

MEETING MINUTES
MOHAWK VALLEY COMMUNITY GRANGE

January 24, 2024, at 6:00PM

- **Present:** Linda Mooney, Julia Mooney, Kelly McClaren, Teresa Hill, Gail Weathers, Donna Heath , Kalen Halter
- **Dates of Interest**
 - 1/24 Re-Scheduled Meeting [poor attendance so planning will be put off till pre-meeting]
 - Pre-meeting – Teresa’s house [Bring your calendars for the year’s events planning]
 - 2/21 – Regular Meeting

- **Read and vote** on approval of minutes from last meeting.
 - November minutes – Linda - Approved as read.

- **Treasurer’s Report** – Teresa
 - \$1845.17 end of November; \$1987.90 end of December
 - Insurance \$700 payment due February 28.
 - \$84.99 for extender for Kelly and Thorp [Dan will install. Thank you, Dan!]

- **Caretaker/Rental Manager Report** – Kelly
 - Rentals: Jan. 6 was a Baby Gender Reveal; same group will rent Mar. 2 for Baby Shower
 - Concerns or comments – a new mop head, broom and dustpan are needed [Donna will purchase at the Chefs Store in Springfield]

- **Communications** – Thank you for colorful photos from Delana Hansen for the \$200 donated to the Mohawk Elementary Christmas program; invitation from the Mohawk-McKenzie Grange to their Swiss Steak Dinner on February 10, 5 – 8 p.m. \$15 per person. Pomona wants a new roster of officers. No bill yet from Hughes Net

- **Unfinished Business** – Gail added NarCan to our First Aid Kit and restocked. Need to set date for road clean up in May.

- **New Business**
 - Planning for 2024: 1 event per month Feb. - Nov. Will discuss at February meetings
 - Teresa declined the Youth Center’s old sign suggesting the Marcola Community Market might want it
 - Internet Password change - postponed till next regular meeting.
 - There will be no change of the lockbox code presently but may be considered in the future.
 - Yoga class paid \$45 for electricity & wood which paid Jean Guidry’s Grange membership. Going forward, a suggested fee of \$5 per class per participant begins in February.
 - Rental agreement for classes: Jasmine wants to provide birthing classes for 3 ½ hours twice a week. Decision: \$25 per class [\$50 a week] with a \$200 refundable deposit. She will need to clean after every use of the Grange and needs to let us know which days and times.
 - Thank you to Thorp for installing the heavy curtain in place of doors temporarily; it makes a big difference.
 - BINGO was scheduled for March 16, 6 – 8 p.m.
 - Wood: workday to be scheduled in February
 - Septic repair will be done when Kurt returns from Arizona.

- **Adjourned at 7:10 PM**