

Tilton Historical Society
Monthly Meeting

February 11, 2026

The meeting was called to order by John Ciriello Chairman at 6:00pm. The following were present, John Ciriello, Robert Clogston, Patty Amora Pender. Chuck Hussman, Vicki Hussman, Kathy, Yeo, Janice Leighton-Boudreau, William Hockensmith, Sharon Bullerwell, Carol Twomey, Brendon Murphy, Kara Campobasso, Barbara Sullivan and John Basilliere. Ken Lowrey was also present. Present via Zoom was Rick Montembeault and Kim Cilley.

Pledge of Allegiance was said, and the business meeting began.

Voting --Election Policy

John discussed the guidance from the Department of Justice office regarding voting. John had sent the membership an email regarding the discussion. A motion was made to rescind the motion of last month regarding keeping the voting "in person" and not to include absentee ballots. The motion was made by Janice Leighton-Boudreau and seconded by Sharon Bullerwell. Then a motion was made by Janice Leighton-Boudreau and seconded by John Basilliere to have the Voting is in person, with adherence to state and federal disabilities laws for absentee ballots. The voting will be announced 30 days before on Facebook, stating absentee ballots must be requested and returned by 4/8.

Webb Tilton Memorial Concert

Rick Montembeault who grew up in Tilton and now resides in Thailand has offered to do 40th year memorial concert for Webb Tilton who Died 6/22/1986. He visited Tilton last year and had mentioned the possibility of having a concert in honor of Webb Tilton. He would like to do this on June 3, 2026 and would like to get various local groups involved such as Tilton School Drama club, Winnisquam regional Drama club and possibly the Streetcar group. There was a discussion about where the best location for the concert would be depending on the weather. Getting a picture of Webb enlarged and any memorabilia would also be good.

Tilton Inn Project

Janice spoke briefly about the project she is working on for the Tilton Inn. The Tilton Inn currently has rooms that are dedicated to prominent people. Janice is working with the owners and creating short bios on the people who Inn's rooms are named