# Sibley County Historical Society 700 Main Street

# Henderson, MN 56044

# November/December 2024 Meeting Minutes

Held on Thursday, December 5, 2024, 5:30 p.m. At Sibley County Museum

**Attendance:** Joy Cohrs, Diane Fredin, Becky Briggs, Verne Schlueter, Alice Strobel, Holly Harjes, Shirley Black

**Call to order:** Meeting was called to order by President Joy Cohrs at 5:22 pm.

# Agenda: Approve/deny Agenda:

• Added: Mouse in the children's room.

A motion to approve the agenda with the addition, was made by Alice Strobel, second by Dianne Fredin. Passed.

# Minutes: Approve/deny October 2024 minutes.

Motion to approve the minutes was made by Holly Harjes, Second by Becky Briggs. Passed.

**Treasurer Report: Approve/deny November/December Treasurer Report:** Presented by President Joy Cohrs.

A motion was made by Shirley Black to approve the Treasurer's Report. The second was made by Becky Briggs. Passed.

#### **Old Business:**

# Christmas Event – Holly. REMEMBER TO BRING 2 DOZEN COOKIES EACH.

Holly provided an update on the activities surrounding Christmas at the museum. Arlene Busse donated Christmas ornaments from the 20's, 30's, and 40's. Holly shared with us the ornaments are wonderful. Diane Fredin will write up the program, in which Arlene will be given credit for her ornaments.

Waters and punch (Joy to bring) will be available during the Christmas Event.

Mike Reinhardt and Joe Strobel will put up the garland on the steps.

#### **New Business:**

### **Orkin Pest Control**

We have paid for their services. Mice are an issue in the museum, including the children's room. Tom called Orkin and we can purchase an extra termination service. Alice made a motion to move forward with the extra service. Diane Fredin seconded the motion.

### **Give MN Donations**

The recent Give Minnesota campaign produced donations totaling \$380 in donations to the museum.

# **Collection Committee:** Joy, Vickie and Susan

Joy showed us two items:

- 1. Bible from Orrin Kipp
- 2. Dolls from Shirley Blascho (Wife of Leonard)

A motion was made by Diane Fredin to accept these items. Shirley Black seconded the motion.

# Any other:

Small Business Saturday. Joy reported on the small business Saturday event that she had a table there on behalf of the museum.

Alice Stroebel reported on the museums Negatives/unidentified photos. Becky will sell the photos. Discussion around the negatives including using software to be able to read and save the image from the negatives.

# **Meeting Adjoined**

A motion to adjoin the meeting was made by Becky Briggs with a second by Shirley Black. Passed. The meeting was adjourned at 6:10 pm

Respectfully Submitted Shirley Black, SCHS , Secretary



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# Fw: MNHS Summer Event

1 message

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Fri, May 31, 2024 at 3:09 PM

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From: Letecia Holter <letecia.holter@mnhs.org>

To: Joy Cohrs <schs1@frontiemet.net>

Sent: Tuesday, May 28, 2024 at 05:34:46 PM CDT

Subject: MNHS Summer Event

Hello Joy,

The Minnesota Historical Society is planning a summer event in St. Peter the evening of Thursday, August 1st to celebrate the history of South Central MN.

We would like to invite you and your historical society board to join us at this free open house style gathering. Is there a preferred method of contact for sending invitations to the board members? (We will have digital and physical versions of the invitation heading out late June.) If you could share that information with us, we would really appreciate it.

We look forward to hearing from you!

Thank you, **Letecia Holter** (she/her) Event Coordinator & Membership Program Associate 651-259-3269 office | 763-415-2006 cell



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