

Board of Directors Meeting
Kingston Lake (Great Pond) Association
January 25, 2023 @ 7:00 PM
Kingston Community Library
Minutes

7:00

- Call to Order – Muriel Ingalls
- Secretary’s Report – Muriel submitted the minutes for 10/26/22
- Treasurer’s Report – Ben Bixby- Cash available \$4565. Reserve Fund -\$10,000 and Operating Budget-\$1894. 38 family memberships.

Members present: Betsey Bixby, Linda Corson, Rick Russman, Walter Roy, Betty Wright, Holly Quellette and Muriel Ingalls

Old Business from the October meeting

1. Use Tori at the town Hall to locate home owners and their addresses of folks around the lake. This is a to do item.
2. We are committed to improving the Regatta with course markers and publicity.

New Business

- Status on Watershed Grant through Camp Lincoln. Bell Environmentalists submitted the only proposal in the Request for Proposals as put forth by the Select Board. They will be voting on this proposal at their next meeting. Steering Committee meetings will begin in February.
- Update on Web site. Website is up to date.
- Timeline of Events
Feb- Lake Host Grant writing. March 14 election. May 14 State Park Clean Up. June 20 water sampling. June Membership meeting – June 28 speaker is Lisa Loosigian and her presentation is called “Soak Up the Rain”. July 18 water sampling. Regatta July 31. August 15 Water Sampling. September 19 water sampling.
- March 14 election – We agreed to have a Garden Basket Raffle for March 14. We will all bring a garden item i.e., seeds, tools, gloves etc. for the garden basket. Folks who would like to donate to this basket may leave their items with Holly at the Town Hall. Tickets 1 for 3:00, 3 for \$5. Muriel will reach out to Ellen Faulkner to request table space at the town election. We will need table coverage. Feb 4 is the deliberative session for warrant articles. Kingston Days 9/8,9 10.
- Kingston Days moved to September 8,9 10- Plan to have a table and sell Lake Calendars 2024. We will need table coverage.
- Fund raising activities for 2023 We plan to put a Lakes Calendar together for 2024 and sell them at Kingston Days. We will invite folks to submit their lake pictures to dmingalls@comcast.net. These can be pictures of the many lakes and ponds in Kingston; Kingston Lake or Great Pond, Greenwood Lake, County

Pond, Pow Wow Pond, Half Moon Pond. An idea for the future was a Trails Map of Kingston.

- Update on Planning Board issues with gas stations in aquifer Protection Zone. The Court found in favor of Summit on all counts. There are still many pending issues. We must work to support the new amendments to the zoning laws that will deny gas stations in the aquifer protection districts. Letters to the editor are needed before March 14. More info to follow on the zoning law amendments.
- There are many openings on the various town boards. Filling deadline is 2/3/23.

Next meeting – February 22, 2023

Adjourn at 7:50 PM