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Kiwanis Club of Transfer

Sharon Rust –President

Dan Resinger- Secretary

Jeff Long-Vice President

Carmen Reichard-Treasurer

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Board Meeting January 20, 2021

Board Members Present – Sharon Rust, Dan Resinger, Carmen Reichard, Erin Long, Junior Rust

Others Present – Debbie Novel; Emily Giardina

- I. Call to Order – 6:04 PM
- II. President’s Message – Thanks for Attending Virtually. Prayers for changes in country, those affected by COVID. Introductions of New Member – Emily Giardina
- III. Secretary’s Report – Meeting being recorded – Motion to Approve Minutes – B Long/E Long
Jeff – Tested positive for COVID on Saturday; Erin tested Monday; Jeff – pneumonia in hospital (UPMC-Shenango Valley); Erin tested positive – isolating at home
- IV. Treasurer’s Report – No Report
- V. Committee Reports
 - a. Membership-(Karen/Brenda/Deb/Erin/Sharon)
 - b. Public Relations (Erin)
 - i. 446 on Facebook (+13%); 18 web page users; newsletter out; website updated with agenda and minutes attached
 - c. Food Pantry (Erin) - SV Blessing Boxes – No Report
 - d. Meeting Food Service (Karen) – No Report
 - e. Merchandise/Banner /Branding(Dan/Ramona/Sharon)-On Hold
 - f. Auditing (Candy/Lee/Carmen) – On Hold
 - g. Key Club (Various Members) – No Report – Club is Inactive
 - h. Backpack Program (Cindy Spieker) – 65 Bags in January
 - i. Service---(Brenda/Erin) – Project Discussion – Donation to Hospital (Trauma Doll?); Adopt a Highway – Edgewood Drive/Edgewood Drive Ext.; Trash Scavenger Hunt??/?/ Involve SLPs – Erin/Brenda – Pick road and submit application
 - i. Motion to Approve Highway Pickup Project – K Sherwood/Jim Rust
 - j. Fund-raising---Open

- k. Remember to pay your dues and to log your service hours with Brenda/Google Sheets

VI. Old Business

a. Fundraiser Ideas

i. Penny Raffle-Chairperson Dan/Candy

1. Prize Amounts - \$250.00/\$100.00/\$50.00
2. Start Date – February 1
3. Drawing Date – March 17
4. Sharon will get perforator from Kenda Hoovler
5. Cost - \$.01-\$5.00 (500 Tickets)
6. Approximately \$700.00 Profit
7. Motion to Approve – E Long/B Long
8. Tree Planting Project Possibility – Tie in with SLP

a. Senior Tree for Reynolds Grads? Discussion/Location

ii. Spring Fundraiser – Karen to Get Info – Second Time Around Gardens

b. Adopt a Highway/Spring

c. Dictionary/Thesaurus Project – Motion to Purchase/Distribute Dictionaries to Grade 3 (80) and Thesaurus/Antonym to Grade 5 (76) – E Long/D Resinger

d. American Education Week Project – Goody Bags for Reynolds Staff – Week of May 3rd

i. Karen to get Numbers for All Staff

ii. Motion to Proceed with Project – K Sherwood/J Rust

e. Distinguished Club Criteria-Apply for 2020-21 Kiwanis Year

f. Updating Trifolds-Need Photos

g. Club Newsletter-Nice Job Erin!

h. SLP

i. K-Kids – Participated in Christmas Cards/Valentine Cards

ii. Builders Club - Inactive

iii. Key Club - Inactive

i. Service Projects

i. Valentine's Day Service Project-cards/cookies

1. Cookies/Cards from Students for Residents at Greystone – Motion to Approve – B Long/K Sherwood

ii. Good Shepherd Desserts/Assist with Delivery

1. Drivers needed 2nd Monday of month at 3:45pm
2. Sponsor Dinner for Good Shepherd – Up to \$300.00 (Chicken at Sparkle)
 - a. Motion to Approve – D Resinger/B Long

iii. Adopt Head Start for 2021-22 – Hold for 2021-22 Projects

iv. Sock Project - Drop off at Karen Sherwood's

VII. New Business

a. Welcome to New Potential Member Emily Giardina

- a) Sponsored by Sharon Rust
- b) Acceptance Approved

b. Scholarship Committee – Email Application to Karen for School

c. Nominating Committee

d. New Service Ideas

- i. Planting Trees
- ii. WaterFire Sharon PA
- iii. New ideas with social distancing
- iv. Project Suggestions for kits/bags for kids at hospital - something simple to make

e. Pin Order for New Members

VIII. Division/District/International Business

a. Boost Program

b.

IX. Looking Forward

Continual- Online training for officers

On Hold- Cookie Walk

Comfort Bags/Card Drive

Social Nights

Membership Social

Kindness Rocks

Love Letters Literacy

Kaitlyn Hermann donation for trip

X. Remember/Congratulations

Ruby K Award - Karen Sherwood

Retirement Congratulations Lee

Continue Virtual Meetings and No Texts/Calls 8pm to 8am

XI. Adjournment

Looking Forward

Jan 28 Happy Birthday Junior

Feb 3 Regular Meeting

Feb 8 Dinner Good Shepherd

Feb 9 Backpack

Feb 17 Board Meeting

July 24 Waterfire

Sept 18 Waterfire

Aug 12-15 2021-PA DCON 2021 Reading, PA

Aug 11-14 2022-PA DCON 2022 Erie, PA

2023 PA DCON Scranton, PA

2025 Kiwanis International in Pittsburgh

Adjournment – D Resinger/E Long – 7:17 PM