

KGMS General Meeting Minutes

March 3, 2020

CALL TO ORDER by Dave Haas, President, at the Portage Senior Center

DOOR PRIZE WINNERS: Martin, Kathy Fosmoe, Maria, Paula Barnhandt, Diane Peterson and Bryan Worden

SECRETARY REPORT: read and accepted

TREASURER REPORTS: read and accepted

A. 2020 Show Report

- a. Sue Haas reviewed Silent Auction guidelines and bid sheets for members. Silent Auction items require a bid sheet for each clean item and each item should be zip-locked separately. Fold bid sheets so they can be seen from outside. White bid sheets are for 100% item sale proceeds donated to the club, colored bid sheets are for 80% item sale proceeds to member/ 20% item sale proceeds to club. Starting bid for item must be no lower than \$2. Minimum bid increase is 25 cents unless larger item. Silent Auction area needs bubble wrap, tissue paper and clean plastic bags.
- b. Wrifton reported five new dealers for total of 40 dealers committed to attend show. Most dealers have a larger booth size from last year.
- c. 3-day tickets will be available. Wrifton reported he is still working on making them available for purchase online.
- d. Dave reported there will be a daily Grand Prize for Friday and Saturday in addition to Sunday Grand Prize.
- e. A signup sheet for show display cases was circulated.

B. Membership:

- a. Dave introduced new members / attendees

C. Fieldtrips:

- a. Kim is working on a fieldtrip to Thunder Bay, Canada for end of July 2020 and Upper Peninsula/Ishpeming the first week in August
- b. Kim announced Mazon Creek fieldtrip for plant fossils is scheduled for May 16. Attendance limit is 20 persons
- c. Kim has tentatively scheduled a fieldtrip to Cheney Quarry in September

D. Scholarship Committee:

No report

E. Education/Outreach Committee

- a. No Report noted

F. ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- a. Writton announced workbee to update KGMS database March 7 at 10:30am at the Great Lakes Bee Supply, 33 W. Battle Creek St., Galesburg
- b. Program: Show and Tell with special presentation by Jerry Vannocker about Amethyst Mines in Thunder Bay/Bancroft, Canada area

MEETING WAS ADJOURNED

Cynthia Gauthier, recording Secretary

DATE APPROVED: Not approved as next meeting was a year later due to Coronavirus Pandemic