**MEETING MINUTES**

**MOHAWK VALLEY COMMUNITY GRANGE**

February 15, 2023, at 6:00PM

* **Present**: Marcia Fisher, Fred Choske, Kelly and Thorp McClellan, Teresa Hill, Donna Heath, Linda Mooney
* **Reading**: HAPPY BIRTHDAY, JULIA MOONEY!
* **Dates of Interest** 
  + - 3/4/23 – Premeeting, Will be at Linda’s House
    - 3/15/23 - Regular Meeting
    - 4/15/23 – Open House
* **Read and vote on approval of minutes from last meeting** 
  + - January minutes were approved as distributed
* **Treasurer’s Report** – Teresa
  + Reported $1,746.47 in our account; this month we will need to pay our insurance ($629.00)
* **COVID-19 Procedures** – Any Updates?
* **Caretaker/Rental Manager Report** – Kelly/Thorp
  + - Rentals - No rentals as yet
    - Concerns or comments – Everything OK
* **Communications** – OSU’s Extension’s Tree School. March 4th. Posted flyer on bulletin board.
* **Old/Unfinished Business**
  + - BINGO – We made $870 and we had 47 people! We will have another BINGO in May. Teresa will put a question on FaceBook as to the best times.
    - Flower Baskets for Open House and Mother’s Day

Teresa has checked with Rogers Gardens and McKenzie River Gardens. They will have baskets for us by mid-April.

* + - Approve Refugee policy – works, though we will add a maximum stay of 7 days.
    - Approve Rental agreement for weekly classes – We tabled this document for further study of the rate.
    - Approve New Yoga Classes – Jaya Devi is announcing her class in the Mohawk Messenger including her phone number for interested people.
    - Discuss/ Approve New Reader Board – Teresa had concerns about the quality of the boards on the market. Thorp will look into building one for us….more later!
* **New Business**
  + - Open House Date Set – 4/15/23; 3-7PM More details at March meeting.
    - Approved Changing locks and lock box code. Donna moved and it was passed that Thorp would purchase and install the new equipment.
    - Also noted that Thorp was approved by Executive order to purchase ($50) for fill dirt for holes in the Grange grounds.
    - Repeater Grant for the Emergency Response – Briefly discussed, more info next meeting.
    - Classes at the Grange were discussed: Tie Dye, Indian Cooking, Yoga. More Later.
* **Good of the Order**
* **Adjourn 7:10PM**

**Submitted by Linda Mooney, President**

**Secretary Julia/ Dan Mooney were not able to attend**

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| **POSSIBLE EVENTS AND COMPLETED ONES** | |
| COMMUNITY SUPPORT & FUN | FUNDRAISING |
| Free Fishing class, tent drawing- Harvest Festival 10/22 Julia, Thorp & Kelly | Movie Night? |
| Photography Exhibit – Point Person? Jay Swofford | Play JUST FOR US- next April |
| Show of End of School projects – Point person? DATE? | Cooking Contest Open House – April 23rd DONE  Harvest Festival 10/22 |
| Harvest Festival – October, include community businesses, 10/22 | Baking/Pie Contest DESSERT CONTEST AT OPEN HOUSE  Harvest Festival |
| Seniors’ lunch | Piccadilly style Event? |
| Community & Kids craft Fair | Raffle (prize such as Weekend at Coast) |
| Open House – April 23rd? DONE! | BINGO August 27th DONE! |