

Schiller Park
Historical Commission Minutes
March 13, 2023

CALL TO ORDER: Meeting called to order at 10:00 AM by Dan Sliwicki

ROLL CALL: Dan Sliwicki, Diana Caffero, June Oulund, Warren Schuhrke, Claudia Irsuto,
Leslie Williams, Hilde Kilian

LIAISON: Russ Klug

VOLUNTEERS: Robbie Holley, Joyce Larsen, Kitch Gorzynski, Rae Elgin (absent)

GUESTS: Sara Gruke, School District 81

LIBRARY REPRESENTATIVE: none

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE was said.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: Motion made by Claudia Irsuto to accept February 13, 2023 Minutes, Seconded by Warren Schuhrke with corrections. Roll call vote. All Agreed.

CORRECTIONS: Sara Gruke (spelling) and Kim Boryszewski represented of District 81 at February 13th meeting

GUESTS AND PUBLIC COMMENTS: None

LIBRARY REPRESENTATIVE: None

LIAISON REPORT: Russ Klug confirmed Tea Party boxes were moved to locked area from library. Diana Caffero suggested going to library to confirm Historical Society has finished move. Diana Caffero will stop at library and confirm.

FINANCIAL REPORT: Claudia Irsuto reported balance of \$3,670.94 with service charge of 33 cents, \$116.19 petty cash, \$4.73 given to Leslie Williams for supplies. \$850.00 invoice will be turned into Village from Sign Company. Dan Sliwicki reported approximated \$109.60 to Excel Screen Printing for shirts and jackets. Everyone who wants one will let Dan Sliwicki know by March 20, 2023. Kitch Gorzynski suggested ordering extra. Hilde Kilian made 1st motion to accept financial report, Warren Schuhrke, 2nd. Roll Call Vote. All accepted.

COMMUNICATIONS: Leslie Williams read Donna Dvorak gmail. Kitch Gorzynski suggested putting signs at designated places. Dan Sliwicki will follow up with Donna Dvorak. Diana Caffero reported NEIL meeting Saturday, Diana Caffero and Claudia Irsuto will represent Schiller Park. June 10th, we will be hosting NEIL Meeting. Dianna Caffero read current letter received from Robinson Ongoing Communications. Russ Klug asked if there were any

communications kept secret and everyone responded no. Russ Klug stated there has been no discussion to talk about land claims by Commissioners. Dianna read letters from Gayord from September, 2022, December, 2022, January 9, 2023 and current. Hilde Kilian stated there were several programs including April 13th at DesPlaines Historical about World War. Russ Klug suggested Leslie Williams send email about information from other historical societies and he will assist.

CHAIRPERSON REPORT: None

COMMITTEE REPORTS: June Oulund mentioned Display Boards were made, more Artifacts need to be made. Open House is April 15th from 11:00am to 2:00pm. Visitors will come in main entrance of school where displays will be and greeted. We need at least 8 commissioners. There will be no refreshments. Russ Klug suggests making list so Commissioners can sign up for what they are comfortable with. Hilde Kilian suggested April meeting be devoted to Open House. June Oulund reported that Leslie Williams and Robbie Holley are working on consolidating boxes. At present working on box 60 and have condensed to 27 boxes. June Oulund suggested that the Commissioners and Volunteers spread out their hours throughout the week. Russ Klug stated that we should let him know when needed. Diana Caffera asked everyone to sign up on calendar when available.

NEIL Meeting will be June 10th in Schiller Park and we will have donuts and water outside room. Sara Gruke stated to let school know if we need anything. Sara Gruke also stated cafeteria can be used for meeting. Dan Sliwicki and June Oulund will talk about how museum came about. Sara Gruke left meeting at 11:35.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS: Kitch Gorzynski and Hilde Kilian reported on school children visiting Historical Society on select Mondays and said it was going well. Russ Klug reminded us that there is still money in our budget and suggested welcome mats. Russ Klug also suggested shirt deadline be next Monday the 20th. Dan Sliwicki will bring complete list March 20th. Warren made 1st motion, June Oulund seconded, all accepted.

NEW BUSINESS: Hilde reported on programs at other libraries.

EXECUTIVE SESSION: NONE

ADJOURNMENT: Meeting adjourned at 12:00. Warren made 1st motion, Hilde seconded. All Accepted.

