

# TALES OF TINMOUTH

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**Editors' Notes:** The deadline for submissions is the 20<sup>th</sup> of the month, for publication on the 1<sup>st</sup> of the following month. Please email your information to *Tales of Tinmouth* (tinmouthtales@gmail.com) or drop it off at the Town Office. Any submissions missing the cutoff date may be included in the following month.

*Pat Psholka and Helen Mango*

## ~ Planning for Our Public Works Facilities ~

*By Cathy Reynolds for the Select Board*

The Select Board has hired Otter Creek Engineering to develop a master plan for our Transfer Station and Town Garage. We are also looking at the need for a salt and sand shed and have applied for a grant. Our facility is in need of upgrades and we have a large scope ahead of us. Your feedback is important and welcome.

Stop by the Town Office to see the two proposed ideas that were presented to the Town as potential site plans. We are also working on a third alternate based on additional feedback from the Road Crew and the anticipated size of a sand/salt shed. We will sketch this up and have it at the Town Office soon.

We appreciate receiving your thoughts in writing. You can leave them at the Town office or email [tinmouthtown@vermontel.net](mailto:tinmouthtown@vermontel.net) and your comments will be printed to be presented to the Select Board at our next meeting. Alternatively, all are welcome to come to the next Select Board meeting to provide feedback in person. It will be September 14 at 7.

A reminder from the Zoning Administrator – a permit is required for any new construction or change of use. You don't need a permit to tear something down (such as removing a deck) but you do need a permit to replace it.

If you own property on Tinmouth Pond, the state has Shoreline Regulations for the first 250 feet from the water that requires permits. The Town's Lakeshore District also requires permits. Yes, you may need two permits.

The State of Vermont has jurisdiction over septic systems as well.

Thank you for your cooperation. Any questions or if you need a permit, please contact Zoning Administrator Gail Fallar at the town office. 446-2498.



## The 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Town-wide Tinmouth Tag Sale Saturday September 2<sup>nd</sup> from 8 a.m. – 2 p.m.

**Rain or Shine**

Once again, Tinmouth is going to have tag sales the Saturday of Labor Day weekend. This event has been an opportunity to turn your unwanted items into cash and make someone else smile. Start pulling out those treasures now and imagine what you might do with the extra cash you earn! Why not sell it at the 5th Annual Tinmouth Town-Wide Tag Sale?

There will be a yard sign for each location, and the yard sign will be available near the end of the week before the event outside the Town Office. Sale location maps can be emailed by request or picked up at the Town Office a few days before the event.

Questions? Call either Sherry Johnson 446-3307 or Tracey Byford at 446-2633. If you'd like to sign up to have your tag sale placed on the map; please email your location to [charles.bronk@gmail.com](mailto:charles.bronk@gmail.com).



A message from your local Tinmouth Fire Fighters- In an event of a emergency situation. Please follow in order

1. Call 911.
2. If you get NO response, (911 is down) then call the Fire Station at 446-2460.
3. If you cannot reach the Fire Station, drive to the Fire Station.
4. Ask a neighbor if you cannot get to the Fire Station.

Remember our Fire Fighters are volunteers, and the Fire Station is not normally staffed.

## Calendar of Events

### SEPTEMBER

Town Wide Tag Sales	Saturday	2 <sup>nd</sup>	8 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.	All Over Town!!
Town Office	Saturday	2 <sup>nd</sup>	CLOSED	
Town Office/Library	Monday	4 <sup>th</sup>	CLOSED for Labor Day	
Fire Department	Thursday	7 <sup>th</sup>	7:00 p.m.	Fire House
Concert	Friday	8 <sup>th</sup>	7:30	Old Fire House
Library Open	Saturday	9 <sup>th</sup>	9 - noon	Library
Writing Group	Sunday	10 <sup>th</sup>	1:30 p.m.	Library
Select Board	Thursday	14 <sup>th</sup>	7:00 p.m.	Town Office
SB Hearing for Town Plan	Thursday	11 <sup>th</sup>	7:00 p.m.	Town Office
Book Discussion	Sunday	17 <sup>th</sup>	3:00	Snack Bar
Fire Department Training	Tuesday	19 <sup>th</sup>	7:00	Fire House
<i>Tales of Tinmouth</i> Deadline	Wednesday	20 <sup>th</sup>		Don't Miss It!
Planning Commission	Thursday	21 <sup>st</sup>	7:30	Town Office
Concert	Friday	22 <sup>nd</sup>	7:30	Old Fire House
Fund Raiser for Barrett Family	Saturday	30 <sup>th</sup>	11:00 a.m.	Community Center

### OCTOBER

Fire Department	Thursday	5 <sup>th</sup>	7:00 p.m.	Fire House
Library Open	Saturday	7 <sup>th</sup>	9:00-noon	Library
Select Board	Thursday	12 <sup>th</sup>	6:00 p.m.	Town Office
Concert	Friday	13 <sup>th</sup>	7:30	Old Fire House
Writing Group	Sunday	TBA	1:30	Library
Conservation Commission	Monday	16 <sup>th</sup>	7:30	Town Office - Upstairs
Fire Department Training	Tuesday	17 <sup>th</sup>	7:00 p.m.	Fire House
Book Discussion	Sunday	TBA	3:00	Library
<i>Tales of Tinmouth</i> Deadline	Wednesday	20 <sup>th</sup>		Don't Miss It!
Concert	Saturday	28 <sup>th</sup>	7:30	Old Fire House

Sunday Church Service 9:00 a.m. ~ *All are welcome!*

*Transfer Station hours are Wednesday 4:00 - 7:00 pm & Saturday 8:00 am - noon.*

Library Hours ~ Monday 9:30-noon & 1-5 and Thursday 9:30-noon

Special Saturday Library Hours September 9<sup>th</sup> 9-12 (second Saturday this month)

*Fun "non-competitive" Volleyball on Tuesday evenings at 7:00 pm.*

Knit, Craft or Chat Mondays 3 p.m. – 5 p.m. Library

Bone Builders Tuesday 10-11 am and Friday 9-10 am Library-Free

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TINMOUTH  
CHURCH

Everyone Is Welcome in This  
Community of Worship and Faith

#### TINMOUTH COMMUNITY CHURCH

**Sunday Service – 9:00 a.m.**  
 Rev. Shirley Oskamp, Pastor

*Open Minds, Open Hearts, Open Doors*

**Front Porch Forum ~  
Connect with your Tinmouth Neighbors**

Need to say something to your neighbors between the publication of *Tales* issues? or to send out a timely announcement? Agendas for meetings are usually posted as well as changes to meeting dates and times. You can use Front Porch Forum. Announcements are usually sent out the next day to everyone who has signed up.

To sign up, go to <http://FrontPorchForum.com>. Or stop by the town office to sign up!! 200+ households have signed to date! Good way to discuss community issues, sell a canoe, give away a kitten, etc.. If you are a second homeowner please use your 911 address. Just another way to stay connected.



**~ Bone Builders ~  
by Sherry Johnson**

When followed diligently, the Bone Builders program and exercises can help the body to increase bone density and reverse the effects of osteoporosis.

The Tinmouth Bone Builders has started meeting **Tuesdays from 10 – 11 a.m., and Fridays 9 – 10 a.m.**

Please note the different times depending on the day. We meet at the Tinmouth Library. This program is available to everyone free of charge. All you need to bring is yourself and wear sneakers, loose fitting clothing and water. Weighs will be provided so you do not need to buy or bring them. We welcome anyone who would like to help decrease bone loss.

For more information, feel free to stop at the Library and talk to Ruth Drachman, our librarian, or email Sherry Johnson at [vtsjohnson@icloud.com](mailto:vtsjohnson@icloud.com).

**~ Tinmouth Scholarship Fund ~**

Thank you to the following people who recently made donations to the Tinmouth Scholarship Fund: **Art and Gene Usher, Tim and Joanne Longergan, Vic and Beth Rickman, Elizabeth and Gavin Leckie, Ruth Drachman and several anonymous donors.** *Many thanks to you all.*

Here is a link to a donation form for the Tinmouth Community Fund:

<http://www.tinmouthvt.org/community-fund/>  
Scroll down to funding to download donation forms. The Scholars of Tinmouth thank you all for your continued support.



**~ Library News ~  
by Ruth Drachman**

**Thank you so very much to everyone who made our book sale successful!!** This is our major fundraiser of the year and provides money for the purchase of new books and books on CD for adults and children. Thank you to the people who donated the books, who sorted and cleaned the books, carried the boxes of books, sold the books, bought the books, and READ the books.

Our **Book Discussion group** will meet on **Sunday, September 17<sup>th</sup>** at the Snack Bar in Tinmouth to discuss the “Vermont Reads” book, *Brown Girl Dreaming* by Jacqueline Woodson. We will meet at our usual time, 3 P. M., and dessert will be served. The library received a grant and has free copies of the book. You are all welcome to come and get one.

**Writing group** will meet on **Sunday, September 10<sup>th</sup> at the Library at 1:30.**

Come to the library to **KNIT and CHAT**, or just chat, or crochet, or whatever handwork you enjoy.....on **Monday afternoons at 3 PM until about 5 PM.**

The library is open on Monday and Thursday, from 10:00 a.m. until Noon and from 1:00 p.m. until 5:00 p. m., and the morning of the first Saturday of the month. Except this month it will be open on the second Saturday, the 9<sup>th</sup>.

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**Get Well Wishes** are sent to **Jamie Edmunds.**

Heartfelt sympathies are sent to family and friends of **Jim Barrett**, and to **Barry Cohen** for the loss of his mother.

Welcome to Tinmouth’s newest arrival, **Ryker Franklin Carmen**, son of **Whitney Rose Carmen** was born on July 26<sup>th</sup>. Proud grandparents **Frank and Andrea Carmen** and great-grandmother **Carol Baker.** He joins a big brother.

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# Barrett Fundraiser

**Please Join Us:  
Saturday, September 30, 2017 at  
Tinmouth Community Center  
Doors open at 11:00am  
Drawing begins at 1:00pm  
\$5 for every sheet of tickets  
\$2 for each additional ticket**

**50/50 and gun raffle will be raffled separately  
Gun Raffle: New with tags  
Ruger American 30.06 bolt action with a scope**

**Donations also welcome through GoFundMe [James Barrett Memorial Fund](#)**

## **Proceeds Benefit:**



On July 31, 2017, James Barrett passed away at Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center at the age of 45 after spending eight weeks in the intensive care unit fighting a courageous battle for his life.

James had been hospitalized many times over the past few years due to a serious heart condition. The countless procedures and medications required to treat his condition, have placed a sizable financial burden on his family.

James leaves behind his wife Lisa and their twelve year old son Jimmy. James wanted nothing more than to provide a bright future for Lisa and Jimmy. He also wanted to establish a college fund for Jimmy.

**Cannot make it and want to make a donation, please contact Jody Buffum 802-446-3611, Ingrid Lepley 802-446-2900 [hikings@vermontel.net](mailto:hikings@vermontel.net) or Carrie Gynan 802-235-1502**

~ **School News** ~

*By Maureen Fitzgerald-Riker, Principal*

To the Tinmouth Community;

The summer is quickly slipping away and the start of the 2017-18 school year is already upon us. There have been several changes that I would like to share with you including new faculty members, class configurations, several exciting program changes, and new school start times.

Tinmouth School has several new teachers this year. Ms. Pagano replaced Ms. Kay, who retired. Ms. Pagano worked as a special educator at Wallingford Elementary last year and is teaching a combined kindergarten/first grade class. Our former art teacher, Ms. MacDonald, is now at Clarendon Elementary where she has increased the number of days she works for the district. Our new art teacher is Jessica Perkins, who works at Tinmouth on Tuesdays. She is also working at Wallingford Elementary and Shrewsbury Mountain School. Dan Seiden, who currently teaches at Wallingford Elementary, is teaching music, band and chorus at Tinmouth on Thursdays.

Additionally, we have a second music, band and chorus teacher, Jon Stratton. Jon is teaching on Mondays at Tinmouth. He is new to the district and we share him with Shrewsbury Mountain School. Tracey Tinsley is our health teacher on Tuesday afternoons. Paula Reynolds is our physical education teacher on Mondays and half-days on Fridays. Paula works at Clarendon Elementary and Shrewsbury Elementary as well. Joe Bertelloni is our technology and library instructor on Wednesday afternoons. Finally, Cheryl Balfour is working mornings as a para-educator primarily with our kindergarteners and first graders.

The class configurations are as follows:

PreK (3 & 4 year olds): Ms. Edge (Ms. Deppert – Para-educator)

Kindergarten/First Grade: Ms. Pagano (Ms. Balfour – Para-educator)

Second/Third Grade: Ms. Coupe

Fourth/Fifth/Sixth Grade: Ms. Wetzler

This year, 3-year-olds are attending PreK on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday mornings. Although we offered full-time PreK last year, we discovered that the 3-year-old students had difficulty attending the entire day. It's too long a time period in a structured, play-based program for these young scholars.

There are a few program tweaks and changes that will be initiated throughout the school year. One of the most exciting changes is the return of the Four Winds Program. This program is a nature-based science program that incorporates the belief that children learn by "doing." Community members trained by the Four Winds Institute

will teach lessons once a month. We are fortunate to have naturalist and educator Nelson Jaquay coordinate this program. We could use a few more instructors. If you are interested in helping children develop a connection with the natural world, please call me at 446-2458 or touch base with Nelson Jaquay. In the upcoming year, time and teachers have been allocated to ensure everyone participates in chorus and band. With our new band teachers, Mr. Stratton and Mr. Seiden, on board, the Tinmouth School Band and Chorus now have the opportunity to hold concerts for the community throughout the year!

Students are also designing individual performance-based learning (PBL) projects that they will share with parents at student-led conferences. These are inquiry projects where children learn by asking questions and designing hands-on activities (with teacher guidance) intended to answer their questions. Students are encouraged to interview our local community experts to find answers to their inquiries. PBL is not only more engaging to children but encourages children to be independent critical thinkers who can connect what they learn at school with the broader world around them.

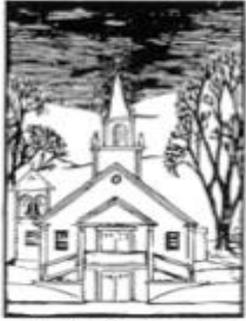
As noted in the previous issue of Tales, designing district bus schedules was challenging due to a statewide shortage of bus drivers. The schedule was solidified in August. The Tinmouth bus arrives at school each morning at 7:40 a.m. and departs at 3:15 p.m. in the afternoon. Children who do not travel on the school bus may be dropped off at school no sooner than 7:40 a.m. School starts at 8:00 a.m. and dismissal is at 3:00 p.m.

This year, school started on Wednesday, August 30th. The Tinmouth Parents Club serves a complimentary breakfast to the entire school in the Community Center on opening day. The Parents Club will also provide hip-hop dancing with an instructor from Cobra gymnastics to celebrate our first day back!

Each year, Tinmouth School addresses numerous transitions at the start of the school year. This year we welcome the opportunity to work with new faculty members and programs. Additionally, we are seamlessly meeting the challenges of changing class configurations, bus schedules, and start times. The school year is off to a good start! Thank you as always for your ongoing community support!

**Hunting and Fishing Licenses are available at  
the Town Office.  
The town receives \$1.50 for each license sold!**

## Tinmouth Community Church



TINMOUTH  
CHURCH

Dear Friends,

This Monday started off like any other week, with my yoga class where I encouraged my body to stretch and where I was encouraged to pay attention to the infinitesimal details of how various muscles and ligaments moved (or didn't). But afterward, Gary and I drove off to Castleton chasing the sun, or to

be more accurate, in search of a way to safely view the imminent solar eclipse.

We pulled into the parking lot at Castleton University near the small planetarium where there were already at least 100 people gathered. The Green Mountain Astronomy Club had set up four telescopes with special filtering lenses and already a long line snaked its way across the grass to that particular tent. As we approached, a couple asked if we would like to use their special eclipse viewing glasses to take a look at the sun. The astronomy club was urging people to share glasses they said, encouraging newcomers to just tap someone on the shoulder and ask if they could borrow theirs for a moment.

Not only did this tactic work, but it helped to create a festive and communal atmosphere among the crowd. People were smiling, sharing glasses and stories, showing off their homemade devices crafted out of old cereal boxes or colanders or in one case, a pair of binoculars embedded backwards in a large cardboard box lid and held a couple feet above a white sheet of paper where the image of the sun appeared. We discovered that Gary's straw hat left perfectly shaped little eclipse light shadows on his shirt, and had fun sharing that with the people waiting in line with us. Strangers talked and smiled and were at ease with one another. It was a wonderful gathering, and we left smiling, lighthearted and feeling that we had participated in something very special.

It seems that we weren't the only ones to feel this way. The day after the eclipse I noticed several articles in the New York Times and other news and commentary sources that I regularly follow mused about the sense of community that was a strong thread running through Monday's eclipse viewing gatherings across the country. I think we all needed this. We needed to come together to celebrate and experience something that we all had in common. We needed to share smiles and stories and eclipse glasses with one another without worrying about the politics or religion of it and whether or not we could agree on it.

We all saw the same thing, a very simple image of the bright circle of the sun being swallowed up by the shadow of the moon, and even though it was simple we

kept passing the glasses around exclaiming about the changes, asking if the person next to us noticed the difference from just a minute or two ago. The camaraderie was just what the doctor ordered for what is ailing us, a good dose of community spirit, of shared lighthearted celebration. In Castleton the crowd cheered at the height of the eclipse, and it felt to me like we just might have been cheering about the shared experience even more than we were cheering for the sun or moon or their beautiful dance in the sky.

As many of us discovered on Monday, life takes on a special quality when it is shared. The simplest pleasures deepen into something that seems much bigger than what we can see at face value. I invite you to remember that you are always welcome to come and share an hour of worship at the Tinmouth Community Church at 9am on Sunday mornings, followed by community fellowship and delicious food afterward.

*Blessings,  
Shirley*



Patty Yoder, *Bailey has the Ball*, 2004. Wool and cotton, 65 1/4 x 66 in. Gift of the Yoder Family, 2016-3.8. Photograph by Andy Duback.

~ **Hooked on Patty Yoder** ~

Shelburne Museum, Colgate Gallery,  
Pizzagalli Center for Art and Education  
**September 30, 2017 - January 21, 2018**

Bringing together the artist's first and last works alongside preparatory sketches and other ephemera, *Hooked on Patty Yoder* surveys the 13-year career of American rug hooker Patty Yoder (1943-2005).

Best known for her beguiling *Alphabet of Sheep* (2003), Yoder conceived of her designs as "paintings with wool to be hung and enjoyed as art." Exacting attention to color, composition, and technique, paired with Patty's penchant for high visual standards and whimsical designs, truly sets her work as a new standard within the field of American textile arts.

~ Letter to the Editor ~

## Morgan or Darling/Rising Cemetery

By Dawn Hance

When many of you pass along Route 140 about eight-tenths of a mile east of the Route 133 intersection (Birdsall property), you may be unaware that you are near one of the earliest burial grounds in Tinmouth. It is located up the bank on the north side of the road and is enclosed by a stone wall on two sides. It is known as the Morgan or Darling/ Rising Cemetery.

This burial ground was on the farm of Col. Ebenezer Allen. His brother Seth Allen, who died in 1777, has the earliest stone in town. It was last found in 2002. Col. Allen afterwards sold his farm to Elisha Hamilton. At the March Town Meeting in 1781 it was voted that the Selectmen be directed to apply to Captain Edgerton (Tinmouth Cemetery), Ozem Brewster (Ballard Cemetery) and Elisha Hamilton (Morgan Cemetery) "for a burying place on each of their farms and put them under proper regulation." People were already being interred on these sites. Unfortunately only the old section of the Tinmouth Cemetery was ever deeded to the town.

Last summer Gail Fallar, Janet Muff (see [findagrave.com](http://findagrave.com) for photos of Tinmouth gravestones) and I gingerly picked our way through the Morgan Cemetery avoiding fallen trees and debris. To put it mildly, this cemetery is in a horrible state. Only two stones are still standing. Gail unearthed the Asahel Leete 1791 stone. His son's 1786 death was also etched on the stone. Its location was marked and gently covered with earth to protect the inscription...Several rows of small fieldstones were noted. Several of the stones copied by the DAR years ago are missing.

Since this cemetery was never deeded to the town, but was used by the town, its fate is in limbo. Do we need the owners' permission to access the site? Will they give approval to have it cleaned up? A few chain saws could do wonders. What is their liability? There are Vermont laws that govern both public and private cemeteries when they fall into disrepair.

I have spent several years researching Tinmouth's early history and have a great respect for its founding families and all the hardships they had to endure. I hope others feel the same. We all need to honor the resting places of those who went before us.

**Editor's Note:** *The Birdsalls are willing to help with a clean up. Who would like to organize it or help?*



Old Creamery Celebration – July 15<sup>th</sup>

A couple dozen folks celebrated the new porch on the Old Creamery. The *Better Than Nothing Band* played wonderful music. Grant Reynolds and Gail Fallar gave a brief history of the property and the project, and guest speaker Roland Wilbur (95 years young) entertained folks with stories of the creamery in action as his father was the manager until it closed in the early 1930's. Farmers brought their milk in cans via horse and wagon. The milk was kept cold with ice from the ice house (now gone), as there was no electricity. It was a great afternoon.

## An Afternoon with Marion

By Pat Psholka

Marion Louise Harvey was born at home, in Rutland, VT, on February 4, 1929, the oldest of 3 daughters. Her Harvey family came from England, her mother's family hailed from Canada.

Her childhood activities included working and playing on the family farm, making toys from clay, fishing, dancing at the Grange, collecting and drying Butternuts (with her sister Peggy), collecting match boxes, 4H, reading and learning to play the piano. Her first birthday party was at age 12. For Christmas she received an orange.

In 1987, she was awarded a diploma in writing from a correspondence course.

Marion worked at Rutland Restaurant as a waitress, before she married husband John. Marion and John had a family of 6 (4 boys and 2 girls). Her favorite and most requested recipes include (her famous) scalloped potatoes, donuts and bread.

By now, you have probably guessed that this is Tinmouth's beloved Marion Squier Hambly, author of *Tales of Tinmouth's* "Marion's Musings". We know from her *Tales* articles that (among other things) Marion loves her family, Tinmouth and Tinmouth people, traveling (a lot), the Town Wide Tag Sale and (surprise) the movie Heidi.

Marion played the Tinmouth church organ for 30 years, and also wrote poetry. She and poet son Marshall shared their poems back and forth by mail when Marion lived in Florida.

Her family is her legacy, which includes 6 children, 15 grandchildren and 19 great grandchildren.

## ~Meeting Highlights~

(Complete minutes are available at the town office.)

### Select Board ~ 08/10/17 (6:00 & 7:00)

Present were members Frank Sears, Cathy Reynolds, and Matt Patry, as well as (for one or the other or both meetings) David Eaton, Grant Reynolds, Jo Reynolds, Eric Buffum – Road Commissioner, Craig Jewett – Otter Creek Engineering, Kevin Ruane, Sherry Johnson, Kim Harbaugh, Laurie Phillips, Gary Rygh, Stephan Torres, Hollis Squier, Josh Carvajal – State Stream Alteration Specialist, Michael Fallar – Planning Commission Chair, and Gail Fallar- Board Assistant.

Frank called the meeting to order at 6:04 PM – purpose to meet with engineer regarding creation of a Master Plan for the Town's property that currently includes the town garage and transfer station.

Craig presented options regarding the Master Plan development for the town garage parcel at 537 Route 140. Option A moved the highway facilities to the north of the property – closer to Route 140 and moved the transfer station facilities to the back (traffic is a concern). Option B moved the highway facilities to the old corn field on the western side of the parcel. There was a brief site visit by everyone to look at that area, Eric has brush hogged it as the golden rod was 6 feet tall.

Upon return to the town office, the options were discussed – Eric was asked to consider option B, how it would work (there is no access from Mountain View Road to that side of the lot), roadway issues, power, right of way issues.

Craig advised that the Board should solicit public opinion on both options as the next step and once an option is chosen Otter Creek would provide more details, cost estimates, and a conceptual report. Cathy noted that the project would need to be phased as the town could not afford to do everything conceived at one time.

Board decided to try to get public input at their September 14<sup>th</sup> meeting.

Craig also advised that there was a grant opportunity for a salt/sand shed, but it had a deadline of August 15<sup>th</sup>. He offered his assistance.

That meeting closed and Frank opened the regular monthly Board meeting at 7:01. The agenda was reviewed, added Errors & Omissions request from the Board of Listers, Catering Permit, School Field Trip Fund and the Yoder driveway permit.

Eric reported the road crew is finally starting to get caught up, McCoy Road is nearly done – culverts are in, replace 18" with 24", gravel and ditching before winter. Frank inquired about the culvert just past the red house at the beginning of the road. Eric advised he had inspected it, that it was working, that he might replace the next one up the road. Josh noted that both were undersized, but did not have to be replaced at this time.

Eric noted that the dig-out process for the reclamation project on Route 140 would be starting in the very near

future – inquired where to put the stumps that needed digging out. No answer.

Board inquired about the Class 4 section of Gulf Road and Pent Road. Eric would like to get winter sand hauled and in place before beginning work on them. The Class 4 section of Tinmouth Pond Road also suffered damage in the July 1<sup>st</sup> storm. It was noted that the Pent Road provides access to the Town's Recreation/Forest parcel atop Tinmouth Mountain that is currently only accessible by foot from the Winter Parking area, a long haul. There is a REALLY big hole caused by the washout. Eric had concerns about driving the town trucks up there. He will get to them when he can, making them passable but not perfect.

Board discussed adding a third person to the road crew – vacations can't be taken in the winter, and in the summer that could leave one person working by themselves for three or four weeks. Need to think about and address at budget time in the fall. Full time or part time?

Board advised Eric to set the work schedule as he deemed fit regarding hauling sand, ditching, road repair.

Gary thanked the Board for the meeting that took place on McCoy Road regarding the washout at the upper end. He would like to move the stream so that it crosses McCoy Road in a straight shot – meaning it would go under the town road. (Present at that meeting were: Frank Sears – Select Board; Eric Buffum-Road Commissioner; Josh Carvajal-ANR Stream Alteration Specialist; Gary Rygh – property owner; Keith Hawkins-property manager for Mr. Rygh; Hollis Squier-former road commissioner; and Gail Fallar-Select Board Assistant.)

Stephan, a resident of McCoy Road, noted that he was happy with the repairs to the road, his front yard and his hayfield were filled with stones which he was dealing with, and had concerns about any future flood event.

Josh Carvajal explained his job for the Agency of Natural Resources, what the program strives for, and how it works. He presented sketches/options for how to fix the damage from the July 1<sup>st</sup> cloud burst that would hopefully prevent a re-occurrence.

**Alternative A** – 12' wide squashed culvert on Rygh's section of the road

**Alternative B** – add an overflow pipe using the 36" pipe washed out and to be removed from the previous configuration, pipe will handle overflow if the first culvert can't handle the water

**Alternative C** – 12' wide squashed culvert straight through under the town road, altering location of the stream bed – Town would need to consult VLCT or town attorney to check on legality

**Alternative D** – Town adds a 5' overflow pipe to catch any over flow if water jumps from the private road above and the overflow pipe there can't handle it.

There was much discussion regarding the various alternatives, cost of the 12' wide structure, where it could/should be located, would the town discontinue

more of the road to allow Gary to straighten the stream, other steps the town could take to prevent future damage – a slight dip in the road to move the water to the side, lowering the turn-around (Eric advised these have already been done), who will pay for what. It was noted that the Town has no money, will have to wait to see if FEMA will reimburse for work on the town road. Town road repairs were estimated at \$70,000, for which there was no budget allotment.

Gary decided that he would not chose A, the Select Board decided that they would not/could not allow C. Josh advised that B should be the minimum done. Town will discuss budgeting for D for the next fiscal year.

Josh was thanked for all his hard work and providing the sketches to help sort out alternatives and find a solution.

Michael presented the Board with an updated Town Plan and answered questions regarding flood insurance, Tinmouth Pond, and the Village Center Designation. Michael noted that the PC did much of the work on this update, but that in eight years it would need a major revision. He asked the Board to consider establishing a fund for updating the Town Plan by budgeting \$1,000 or so each year. Board voted to hold a public hearing on September 14<sup>th</sup> on the Town Plan. The Board thanked the Planning Commission for its efforts.

Ramsey Yoder's second driveway permit was discussed, a condition of the permit was that trees needed to be cut for visibility and safety and they have not yet been removed. Board asked Eric to attend to this matter.

Gail advised that Marie Regimbald had called twice with updates regarding moving items out of the town's right of way on East Road, they have made some progress, need a bit more time.

Ron Hill is again piling up garbage on Mountain View Road, has not bought any recent dump tickets.

Church yard snow plowing – Eric spoke with Ryan Deppert – he is fine with plowing it all, Town will sand and push back big piles. Cathy asked Eric to contact Gary Marcy, buildings manager for the school district to make sure he's okay with the extra expense.

Board signed contract for Property Map update with Russell Graphics for \$2,150.

Board approved and signed permit application for the continued use of the SolarBees for Tinmouth Pond.

Board signed license agreement with the state's 251 promotion for use of pictures from the Town's website for a tourism campaign.

Board approved catering license for Roots for a wedding in October.

Gail, as Chair of the Board of Listers, requested Board approval for three (3) Errors and Omissions for the 2017 Grand List. They involve property located in both Tinmouth and Wallingford. Property maps show Scott and Aubrey with land in Wallingford and Taylor's house is actually in Tinmouth. Gail met with Wallingford's Assessor, Lisa Wright, to work out the details.

Board voted to apply for a storm water grant for a salted sand shed, all voted in favor. Cathy volunteered to draft it.

Laurie, as Health Officer, updated the Board on a recent request for a rental inspection and the resulting consequences.

Gail requested approval from the Board to accept the move of the Bill Jenkins School Field Trip Fund to the control of the Town Treasurer. It's a privately funded program to help Tinmouth Elementary School grades 5 & 6 with their annual class trip one year and the whole school to have a field trip the next. She noted that it has been at the town office since it was created several years ago in memory of Bill. Board granted approval.

Gail advised that some local ATVer's would like to discuss using town roads for their four wheeler/all-terrain vehicles. Cathy asked that they bring a specific proposal for certain roads for next month.

Board discussed ways to get feedback regarding the proposed Master Plan work – location of the new town garage, new salted sand shed, transfer station facilities, and possible recreational uses of the southern part of the property. Cathy volunteered to post it on Front Porch Forum and write an article for *Tales of Tinmouth*.

#### **Tinmouth Planning Commission ~ 08/08/17**

Hearing for Town Plan; Hearing for October Hill LLC/NeighborWorks Subdivision; and regular meeting

Present were members Kim Harbaugh, Bob Lloyd, Michael Fallar, Grant Reynolds, and Vito Macaluso, as well as Susan Lloyd, Ed Bove – Executive Director Rutland Regional Planning Commission, Laurie Phillips, Gregg Over and Gene Felder from NeighborWorks/October Hill, and Gail Fallar, Sec.

Michael opened the Hearing for the Town Plan. Discussion concerning adding a revision to the public facilities map to include a Village Center Designation caused a kerfuffle so members paused this hearing to open the Hearing for the October Hill LLC/NeighborWorks subdivision.

Gregg Over presented the final plan, 5.005 acres for each lot, engineer's final drawing regarding the shared septic system, affordable housing covenants will follow the new lots. Michael read the through the subdivision checklist, members noting all had been met or were not applicable in this application.

Laurie Phillips, adjoining landowner across the road, raised concerns with water leaving the development and ponding on her property. She further advised that a vegetative buffer had never been planted as was promised 10 years ago when the project was first proposed. She felt when Bare Naked Pond was filled in that caused the water to enter upon her land.

Gregg advised that there was no water in Bare Naked Pond when it was filled with stumps and other excess

material. The culvert across Mountain View Road was in place before the October Hill Project was proposed. Laurie agreed it had been there for years, but now there was water coming through it.

Members discussed whether this applied to this application, whether an engineer was needed to determine where the water was coming from that is ponding on Laurie's lawn, whether a condition could be added to the permit – Subdivision Regulations clearly state that storm water has to be addressed, etc.

The Hearing was closed. Members returned to this discussion further in the meeting.

The Town Plan Hearing was un-paused. Bob spoke to the Village Center Designation – it is in the Town Plan as a to-do, so he developed the map to include in this update of the Plan. He started with the Historic District and enlarged it to include the Snack Bar, Community Center, and the town's land to the east which includes the town garage and transfer station. He noted it meets the State's definition for a Village Center, reading from the application guidelines. He reminded members that he had spent a good deal of time on the last planning grant application, only to learn that it wasn't approved in large part due to lack of "points", which having a Village Center Designation adds.

Ed advised that the State makes the final determination regarding the actual center area location. He also noted that the Designation provides tax incentives to private property owners to improve and revitalize efforts to maintain a village core. There is also preferential treatment from the State regarding other state regulations. The Designation cannot be applied for without it being in the Town Plan, and as the Town Plan is now being updated and re-adopted, it's the right time to do it. He also advised that it does not require the Town to do anything once the Designation has been approved.

Members voted to add the new facilities map. The Hearing for the Town Plan was closed, Michael will present it to the Select Board at their next meeting.

Bob thanked members for their hard work on the Plan, and members thanked Bob for all his efforts.

Members decided to further discuss the October Hill LLC subdivision application (instead of trying to arrange another meeting). Should the PC advise the Select Board or the Road Commissioner that there is a water problem there? Can anything be done to determine where the water is coming from, can it be diverted somewhere else? Neighbor Works should be encouraged to try to find a solution.

After discussion members voted to approve October Hill LLC/NeighborWorks application (17-01) with a condition: *The applicant shall make every effort to ensure that all storm-water runoff either generated on or passing over the project site be treated, dissipated, and diverted in such a way as not to cause any adverse impact upon adjoining properties or waters of the state.*

Next meeting was set for September 21, 2017.



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**Friday, September 15, 2017 at 8:00 pm**  
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The dance takes place in the Tinmouth Community Center on the third Friday. The Community Center is on Rte 140 in the center of Tinmouth, Vermont 5 miles west of Wallingford. Please bring clean, non-marring shoes. Admission is \$10-\$12, \$8 for teens and free for children 12 and under. Refreshments will be available to benefit the dance fund. More info at [tinmouthcontradance.org](http://tinmouthcontradance.org). Like us on Facebook at Tinmouth Contra Dance. Shine up those dancing shoes and bring a couple of friends to dance with! Our email is [tinmouthdance@gmail.org](mailto:tinmouthdance@gmail.org). We dance every third Friday January through May and September-December, although our November dance is always the Friday after Thanksgiving to accommodate the Game Supper. This is the first dance this fall – Don't miss it. See you in Tinmouth!

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The Tinmouth Community Fund awarded a grant to provide FREE tickets to concerts at the Old Fire House. There are tickets still available for the Fall concerts. They will be handed out on a first come first serve basis.

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More information is available on the town's website – [tinmouthvt.org](http://tinmouthvt.org) or you can visit Old Firehouse's website- [www.facebook.com/TinmouthOldFirehouseConcerts/](http://www.facebook.com/TinmouthOldFirehouseConcerts/)

Any questions, please contact Gail Fallar at [gfallar@vermontel.net](mailto:gfallar@vermontel.net).

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*Jon Gailmor*

**Friday, September 22 ~ Cricket Blue**

Vermont-based folk duo Cricket Blue is inspired by diverse aspects of the American folk tradition: old and current, popular and obscure. Laura Heaberlin and Taylor Smith write songs marked by close-knit harmonies and words about myth, confusion, love, and the ends of things.



*Laura Haerberlin and Taylor Smith*

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*Tim Connell*

**Saturday, October 28 ~ Daddy Long Legs**

Daddy Long Legs is an exciting new band that will be at Tinmouth's Old Firehouse at 7:30 p.m. on Saturday, October 28, a change from our usual Friday nights. The band is the creation of three well known Vermont musicians, Dave Gusakov, Rick Ceballos, and Matt Witten. Infusing catchy folk songs, Celtic and “old-timey” melodies, and early minstrel and jazz pieces with passion and intricacy, Daddy Long Legs is playful and dynamic. The three musicians play fiddle, viola, banjo, gourd banjo, piano, guitar, and percussion, as well as sing. Daddy Long Legs creates vibrant, sensitive and surprising 21st-century folk music.

The Old Firehouse is at Mountain View Road and VT. Route 140 in downtown Tinmouth, between the current firehouse and the Town Office building.

Doors will open at 7 PM, concerts start at 7:30. There is a suggested donation of \$10 to \$15, 90% of which goes to the performers.

Homemade desserts, coffee and tea will be available. Donations for them will help support community activities.

## Recipe Corner



### Zucchini Relish

10 cups chopped zucchini  
4 cups chopped onion  
1 green pepper, chopped  
1 red pepper, chopped  
1/2 tsp. red hot pepper flakes or 1/4 tsp. cayenne (optional)  
5 T. canning salt  
6 cups sugar  
1 t. turmeric  
1 t. dry mustard  
1 T. mustard seed  
1 t. celery seed  
1 quart cider vinegar

Put unpeeled zucchini through the coarse blade of a food grinder to make 10 cups and grind onion to make 4 cups. Grind the 2 peppers. Put vegetables into a non-metallic bowl and sprinkle evenly with the salt and let stand overnight. Next day, drain and rinse with cold water.

Bring cider vinegar to a boil in a large pot. Add sugar, turmeric, dry mustard, mustard seed, celery seed and hot pepper. Add vegetables and stir well. Bring back to a boil and simmer 15 minutes. Fill sterilized canning jars with relish to within 1/4 inch of jar top. Wipe rim clean and cap tightly.

Please remember to send recipes to Shirley Bucceri at [smhb@vermontel.net](mailto:smhb@vermontel.net) or 49 North End Road, Tinmouth, VT 05773



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**SEPTEMBER 23, 2017**

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