

**Danby Community Council  
Minutes of Board of Directors' Meeting**

**June 12, 2014  
Danby Town Hall, 7:00 PM**

**Board members present:** Alison Christie, Julie Clougherty, Gould Colman, Ted Crane, Katharine Hunter

**Absent:** Maya Patt

**Others present:** Dave Sanders

**Youth Program:** Dave Sanders reported on numbers of youth, concentrations of youth in sections of Danby and in other communities and continuing ways to engage youth in programs. He brought copies of Needs Assessment surveys. Dave and the committee members discussed the use of surveys and best outcomes in numbers of returned surveys. We discussed the inclusion of several of the topics in the survey and how they might be addressed to youth and parent or adults in the community for best data.

Surveys will be available for Danby Fun Day, July 12, 2014, and in Town Hall. There was some discussion about other ways to get the surveys out via newsletter, random and targeted sampling.

Alison reported on topics from West Danby including the successful Egg Hunt and festivities and the West Danby Picnic September 6, 2014 at 1 p.m. She brought concerns from some residents about the Mobile Food Pantry and its non delivery during two months because of conflicts with delivery on holidays.

**Youth Grants:** Julie reported on applications for Youth Grants. One family applied for second quarter. \$700 first quarter, \$100 second quarter. \$2500 total available for Youth Grants.

**Treasurer's Report:** Julie distributed a YTD report.

**Concerts:** Ideas for future concerts: Barbershop Glee Club, local musicians.

**Family Programs:** 2014 family programs thus far: Claymation workshops, Summer Grilling nights (starting Sunday, June 22 at Jennings Pond). DCC will provide environmentally and food safe charcoal and some snacking foods to share. Dates for future Grilling Nights are: June 29, then August.

Other ideas for family programs - Movie Nights, Events at the pavilion next to the Town Hall. Discussion will continue in the future.

Danby Harvest Festival dates are narrowed down to either October 12 or 19 to try to avoid harsher weather too much later.

West Danby Fire Hall Fundraiser is October 26. One idea is to have family photos with a Fire Trucks.

**Next meetings: July 3, August 7**