

Waterboro Cemetery Committee Meeting  
June 9, 2008

Members Present; Kelly Mayo, Pete Jordan, Jeannie Grant, Donna Mayo  
When; 7:00 p.m.  
Where; the "Big Room", Town Hall

The Agenda;

1. Pete Jordan transferred committee chairmanship to Jeannie Grant. All

present approved the transfer.

Congratulations Jeannie.

2. Stone for Jack Smith discussed. Project is still a work in progress, nothing new to report.
3. Cemetery Fencing; Mr. Abbott is unable to do the 'hooks' on the fence posts anymore. The possibility of Sammy ~~Abbott~~ <sup>Woodson</sup> doing them was discussed. Jeannie will check with him to find out. At next meeting, Pete will bring in a sample of PVC pipe to be considered for use as fencing instead of the steel pipes used now. Will it be cheaper or more feasible to use? Jeannie and Owen will check with Plummer's Hardware to find out price for PVC. Maybe paint them black?
4. The subject of which cemeteries does Russ mow was brought up. Asked Mike, he will check for sure.
5. Pete supplied the dates for the ROTC cemetery cleanups. They are as follows: July 8, 10, 15, 17 (depending on Pete's class), 22, 24, 29 and 31. August 5 and 7. First Cemetery on the list to be done is the Deshon Cemetery. From there they will go to the Porter-Knight Cemetery. Schedule for remaining cemeteries will be discussed at the next meeting.
6. There are 2 Cemetery signs in the Town Hall Basement that need to be hung. They are for the Levi ~~Thing~~ and George ~~Thing~~ Cemeteries. Pete will ask Chuck Kearns to show him how to hang them so he can do them in the future.

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7. Kelly Mayo brought up a couple of cemeteries that she had questions about. The first one was the Hill/Cook Cemetery. While checking it, she discovered that a flag had been placed on William A. Cook's stone, but is not listed on the Veteran sheet. John Cook is listed as a veteran but there is no flag on his stone. Jeannie will check into this. Her next concern was with the Bowdoin Monument. Someone has used this stone for target practice, with a fairly large bullet hole in it. She wondered if it can be repaired. The last cemetery tidbit that she had was that the Allen Cemetery, located on Middle Road, should be listed as being located on Selah Lane, off of Middle Road, left side of driveway, in the field. Someone buried their pet dog just on the edge of the cemetery.
8. Donna Mayo reported that all cemetery adoption papers and reply cards had been mailed out. Some replies had come in. Those that had not replied will be contacted by phone. Of the replies that have been returned, only two have stated that they will not be able to take care of the cemeteries anymore. Those are the Joshua Hill Cemetery and the Johnston Cemetery. Pete Jordan stated that he will take care of the Joshua Hill Cemetery as it is in the area that he takes care of now. Kelly and Donna Mayo will take care of the Johnston Cemetery. A completed and updated report will be ready for the next meeting, with copies for all.
9. Jeannie had Committee Applications for all who were present.  
**REMEMBER!!!!** You must apply and be sworn in every year.
10. Next meeting is scheduled for July 14.
11. Meeting adjourned at 7:45 p.m.