

Belmont Selectmen (BOS) recognized three recipients with "Community Heritage Awards" at their October 9, 2013 meeting.



Honorees, from left, standing were **Recardo Segalini**, accepting for his **Crew** and the **Busby Construction Company** for outstanding service and work on the Village Revitalization project; **Diane Cleveland** and **Judy Hayes**, Troop Leaders, representing all of the **Belmont Girl Scouts**; and **Cindy Rolfe**, cited with her husband **Joseph** for preserving agricultural traditions with their restoration of the historic **Rolfe Farm**, including its 1860s post and beam barn and cupola, extensive stone walls and reclaiming pasture lands for apple orchards. Selectboard Vice Chairman Ruth Mooney, with Chairman Ronald Cormier and Jon Pike added their official congratulations.

Also celebrating Girl Scout accomplishments as exemplary youth volunteers were, front row, from left, **Kelly Hayes**, **Anna Peters** and **Kyleigh Peters**.

Community Heritage Awards were created in 2011 by the Heritage Commission to promote Belmont excellence and contributions, from citizens, businesses and community organizations. They are presented annually with the Board of Selectmen, marking New Hampshire History Week, celebrated this year October 13-19. Award certificates feature a photograph of the 1833 Belmont Mill bell tower -- with angles and image now prominent in the new Town logo, signage and Police Department emblems.

At the same BOS meeting, Priscilla Annis - a Factory Village District resident and proud owner of a "restoration in progress" historic Main Street home, was appointed to the Heritage Commission, along with reappointment of Wallace Rhodes, both with terms until 2015. Other current members include Linda Frawley, Shayne Duggan, Alyce Jewell and Ronald Cormier, representing Selectmen.

The Heritage Commission welcomes interest, questions and other volunteers for a range of interesting activities and projects. Contact any member or email [belmonthistory@gmail.com](mailto:belmonthistory@gmail.com)

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