

The May 16, 2013 meeting of the Norton Democratic Town Committee was held at Emma's Restaurant in Norton.

Chairperson, Barbara Kaplan, opened the meeting at 7:00pm.

There were 12 present, including Bill and Cynthia, our special guests.

Introductions were made all around.

We heard that Joe Kennedy is sponsoring a gun safety bill; the Geller's told of their trip to Washington and their nice experience meeting with Joe Kennedy.

We had a moment of silence for those killed and hurt in the Boston bombings.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and accepted.

Report of Officers:

Ken: reported that he sent out notice of our meeting

Bill: treasury balance \$837. \$500. Is slated for Scholarship presentation

Susan: need some ideas for fundraising with smaller committees to brainstorm, ideas should be run by the chairperson

Carolyn: breaching out to Wheaton students and faculty

Old Business:

Scholarship fund- Susan worked tirelessly to get everything done.

We talked about the Markey campaign - Colin Blair is the point person in Attleboro. There's a GOTV meeting Saturday at 11:30 at Dunkin Donuts on North Main St. Learned about hub dialing from Lori

Susan asked us to look over her NDTTC brochure with any revisions.

Bill Gouveia, Norton Town Moderator, gave us an overview of our local politics. He suggested we do a short (5 minute) spot on cable tv talking about our committee.

Let the Selectmen know we would like to help them achieve their goals.

Most important subjects are : schools, 40b as it relates to schools, neighborhood topics .
The next meeting will be held at a barbeque at Susan's home. Date tbd.

Meeting concluded at 8:30

Respectfully submitted
Mimi Parvey, Secretary