



SACG Monthly Meeting

June 20, 2022

Library, lower level

Welcome- Guest/New Members -President Marlys Harms welcomed 12 members in attendance at 6:05 PM.

Secretary Report – Jill Hidingier asked members to approve May minutes. Nancy Thorkildson motioned to approve and seconded by Tricia Sheldon. All Ayes.

Treasurer Report – Jay Herman reported on Checking/Savings accounts held at Palo Savings Bank, along with income and expenses. One donation was received. Jean Fish motioned to accept the report, Sarah Scott seconded.

Old Business/Committee Reports

Gold Medal Flour Mural – Jean Fish reported she is waiting on a proposal from Wall Dogs.

Family Fun Night – Kelsey Fish informed us the Fireman’s Auxiliary is providing water balloons, Creative Kids will be making Sno-Cones, and a craft station will be added this year.

AARP grant- Jim Hidingier informed us we did not receive the grant for a pickleball court.

Railroad Update – Nancy Thorkildson said there is nothing new to report.

Economic Development – Jill Hidingier updated the group on status of the HomeTown Pride program. A contract with ECICOG will be forthcoming to start the process. We have learned of available land for pursuing a future development and plans will be made to search for a developer. We have landed on four logo/tag line combinations to be presented to the city council thanks to the work of Craig Oldakowski and Jim Hidingier.

Golf Tournament – Nancy Thorkildson reported twenty teams have signed up and we have more sponsors than ever.

Big Day – Sarah Scott reported the corn hole and bag tournament plans are in place. Jim Hidingier and Jay Herman volunteered to work on the float. Nancy Thorkildson made a motion to spend up to \$200 on the float, seconded by Tricia Sheldon.

4 Imprint Grant- Deb Oldakowski said the discs have arrived with the SACG logo.

SACG Apparel – Initial order of items were handed out to those members that purchased. New member, Shelbie Williams would like to order shirts. Jill Hidingen will send Tharp and email to ask about ordering and availability.

Brochures – Jim Hidingen brought the new brochures to the meeting.

Membership Drive – Nothing

Tree Committee – Jay Herman mentioned there are 3 to 4 dead trees and he would like to replace them in the Fall. Jay and Kelsey plan on meeting to discuss the ongoing maintenance of the Prairie Trail. In the meantime.

Horticulture Committee - Tricia Sheldon and Meri Mott have volunteered to clean up the trail. Phil Shaff mentioned the possibility of asking the Master Gardener's group to help.

United Way Now –Marlys Harms thought they may have volunteers that can help with the Prairie Trail clean up.

Television for Library – Jim Hidingen said it arrived damaged. He has already ordered a replacement.

Benches for the Park – Deb Oldakowski reported they had shipped June 15th and they should arrive any day.

Dues Payment Options – Marlys Harms will move this discussion to July's meeting.

Goals – Marlys Harms will move this discussion to July's meeting.

New Business

Potential projects/events – Marlys Harms will move this discussion to another meeting.

Grants – Deb Oldakowski has been sending available grants to Jill Hidingen. Jill has been taking part in several webinars regarding funding for projects.

Other – Marlys Harms sent around a sign-up sheet for Big Day.

Adjourn – Nancy Thorkildson motioned to adjourn and seconded by Jim Hidingen. All Ayes. Meeting adjourned at 7:15 PM.

Next meeting is July 18th and will be held at the library, lower level beginning at 6:00 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Jill Hidingen