

Little Chute Historical Society Meeting  
October 16, 2017

The meeting was called to order by President, Virgie Janssen at 5:30. Member present: Gene & Virgie Janssen, Ellen Mischler, Faye Grosek-Woods, Paul West, Dick Evers, Carol Van Boxtel, Dennis Graf, Joe De Bruin, Kathy De Bruin, Rosie Hietpas, Dale Siebers, Jeanne Bristol, Visitors: Tom & Barb Dorn.

The secretary report was read ahead time. Carol Van Boxtel made a motion to accept the minutes and was seconded by Dick Evers. All in favor. The treasurer's report was handed out ahead of time. Dale Seibers made a motion to accept the report. It was seconded by Jeanne Bristol. All were in favor.

Rose Hietpas give us an update on Founders Day. Possibly wait til 2019. It would be a one day event, 9-4 only. Dutch Apple pie, Pigs in blanket, Church tours, olie bolen was suggested. Teachers from the public school made pies in past Kermis. One person already volunteered to do pea soup. She will talk with the Village Administrator, James Felon, when it comes time to pick a date. Have someone do a Fr. Vanden Broek talk. Include American Indians. Kathy & Joe know a contact person for Indian events. Contact Cemetery walk from past events. Virgie will contact Jane about a cemetery walk. Ellen will not be involved because of the Quilt Show. Tentatively, we will do Cemetery walk in May 2018 and the founder's day May 2019.

Christmas Party: We will check with Cindy before we decide as the dinner menu for 5<sup>th</sup> Quarter shows only fish on the dinner menu. Shelly's and Mill house Bruw Co. are closed on Mondays.

We have had artifact donations from visitors. "Jansson" (different spelling) Music Store -record cleaner with his name on it. There is a write up on the item. From Dave Neiling. He also brought in 2 shoe horns from Vanderloop Shoes.

Historical Society wish list was passed around. It contains a map chest, metal cart, step stool. Step stool with railing with will be donated by Dale Siebers. Paul will post on facebook.

Quilt Show is scheduled for April 20-22, 2018. There is a change in Hours Fri & Sat 10-4 Sun 11-3. When rules & entry form are ready, Ellen will give to Paul to post on HS website.

Spinning wheel from the Kilsdonk family. Faye finally contact him. Someone from the Kilsdonk family said they wanted it. Joe Rhyner, from New Jersey, said he will contact the family member to see if he would rather the LCHS had it.

There is still a need for helpers on Wednesdays at 11-1:30 in November while the windmill is closed.

During the next portion of the meeting, the group was moved to the base of the windmill to give Paul West his award from the State Historical Society.

Dale Siebers made a motion to close the meeting. It was seconded by Carol Van Boxtel. All were in favor. The meeting was adjourned at 6:30.

Respectfully submitted  
Ellen Mischler, Acting Secretary