

Popham 400th

Minutes

June 28, 2007

Attendance:

Bill Murray, *Co-Chair*
Bill Perkins, *Co-Chair*
Jean Scott, *Fundraising*
Brian Murray, *Public Safety*
Caroline Hutchinson, *Popham Circle*
Steve Norris, *Website*
Connie Shiebler, *Programs*
Janet Gilnack, *Popham Circle*

Advertising: Steve Norris produced some beautiful Popham 400th posters for the "Bath Heritage Days" float. Steve and Bill Perkins will construct the float by using the posters as the centerpiece. Brochures will be distributed along the parade route.

Programs: Connie has lined up two bag pipers. They will be participating throughout the program, including with the Bath Municipal Brass Band group.

The Saturday band program is still being pursued. Groups are currently being observed and evaluated by different committee members.

Preliminary discussions concerning the closing ceremony, was to keep it brief with expressions of gratitude to appropriate participants, along with a surprise or two.

Fundraising: Janet Gilnack continues to follow up on solicitation letters. Many business requested additional information. Bill Perkins will make the contacts. Several contributions have been received following the town newsletter.

Public Safety: The Public Safety Committee meeting, held June 27th meeting at the town hall, was not as well attended as the preliminary meeting, but all members present felt prepared for the four-day event.

The next meeting of the Popham 400th Committee is scheduled for Thursday, July 12, 2007, at 7:00 PM, at the Popham Chapel House.

Respectfully Submitted, (Thanks to Bill Perkins notes!)

Diane Racine, Secretary

