

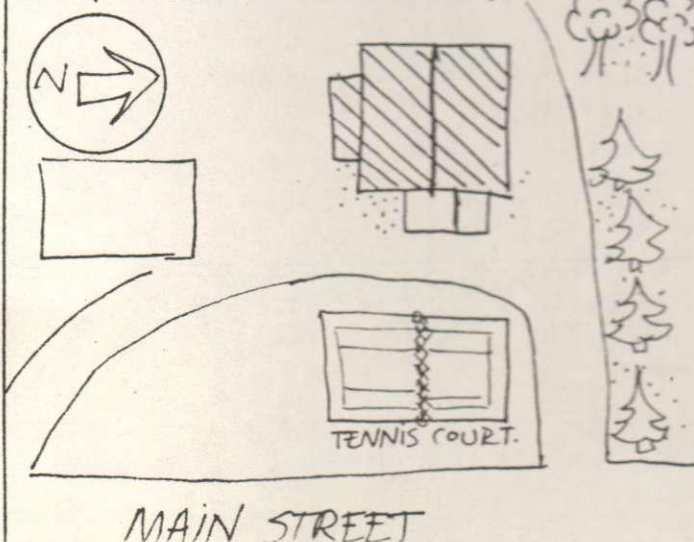
HISTORIC PRESERVATION ASSISTANCE PROJECT  
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<b>TOWN:</b> Kingston <b>COUNTY:</b> Rockingham <b>SURVEY NUMBER:</b> 63* <b>COMMON NAME:</b> Swasey Gymnasium <b>HISTORIC NAME:</b> Swasey Gym <b>LOCATION:</b> West side of Main Street .22 miles north of inter. Main & Depot <b>OWNER:</b> Sanborn Regional School District <b>ADDRESS:</b> 178 Main St., Kingston, NH <b>MAP &amp; PARCEL #:</b> R-34, plot 17 <b>DATE:</b> C. 1959 <b>SOURCE:</b> Dedication pamphlet 1/4/59 <b>STYLE:</b>	<b>UTM:</b> Z 19 /E 332425 /N 4755975 <b>USGS QUAD:</b> Haverhill Quad 15' Series <b>FUNCTIONAL TYPE:</b> Gymnasium <b>PRESENT USE:</b> Gymnasium <b>ARCHITECT/BUILDER:</b> Edward Benton Miles, Exeter. S.A. LaPerle & Sons, Exeter. <b>CONDITION:</b> Exc. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Good <input type="checkbox"/> Fair <input type="checkbox"/> Poor <input type="checkbox"/> Ruins <b>INTEGRITY:</b> Original Site <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Moved <input type="checkbox"/> (When: _____) <b>Major alterations &amp; date:</b>  <b>LEVEL/SIGNIFICANCE:</b> Natl <input type="checkbox"/> State <input type="checkbox"/> Local <input type="checkbox"/>
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**GENERAL DESCRIPTION: Structural System**

1. FOUNDATION: Stone ☐ Brick ☐ Concrete ☐ Concrete Block ☒
2. WALL STRUCTURE: Wood Frame ☐ Post & Beam ☐ Ballon Frame ☐ Other ☐  
Load Bearing Masonry ☐ Stone ☐ Brick ☒ Concrete Block ☐ Other ☐  
Metal ☐ Iron ☐ Steel ☐ Other ☐
3. WALL COVERING: Clapboard ☐ Wood Shingle ☐ Board & Batten ☐ Shiplap ☐ Aluminum ☐  
Novelty ☐ Stucco ☐ Stone ☐ Brick ☒ Sheet Metal ☐ Asphalt Shingles ☐ Vinyl ☐  
Asphalt Sheeting ☐ Composite Board ☐ Other ☐
4. ROOF SHEATHING: Wood Shingle ☐ Asphalt Shingle ☒ Standing Seam Tim ☐ Slate ☐  
Pressed Metal ☐ Sheet Metal ☐ Rolled Asphalt ☐ Other ☐
5. ENGINEERING STRUCTURE:
6. OTHER:  
# of Stories 1 1/2 # of Bays 1x1 Approx. Dimensions 60' x 60'  
Roof Style: Gable ☒ Hip ☐ Gambrel ☐ Flat ☐ Shed ☐ Mansard ☐ Jerkinhead ☐  
Monitor ☐ Sawtooth ☐ Other ☐  
Appendages: Porches ☐ Towers ☐ Dormers ☐ Bay Windows ☐ Ells ☐ Chimneys ☐  
Wings ☐ Cupolas ☐ Sheds ☐ Garage ☐ Other ☐  
Entry Location: Center ☒ Sidehall ☐ Other ☐

**MAP (Indicate North in circle):**



**PHOTO**



**Description of View: Front-east elevation**

Photographer: Scott Novak

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ADDITIONAL ARCHITECTURAL AND STRUCTURAL DESCRIPTION:

RELATED STRUCTURES AND CONTEXT:

BOUNDARY AND ACREAGE DESCRIPTION:

North- Peard, Reynolds, Sanborn Regional, south-Larson, Bartlett, east-Main Street,  
west-Church Street, Merrick, Carr, Clark

REFERENCES:

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE (Evaluation & Historical Associations):

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT: Open Land\_\_ Woodland\_\_ Scattered Bldgs\_\_ Moderately Built Up\_\_  
Densely Built Up\_\_ Residential\_\_ Commercial\_\_ Industrial\_\_ Agricultural\_\_  
Roadside Strip Development\_\_ Other\_\_

Recorded By: Scott Novak  
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Date: 12/26/79

