

Lee Heritage Commission Minutes September 16, 2021

Present: Pat Jenkins, Scott Bugbee, Denis Hambucken, Cord Blomquist, Laura Gund.

Minutes: The minutes of August 19, 2021 were approved as read and unanimously accepted.

Treasurer's report: There have been no changes in the Treasurer's Report

Layne Barn: The Rothwells now own this property and they would like a Heritage Commission sign on the barn, but we need to know the date when it was built.

Lee Room in Bath, England: Through some fine detective work, it was learned that the "room" in England came from the farm house on Thurston land (now Thurston Woods). George Walker, former Lee resident, knew where the house had been and showed Pat a clump of trees that he felt was where the house was located. Former Lee resident, Chet Cole, lived on Thurston properties years ago. He is now in Barrington (daughter Shannon Cole) and Pat has been trying to reach him. There was some discussion as to how and why the Lee Room was moved. Denis will contact someone in England to see if he can find further information.

Calendars: Cord will work on this over the week-end and hopes to get an opportunity to go to Thurston Woods for some photos.

Future plans: Discussed possible future projects. We are a sponsor of the Lee trees project, another Sustainability Committee undertaking.

Archives: We have discussed in the past and should follow through on finding someone to document what we have available. Pat will call Randy Stevens to see if he would be interested in working on our historical records.

Easement walks: We set a tentative date of October 11th and will call Brian Ferguson and the Coxes.

Next meeting will be October 21, 2021.

Minutes submitted by Laura Gund