



Bedford Cemetery Views

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The mission of the Friends of Town of Bedford Cemeteries is to support the restoration and maintenance of the four cemeteries

January 2011

Friends of the Town of Bedford Cemeteries

3rd Annual Meeting

And

Recognition to an Outstanding
Bedford Resident
for 2010



2009

Fire Chief
Ralph Wiggins



2008

Historian

Doris Peck Spurway



Bedford Town Planning Board
1984-1992

Bedford Town Council
1992-2006

NH Regional Planning Commission
1990-Present

NE Council Association of
Regional Planning Councils
2000-Present

SNHU Adjunct Professor-Marketing
1981-Present


Wednesday, January 19, 2011

7:30 pm


Bedford Public Library

McAllaster Room

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Bedford Cemetery Spotlight

William Boynton

compiled by Julia Schappals

“William Boynton arrived in Bedford in the 1700’s. The Boyntons owned farmland along what is now called Boynton Street. On the night of November 14, 1858, Charles Boynton, William’s grandson, left Moore’s tavern on what is now Wallace road at about 8 PM. He was driving a horse-drawn wagon and had gone only about a half mile and was near “the Jenkins house” when the horse abruptly stopped, sending Charles out of the wagon and onto the road. The horse began walking, pulling the wagon forward but only until the front wheel rested on Charles’ throat. The horse apparently allowed the wheel to stay there for some time, at least until Charles was strangled to death. Charles was found in the road the next morning with the wagon wheel still imprinted on his neck but the horse and wagon had wandered away. Charles Boynton was buried in the Bedford Center cemetery.”

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