

Underhill Trails Committee
Underhill Town Hall
May 17, 2011

Members present: Carol Butler, Karen McKnight, Howie McRae, Nancy McRae, Theresa Potvin, John Butler (guest)

Minutes of the April 19th meeting were approved. The trail committee's minutes of the April 28th meeting with the selectboard were also approved.

Thank you to Theresa for coordinating the State wetlands and wildlife biologists' visits today to walk the Crane Brook property.

Carol will take responsibility for getting the first article Natalie wrote into the Mountain Villager. She will also talk to Sherrie about including the article in her mailing this month.

Karen suggested we write an article pointing out that all bridges over streams require permits from the town as well as landowner permission. Karen will send rough outline to Natalie. Kari wrote a letter to landowners in 2009; we'll get that forwarded to Natalie and suggest that Kari put letter in Mountain Villager.

Pat sent e-mail re how to develop and manage the trail. Karen heard Julie say that biking was ok, but we may want to restrict it.

There was a discussion of signs and sign material. Carol will talk to Pat about making a few signs that say "Private Property. Please stay on trail"; John volunteered to help. Scouts may be a resource.

Monday, May 23rd, 4:30 PM, we will meet at the Central School and carpool to Irish Settlement Rd. to scope out the trail. Rain date will be Tuesday or Wednesday. Nancy will get flagging tape and see if Kari can blow up the map.

Meeting adjourned at 8:15 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Nancy S. McRae
Secretary