

Newsletter and Program Report 07.12.2020

Newsletters: I think we need another newsletter around August 9th to give details about the Annual meeting, to maintain contact with our members and continue to give them more educational information. I will need all information and articles **by August 4th**.

I think there was a good mix of information in our last newsletter and hope to have more similar articles this time. I already have one from Brian on Open Space and Conservation Restrictions that didn't fit last time.

On the website I noted that the only available Newsletters are from 2019 and 2020, I think there is good information in earlier editions and would like to see more issues available on the website. Can we discuss how far back we should have available on Monday Night?

Programs: I contacted Rachel Calderara at Wildlands about rescheduling Melissa Ferretti's program on local Wampanoag culture and stewardship of the land. She replied:

Right now we do not have any plans to open the Community Conservation Barn for in-person programming, however we have been offering virtual programming via Zoom which has gone really well. I would love the opportunity to work with you on getting Melissa on the Wildlands and HPWA calendars for a virtual program if she's interested!

How does the Board feel about this if Melissa is willing? Or do you think we should wait until we can have an in person presentation?

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