

FWCP MINUTES FROM 7/18/18

Present: R. McLaughlin, S. Nesper, G. Dean, B. Hale, L. Raker, D. Newlove, G. Box, C. Weis, C. Bazeley, N. Wenning

The meeting was called to order at 3:00 p.m.

EXECUTIVE:

The RSVP (Retired Senior Volunteer Program) representative, Peggy Delcher, spoke about the benefits for our organization. This program is funded through the federal government. The volunteered hours are kept track of by a coordinator and the hours are forwarded to the state representative in Columbus which is then forwarded to Washington D.C. so it can be seen how much volunteering is benefiting the states. One must be at least 55 and would get paid mileage of \$0.16/mile to and from volunteered activities up to \$66.00/quarter. There are also insurance benefits for when the volunteering is taking place. Recognition of the volunteers is done in each county with a luncheon and entertainment. Discussion of RSVP took place with more to follow at the August meeting.

MINUTES:

June minutes accepted as read with 1 correction regarding the park video that "5 videos each 10 minutes long" will be struck from the minutes. 1st motion by G. Dean and 2nd by S. Nesper.

FINANCE:

The FWCP has been depositing \$2,000.00 annually into the levy fund noted L. Raker but after this year's levy she suggested we increase it minimally by \$500.00 each year.

L. Raker will file with the Board of Elections.

The treasurer's report was accepted as given. 1st motion by D. Newlove and 2nd by N. Wenning.

We need to amass all that is necessary for an audit and then it will be delivered to the auditor.

MEMBERSHIP:

Continue to come in slowly this month.

DIRECTORS:

N. Munger gave an update of activities going on at the parks.

J. Sands needs volunteers to ride the Pemberville Trolley on Saturday August 18 which starts at 11:00 a.m.

J. Witter stated the Friends bus trip is potentially 9/18/18 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

The funds that were used for Mackenzie's butterfly sign was paid for by the parks.

J. Sands will invoice the treasurer so the Friends can reimburse the parks.

OLD BUSINESS:

The May plant sale profit was \$4,523.45 & G. Dean will continue to be in charge of the sale. It was suggested to have the Friends display board up next year.

The new name badges were distributed.

The \$100.00 Bostdorf gift certificate will be obtained by N. Wenning for the fair.

Commemorative bricks are being installed. These will be promoted at fair.

Installation of bricks will plan to be done in the spring and the fall.

The photo contest prospectus has been reworded and is online.

Main Street Photo has noted an increase of interest at the shop since the July fair marquee has displayed the information regarding the photo contest.

NEW BUSINESS:

A speaker for the October membership meeting will be secured by R. McLaughlin.

Meeting adjourned at 5:00 p.m. with 1st motion by D. Newlove and 2nd by C. Weis.

NEXT MEETING WILL BE AUGUST 15 AT 3:00 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Nancy Wenning

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