

MCTV Staff Report

April 1st – April 30th, 2015

Equipment Usage: 22

Facility Usage: 15

Operations:

-John Dunphy and Ethan Reipold have been trained on the town hall system. Both John and Ethan are able to tech direct the Selectboard and Finance Committee Meetings. Moving forward they will be trained in the Setup and Breakdown of Town Hall System.

-Deirdre Pleasant being trained in Digital Workflow.

-Bret Leighton, William Andrews and Owen Weaver have been filming and editing station directed events as well local producer events.

New model offers more flexibility and translates to quicker turn-around of local productions and number of shows produced to completion. Local producers who are willing to take on responsibility of filming a project seem relieved that editing can be handled by someone else.

Items of Interest:

-2 productive meetings with Jen Audley from Montague Cultural Council. We have identified some marquee events to record for/with them.

-TFHS Video department and Jon Chappel will be sending us student projects. (2 Weeks)

Independent projects:

-Bret Leighton's the fat detective (Series)

-Ray Seibold (Northern Roots)

-Ray Seibold (Greenfield Middle School Variety Show)

-Ray Seibold (Dance interviews and Moldavian Cup Song) in production.

-Mik Muller (Sweden Project)

-Lisa McLoughlin (Home-owners Rights)

-Rodney Madison (Weekly Show)

MCTV Recently Completed:

Candidates Forum 4/12/15, Candidates Forum 4/19/15, CAC Meeting 4/30/15, Selectboard Meetings, Cable Advisory Committee Meetings, As you Write It, Meet the New GSB President, Local Yokels, GMRSD Meeting at Sheffield, Pipeline Meeting 4/23/15, 1696 Mapping History, Senior Feasibility Meeting.

MCTV Upcoming Projects:

May 2nd – Annual Town Meeting (TFHS) (Multi Camera)

May 5th – Selectman Debate (Live Broadcast from Town Hall)

May 15th – Creative Economy Summit (GCC) Collaboration with GCTV and NBTV

May 16th – River Song (Multi Camera)

Gill:

-Janet Masucci continues to film and edit Gill Selectboard and other events in Gill. These events are broadcast on Channel 17 and uploaded to Vimeo.

-Preliminary phases of Comcast contract renewal underway.

-Equipment References.