cemetery

Reset:

Simeon Fanton

Hannah w/o Simeon Fanton

Lyman Merwin

Hannah w/o Lyman Merwin

Found footstones for:

Orlando Perry (Father)

Clarissa Perry (Mother)

Lavinia Perry (Daughter)

Found these three footstones while digging out Simeon Fanton's tombstone. Also found the three bases for the three footstones. One of the bases was visible at ground level the other two were below ground. The two below ground were reset the third one has to be raised and reset.

Also, found the footstones for Sarah Banks, D/O Hezekiah and Ruhamah Banks while digging up the Lyman Merwin tombstone. Also found the footstone for Grizzle Murwin, W/O David Murwin while digging up the Hannah Merwin tombstone.

Also moved the Yucca plant in the Osborn family plot.