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Kiwaniis Club of Transfer

Sharon Rust –President

Dan Resinger- Secretary

Jeff Long-Vice President

Carmen Reichard-Treasurer

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Minutes - Board Meeting February 17, 2021

Board Members Present – Sharon Rust, Jeff Long, Carmen Reichard, Dan Resinger, Brenda Long, Erin Long, James Rust, Jr, Karen Sherwood

Other Members Present – Leroy Cotton, Emily Giardina, Lee Iorfido

I. President's Message – Call to Order at 6:04 PM

1. Dan Resinger – Meeting Recorded
2. Thank you for Participation in Service Projects

II. Secretary's Report – Minutes from 1/21/21 – Motion to Approve – E Long/J Long - Approved

III. Treasurer's Report – December – Motion to Accept – Resinger/J Long – Report Accepted

1. December 2020
 1. Checking Account Balance - \$8282.87
 2. Investment Account Balance - \$23,642.79
2. January 2021
 1. Checking Account Balance - \$7862.32
 2. Investment Account Balance - \$23,642.79
3. Current Balance as of 2/17/21 - \$6013.32

IV. Committee Reports

- a. Membership-(Karen/Brenda/Deb/Erin/Sharon) – Update of Membership Applications
- b. Public Relations (Erin) – 650 Facebook Reach; Penny Raffle Video –
 1. Lot of Shares; Web Site – 31 Users in Last 30 Days (Average Usage); Karen to Send Membership Info to Erin for Publication on Web Site
- c. Food Pantry (Erin) - SV Blessing Boxes – No Report
- d. Meeting Food Service (Karen) – No Report
- e. Merchandise/Banner /Branding(Dan/Ramona/Sharon)-No Report
- f. Auditing (Candy/Lee/Carmen) – No Report
- g. Key Club (Various Members) – Taking Applications for Officers for 2021-22
- h. Backpack Program (Cindy Spieker) – 65 Packs
- i. Service---(Brenda/Erin) – Adopt-a-Highway – Edgewood Drive –
 1. Not a State Road; Keep PA Beautiful; Look Into Arlington and Brentwood
- j. Fund-raising---Open
- k. Remember to pay your dues and to log your service hours with Brenda/Google Sheets

II. Old Business

- a. Fundraiser Ideas – Spring Flowers – Approved – Begin March 20 – First Day of Spring
Motion to Approve – K Sherwood/D Resinger – Approved
- b. Penny Raffle-Chairperson Dan/Candy – Sales Doing Pretty Well – Drawing 3/17/21
- c. Spring Fundraiser -
- d. Adopt a Highway/Spring – Discussed Under Service
- e. Dictionary/Thesaurus Project – Ready for Distribution – Use as Signature Project
- f. American Education Week Project – First Week of May
 1. Masks for Staff
- g. Distinguished Club Criteria-apply next year
- h. Updating Trifolds-need photos – Erin; Forward Photos to Erin
- i. SLP
 1. K-kids – Valentines for Greystone
 2. Builders Club-inactive
 3. Key Club-inactive
- j. Service Projects
 1. Valentine’s Day Service Project-cards/cookies - 36
 2. Good Shepherd Desserts/Assist with Delivery
 1. Drivers needed 2nd Monday of month at 3:45pm
 2. Leroy
 3. Kim
 4. Sharon?
 5. Desserts needed
 3. Sock Project - drop off at Karen - Update
 4. Planting Trees – Several Contacts – Maybe Buhl Park; Maybe School District; Fair Grounds; Karen to Contact Reynolds Schools
 1. <https://www.mercercountycd.com/education/special-events>
Our 2021 seedling sale has a great line up of native trees, shrubs, and wildflowers. Conifers we are offering this year are: White Pine, Norway and Black Spruces, as well as Bald Cypress. Deciduous bundles this year include: Eastern Redbud, PawPaw, Black Elderberry, Highbush Cranberry Viburnum, Common Persimmon, American Hazelnut, Black Maple, River Birch, and White Oak. Our flower plugs being offered this year are: Scarlet BeeBalm. We also have a limited supply of Ernst Butterfly and Hummingbird Seed Mixes and cedar squirrel feeders available.
 5. Reynolds Staff Appreciation – May 5 – 153 Goody Bags
 1. Hand Sanitizer -
 2. Masks - \$15.00/50 Masks
 3. Tic Tac
 4. Pens
 5. ChocolatesBring Ideas to Next Regular Meeting

II. New Business

- a. Nominating Committee – Dan; Erin
- b. Scholarship Committee – Brenda; Jeff; Emily
 1. Up to \$3000.00; Committee to Make Recommendation
- c. Midyear Conference-February 20th 9am-1pm – Virtual
 1. Review of Meeting by Attending Members

- d. Program Ideas – 4H (Karen to Contact for Program)
- e. New Service Ideas
 - 1. New ideas with social distancing
 - 2. Project Suggestions for kits/bags for kids at hospital - something simple to make – Trauma Dolls; Reach Out to Hospitals – Hold
 - 3. Assist Shut Ins/Other members of the community – Send Cards – Distribute Info to Members
 - 4. Pin Order for New Members – Certificate of Membership;
- VIII. Division/District/International Business
 - 1. Boost Program – PA Kiwanis Web Site
- I.Looking Forward
 - Continual- Online training for officers
 - On Hold-Adopt Head Start for 21-22
 - Cookie Walk
 - Comfort Bags
 - Card Drive
 - WaterFire - Sharon PA
 - Social Nights
 - Membership Social
 - Kindness Rocks
 - Love Letters Literacy
 - Kaitlyn Hermann donation for trip
 - Sunshine Baskets –
 - Stuffed Animals
 - Maximum Club Expense - \$50.00/Month – Emergency Medical Travel Expenses Related to Sunshine Basket – Resinger/J Long - Approved
- X. Remember
 - Continue Virtual Meetings
 - No Texts/Calls 8pm to 8am
 - Please make sure to include all members with informational texts-PM me with issues
 - Adjournment – Resinger/J Long – 7:19 PM
- XI. Adjournment
 - Looking Forward
 - Feb 20 Mid Year Conference Virtual 9am-1pm
 - Feb 22 Good Shepherd Dinner -help needed at 3:45pm
 - Feb 28 Happy Birthday Ramona
 - March 3 Regular Meeting
 - March 9 Back Pack Program
 - March 17 Board Meeting
 - March 21 Happy Birthday Debbie

May 3 Staff Appreciation

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