

Wakeman Town Farm

October 19, 2016 Committee Meeting

Committee Members Present: Carrie Aitkenhead, Mike Aitkenhead, Amy Ancel, Christy Colasurdo, Lisa Finn, Oliver Gaffney, Liz Milwe, Eve Pensak

Others Present: Alice Ely, Ilene Mirkine, Kathy Oberman Tracy

1. Young Farmers' Award

For high school juniors and seniors who have dedicated themselves and made an impact on WTF. Develop parameters and details for the program over the year. Publicly recognize winner at Harvest Fest. Also use as opportunity to encourage younger students to get involved.

2. WTF & Harvest Fest Committee Dinner

Celebrate a successful year of hard work with a dinner in November.

3. Planning Retreat

Consider asking the Harvard Group or another outside entity to assist with a WTF planning retreat in January.

4. Building Update

Moving along. Satisfied with contractor thus far.

5. Harvest Fest

Successful event for WTF. Net proceeds total around \$75,000. Please patronize the restaurants and businesses that supported our fundraiser.

6. Special Thanks to Oliver for helping Mike and Carrie with their move.

7. Contra Dance

Plan off-site event to bring people in the community together. Investigate the big hall at Christ & Holy Trinity Church as a possible venue.

8. Budget

Important to include landscape considerations in this year's budget.