

# Bandstand Committee Meeting

Minutes of January 15, 2020

**Committee Members Present:** Bob Modr, Chris Hall, Candi Hine, Bill Muldoon, Rick Meisenbach, and Gina Perow. With Dave Chipman.

**Call to Order:** The meeting was called to order at 10:12 am. The minutes from the January 6, 2020 meeting were approved unanimously. The following items were discussed:

**Concert Performers:** Chris checked on the availability of Noel Paul Stookey, and found that he is probably beyond our means.

**July 16 Concert:** Rick reported that the three fire departments are very enthusiastic about having a local musicians' concert for their benefit. They are willing to get mailings out and make phone calls and "really get things going". Some Committee members (say, three) need to go make presentations to the fire department boards. Rick will set up these meetings.

We could call this concert, say, "Fire Up Harpswell", perhaps start earlier (like 5:00), and have around five groups to perform. We could have at least one group from each of the sections of Harpswell. Candi suggested an alternate idea: to have Dave Rowe, who has a folk group of guitar and piano, perform. Rowe could also be the headline act of this concert. Candi will contact Dave Rowe.

Another possibility is to have a food truck, or have some local organization provide hamburgers, hot dogs, sodas and chips. Or maybe the fire departments can set up barbecues.

**Absences:** Several Committee members will be away during the next couple of months. Bryan will be gone for three weeks starting on January 21. Bill will be away from January 23 until early April. And Rick will be absent from mid-February to mid-March. We will need to plan our meetings accordingly.

**Adjournment:** The meeting was adjourned at 10:58 am.

**Next Regularly Scheduled Meeting:** Wednesday February 5, 2020, at 10:00am.

**Please advise Bob if you cannot attend.**

Respectfully submitted, Chris Hall, Secretary