

## **Veterans Memorial Committee Meeting**

3/13/2019

- Attendance: Andrea Cox, Sandra Lane, Russ Lane, Lara Sargent, Frank Montuori, Janet Montuori,
- Updates: Andrea reported that the feedback on Facebook has been great. A lot of people have been providing information so we are compiling the list and will eventually put an updated one online. Some pictures have started coming in and the group hopes to get more.
- Town Meeting: The committee will set up a table and bring binders (for people to record veteran info), the park design, a framed picture, new brochure(?) and any other good info for the town meeting.
- Ideas: Sandra suggested having an event at the Learning Center at Pemaquid Point Lighthouse Park to raise awareness and possibly as a fundraiser. This could include presentations (maybe by Chad Hanna), music, etc. A yard sale would also be a great way to raise money for the project – this could be done right at Ellingwood where people could see where the Riverwalk will be. A table at Olde Bristol Days would be a great idea too. Students at BCS could make thank you cards to give out to veterans at our Memorial Day celebration. The raffle that took place at the school was a success and the group thought that might be a good idea to raise money for the Veterans Memorial.
- Next Steps:
1. Complete a cost estimate (next meeting)
  2. Plan the Memorial Day celebration (next meeting)
  3. Oaths – committee members will stop by the town office
  4. Thank you notes – bring thank you cards to next meeting
  5. See what is in the New Harbor firehouse from the VFW
- Next Meeting: 4/10/2019