

# National Button Society – Board Meeting

## Here's what the Board is up to NOW . . .



**www.nationalbuttonociety.org    meeting date 05/16/2021**

WOW, hold onto your hat folks this was a fast meeting ...

and I had a hard time keeping up with the notes so, you'll get what you get!

### CONVENTION

- ❖ Convention Coordinator: Lynn Keller reports on preparation for the “UNCONVENTIONAL CONVENTION” July 25-31, 2021.
  - Zoom training is going well if you still need help check pg. 61 in your May Bulletin. Still have a question, call the HELP DESK.
  - Favor buttons, cost \$30 plus \$5 shipping, the unveiling is Friday night 7/30 right after the Auction, your order form is in your May Bulletin.
  - Registration- NBS members will register through the NBS members-only site where you will download a pdf document with zoom hot links, there will be directions to follow Registration opens June 7 and will close on July 18. Non-member registration will go thru “Eventbrite”.
  - Club Cars- The “Club Cars” are a Zoom link; this is where you jump on (open the link) to chat with your friends. You can jump on or off (any zoom link you want) to catch up with your friends in “virtual” person. There is NO visiting during “Presentations”. There are 14 Club Cars scheduled through the Convention week.
  - Auction- The Online Auction is being run by Elaine Williamson of Armchair Auctions Registration is free, it will be required for the auction. No printed catalog but viewing of the auction lots and bidding begins on July 7. Please donate with a button or button related item.
  - Juniors- Vicki MacTavish will be in Camillus NY to do a live presentation with Juniors. She will Zoom with any Juniors who cannot attend the in-person meeting. Fran Howells will get a materials list posted on the website for the Construction Junction Presentation.
  - Virtual Showroom- Opens July 25, a list will be in the July Bulletin. The list of participating dealers will go the website and an email blast will go out with the information also.
- ❖ **Membership-** The membership coordinator now has Helen Acker as a backup to cover Susan Porter. There was a lot of discussion about how and when the New & Revised Membership directory will get done. It's on the back burner for now.
- ❖ **Treasurer-** the taxes were submitted and accepted. **HOORAY!** Discussion time again... raising our dues. On another back burner now, is “Raising the Dues”. I'll keep you posted.
- ❖ **Other Business-** The Clarification Committee (Yessy Byl), is asking for support from the Board to update and publish the “Blue Book” every 4 years. So that means a new one would be published for 2023, but it really comes out in 2022.

**THAT'S IT FOR THIS MEETING**