

Minutes of Feb. 15th Agribusiness sub-committee
Meeting, E. Lyme High School

- members present: Tom + Nancy Kalal, Tom + Terri Yuhas, Sally Uden, Jan Shenk Grosskopf, Mark Christensen
- meeting opened at 6:35
- there were no delegations
- Jan. 7th Seminar had 114 attendees. It lasted for nearly 2 hours and was well received by the public. T.J. Londregan said he could present again next winter, with a different version. The Feb. 11 Tick seminar had 40 attendees and was well-received by the public. There were more than ½ hour of questions from the public at the conclusion of the talk. Ideas for future seminars discussed.
- The Potluck Party in Jan. had about 30 attendees. Some people/groups cancelled at the last minute due to fear of Covid. It went for 2 1/2 hours, and people had a good time. We had a new speaker, Jamie Vaudry, who took over Judy Rondeau's position.
- There was brief discussion about possible tractor parade for Memorial Day, as well as the summer dates for Ag related events at the Samuel Smith Farmstead.
- We welcomed new members Tom + Terri Yuhas
- There was brief discussion on Ag viability grant for Cost of Community Survey Study for our town. A grant writer is needed.
- There was discussion about possible zoning reg review, to be on March Agenda.
- The meeting adjourned at 7:30pm

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