

Claremont Senior Center, Inc. – Claremont, NH

Membership Meeting March 8, 2016 Mozden Room 12:45PM

Call to Order

12:37 Pm by acting chair Judy St. Pierre

Roll Call of Board of Directors

Judy St. Pierre, Moe St. Pierre, Marilyn Gilbert and Exc. Director Claire Lessard. Excused members were Faith LeBelle, Ken Lewis, Peg LaPointe and Tom Liveson.

Pledge

The pledge was led by Judy St. Pierre

Minutes and Corrections of the Previous Meeting

The minutes of the February 2nd meeting were read by Marilyn Gilbert, acting secretary. Motion to accept as read was made by Dennis Francis and seconded by Gary Bedard.

Correspondence

None

Treasurer's Report

Judy St. Pierre read the treasurer's report. The center is \$1,091.26 in the black – making 2 months with a credit balance. The yard sale netted \$896.00 Thank you, Judy and everyone who helped and supported us. Judy assigned the funds to finish the cost of the new steam table. The old table has been sold for \$300.00. Motion to accept the treasurer's report was made by Donna Corvett with 2nd by Barbara McIntyre. As always, copies of this report are available at the front desk.

Report of Committees

Maintenance – Moe St. Pierre said the Spring work has begun. Anyone willing to do a little yard work would be welcome and appreciated. The kitchen sink and dish washer have been repaired. He has found an excellent repair person whom he will keep on call. Thank you, Moe.

Hospitality – The committee is planning a woman's gathering to match the men's breakfast. Claire Bosquet mentioned "Abbey's Lunch" We will explore that further.

Spring Fling – The fair may be May 7th, Crafters are already sending in applications.

Car Show – Ron Gilbert reported that as their first meeting, things are going well. This is the 5th year for the show and they are planning special things to celebrate. He thanked all the committee chairmen for all their hard work.

New Events-Judy St. Pierre has been working on the Meat Bingo for April 10th with specials of Smoke House hams. A basket bingo is planned for May. Judy needs help with the gift certificate and merchandise solicitation.

Old Business

None

New Business

Mr. Bernard Shaban asked if the Fire Dept. could clean the driveway during a drill and also do the windows. He also mentioned locking down a price for gas and oil for the coming season seeing that the prices were so low right now. Claire explained that the companies do not negotiate until August. Mr. Shaban said it would be worth a try. He would also like to see a new state flag out front. Judy explained you have to have connections and money not to obtain a new one. They are not free any more.

Judy asked if anyone would please be on the nominating committee. Peg LaPointe will mentor the group. We need a slate of people to present at the April meeting. There are 3 seats up for election. Denny Francis Ron Gilbert volunteered. Thank you to both.

The issue of the increase of dues will be discussed and voted on at the April 5th meeting. Members will have to attend or sign up at the front desk to vote.

In closing, Ron Gilbert shared a Car Show trophy story and explained the handling of ties at the show.

Other Business

The free lunch was won by Sue Pare.

Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 1:19 PM. Motion was made by Gary Bedard and 2nd by Barbara McIntyre.

Next Meeting

Tuesday –April 5th,2016-12:45-Mozden Room