

Newport Historical Society
Fundraising Committee Report for February 11, 2019

- 1) The last two weeks at Sugar River Bank in December were good. The Friday & Saturday of December 14 & 15 netted sales of \$298 including \$21 in donations. The following and final week of December 21 & 22 netted sales of \$202.50 including \$59 in donations.
- 2) Gallery of Gifts sales this season were \$358.15 for ornaments and \$144.40 for the suncatchers totaling \$502.55.
- 3) Overall, the blue suncatchers are most popular followed by the green.
- 4) I received an email from Joan last week that she had finished and shipped the fall/foliage Corbin Bridge ornaments and is working on the winter scene. We need to order boxes. Currently we have enough bubble wrap.
- 5) Dean has remastered the Corbin Bridge VHS tape. We now have 10 that we can sell.
- 6) We had 5 sets each of brown and green Corbin Covered Bridge coasters. They are packaged 10 to a pack selling for \$5.00. We had the green pack for the last SRB week and sold 1 pack. Ann Stout has since delivered the brown coasters. In January we sold another pack but the color was not listed on the slip.
- 7) Stan will order 50 of the wooden covered bridges from Eric & Kathryn Callum, delivery to be sometime in the next 6 months.

Membership Drive:

We currently have 229 paid members. Our reminder letter was mailed in January to those who have not renewed. The 9/30/18 total was 282. We have 53 to go to reach last year's total.

Respectfully submitted,
Jackie Cote, Chair