

MINUTES OF THE FRIENDS OF LAPHAM PEAK SNOWMAKING COMMITTEE

TUESDAY August 12, 2014

Members present: Sandy Sugden, Rick Bjodstrup, Anne Riendl, Kris Maki, Tom Davenport, Paul Sandgren

Items discussed:

**Finances:** Our present balance is \$57,377.57 with \$3750 expected from the state asap.

**Birch Scroll ad:**

Kris prepared the Birch Scroll ad for publication. Anne projected it and Paul asked if we could change the word "racers" for other venues; racers will remain, however, for the Birch Scroll ad. Tom suggested we skiers instead of racers. Rick gave Kris the contract....she sent it to the Birkie Foundation and the printer on Wednesday.

**Sandy** asked us to prepare a letter to state who we are and what our purpose and focuses are. Kris will send info from other grant requests. Sandy was interested in making a Mission Statement to help bring in more donors who may not know who we are. Sandy also is interested in a new brochure with foci on piping, and more snowguns. She would also like a pie chart showing what our expenses are. Kris will send that to her and Paul so they can divide the expenses into categories.

**2014 ornaments;** John Hallett has finished the design for the 2014 ornament. We decided to order 100 to start. Sandy has a possible metal provider for the ornaments.

**Blizzard Challenge letter:** We reworded parts of the Blizzard Challenge letter for the donors who are NOT Blizzard donors. Paul will print it. Rick submitted a page of Fun Facts based on distance and altitude measurements. Kris will proofread before it is printed.

**Silent Auction :** Sandy said Doris and Mary and Caroline are working with her on the auction. She has a book author and donation from wheel & Sprocket.

Respectfully submitted,

Kris Maki  
Secretary/Treasurer