

# KGMS General Meeting Minutes

May 1, 2018

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

**DOOR PRIZE WINNERS:** Jonas, Alex, Anthony, Bruce Athenton, Kim Strawbridge and Sheri Crum

**SECRETARY REPORT:** read and accepted.

**TREASURER REPORTS:** read and accepted.

a) **COMMITTEE REPORTS:**

1. **Annual Show:** MWF has 9 members attending the Saturday Banquet. 30 attendees are scheduled for MWF meeting and Friday social gathering after the show.

a. **Kids Day/Games:** Donna Siebert reported progress on new Kids game.

- i. Volunteers to notify Donna of day and time slot they are willing to work
- ii. Do not reuse tickets in the Game area as this tracks how much money area makes per day. Each game will have its own box for tickets to help determine which games are popular.
- iii. Kids Day volunteers should arrive no later than 8:15am.
- iv. Expecting 800 kids for kids day

b. **Display Cases:** A volunteer is needed 2 May at 1:00pm to pick up display cases. Contact Dave Haas for directions. Prompt removal of items from cases after the show will facilitate teardown and help display items not get lost or broken

**c. Volunteers:** Need to sign in at the Information Booth. All workers must have ID. If working for a vendor, do not wear KGMS t-shirt

**B. Silent Auction:** Elizabeth Schau son to bring items to 2018 and 2019 Show Silent Auction. Plan for credit card purchases at silent auction and geode cracking areas.

**C. Membership Dues:** Dave Haas has a list of members who have not paid their dues for 2018. Members are encouraged to check for name on list.

**D. Presenters:** Dinosaur footprints leading from North Expo to Room B. A booth sitter is needed Friday afternoon for Paleo Joe while he does his presentations

**E. Scholarship:** Bill Mitchell attended WMU scholarship banquet. KGMS awarded 3 scholarships. Two recipients will work at the show.

**F. ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

- a. Dave Haas passed out MWF membership cards
- b. KGMS Work Bee is scheduled for 10:00am 21 July at the Mitchell Residence off M-43. Attendees need to bring a dish to pass. The club will provide main course.
- c. At least 3 people will be taking money and Wristbands at both North and South Expo entrances
- d. Detroit meteorite will be at Booth #7 in North Expo.
- e. Amethyst Tunnel is Grand Prize for this year
- f. Both North and South Expo areas will have rest areas
- g. Dennis to disconnect electricity to cases after the show
- h. All door prize ticket stubs to be kept.
- i. Tailgate scheduled for 22 September 2018
- j. 2019 show will be 3-5 May 2019...60<sup>th</sup> show

**G. Program:** What to Expect at the Show

**MEETING WAS ADJOURNED**  
**Cynthia Gauthier, Secretary**

**DATE APPROVED: June 5, 2018**