

Ortonville Community Historical Society
Minutes for Membership Meeting
August 8, 2023

Members Present: Judy Miracle (President), Alan Aligaier, Tina Allgaier, Scott Broughton, Ken Bush, Jovie Deirz, Wyatt Deirz, Elenor, Carol Egbo, Wren Frisch, Pat George, Jeff Jones, Mary Kassuba, June King, Luann Mann, Shauna Quick, Tom Roberts, Mary Alice Seelbinder, Arnie Seelbinder, (19 Board members present).
Absent with Notice: (None).

OCHS Annual Picnic - started at 6:00 PM - Pizza and beverages served, followed by Mary A's chocolate cake and June K 'S ice cream.

Formal Meeting Call to Order: by Judy Miracle @ 6:15 PM.

Pledge of Allegiance: All participated.

Agenda: Approved as amended.

Minutes from July 2023: Approved as amended.

Treasurer's Report: Scott B provided a copy of the July Treasurer's report.
Approved as presented.

Village Report: Pat G. - the Mann School House paint project has now been completed. Bob Hauxwell and his crew did the repair work and Scott Zimmerman completed all the painting. We sincerely thank Bob and Scott for all their hard work. We also want to thank our Historical Society for our \$2500 donation to help with the expenses.

Old Business: Judy M provided updates on:

The SeptemberFest, which will run from Fri. 09-15 thu Sun. 09-17 (3 days).

Time Capsule Committee — What to Include. OCHS list of members; Judy M suggested that we write a short letter of our memories of our Village; maybe some recordings on 8 track and cassette tapes; Coz will open the capsule on Sept. 14th and it on the 15th.

Farmers Market Booth — (Sat. Aug. 12th) volunteers needed 9 — 12 PM.

Kathleen Leece's memorial — Carol E, Kathy G, and Mary K. volunteered.
Carol E. suggested a sign with photos, a Dr's room, etc.

Military uniforms to donate — Dennis Hoffman, John Fross, and Alan will handle sorting and distribution.

Founder's Day events in town — (Sat. Aug. 12th 9 to 12.)

Scavenger Hunt - Old Mill will give out Wooden Nickles with our Logo to teenagers who correctly answer questions.

Walking Tour of Town - Walkers will discover some of our town 's historic places based on info from our Brochure.

Square Dance Lesson - Free lesson at Lynn 's Dance Studio from Noon till 1.

Games at the Old Mill - Checkers, Crochet, Hula Hoops, etc.

New Business:

Ortonville's 175th Celebration - lots of discussion topics listed on the bottom of August Agenda.

Adjourn: The meeting was adjourned at 7:20 PM.

Respectfully submitted by: Pat George (Historian).