

Newport Historical Society
Fundraising Committee Report for April 8, 2019

- 1) All fundraising efforts are currently focused on the Festival memorabilia that we will provide.
- 2) Our first venue will be Newport Health Center on May 10 from 1 to 3 pm as part of a gathering to honor Dr Schissel and to highlight the ID tags under the photos and the tour guide booklet that Dean put together for them. We will be selling Festival Memorabilia.
- 3) The 2019 Farmers Market will begin on Friday, May 17 and run until October 11. We will have a presence and focus will be on the Festival.
- 4) The airport Open House will be held on Saturday, May 18 where we will also have a table again with CCBF items to sell
- 5) We have also signed up for Chamber Day on June 13 from 10am to 1pm, again highlighting the CCB Festival.
- 6) Memorabilia items include CCB fall and winter ornaments by Joan Dodge, T-shirts using a design by Jim Chrimes, Camp Mugs using the Jim Chrimes image, 3-D wood CCB ornaments/NLE, Etched photo magnet/NLE, Buttons, Suncatchers, 2 note card assortments, 10 different post card images, white mug/Jim Chrimes image (like the Pier Mug), Laminated placemats with 10 bridge photos on front (same photos as note cards)/map showing location of 19 CCB's on back, reprint of Replicating book, Pillows, Remaster of the VHS tape of CCB reconstruction. The book, 19 Covered Bridges of Newport NH, will be ready for the October event. We will also be selling raffle tickets for a CCB puzzle box with puzzle inside and large 3-D CCB both provided by NLE.

Membership Drive:

We currently have 233 paid members. Our reminder letter was mailed in January to those who have not renewed. The 9/30/18 total was 282. We have 49 to go to reach last year's total.

Respectfully submitted,
Jackie Cote, Chair