

Peace Pipe Chapter 83 Minutes
April 11, 2022

Present (including officers and guests) : 15

President Jerry Tiemans	Secretary Raul Rodriguez	
Cline, Jim	Farmer, John	Hill, Don
Jancarich, Paul	Krueger, Norm	Kwiatkowski, Paul
Kwiatkowski, Terry	Miller, Bob	Murray, Harry
Schrum, Fred	Stanley, Jason	John Wagner
Visitor Dan Watts		

Meeting was called to order at the St John Township Center at 7:00 PM by President Jerry Tiemans

Thought for the day by John Wagner: *Forget today's troubles, remember today's blessings.*

Minutes read from last month. Minutes corrected to include the show & tell item that Paul Kwiatkowski presented which was a Bulova.

New Business

A Banquet Hall in Highland's Lincoln Center was rented for May 21 (9A till 1P) for our next MART. The hall was rented for four hours. Tables with 2-chairs/table will be provided by the facility. This date was chosen because the facility will have a TOWN garage-sale which has a lot of foot-traffic in their large field-house.

The idea with this mart is to cover our costs and get emails from customers to let them know about our club, and notify them about future marts likely at larger facilities and less expensive like Don Hill's church.

Table Rental fee of \$20 will just cover our costs.. Discussed, motioned and approved.

Discussion on Mart entry-fee. Not sure if we CAN charge entry-fee since this Mart is in same building as a public-facility. Other possibilities for fund-raising: door donations, 50-50 raffle, and a club-table for silent-auction of donated items. Possible food-item sales. Brought to vote on official entry fee of \$0.

John Farmer & Raul have retrieved vendor lists from previous marts, but waiting on Jason to see if can inquire Chapter 3's vendor list. Hopefully they can help us with that.

Harry Murray agreed to take on the task of administering the table-rentals.

Jerry reported that member Elliot Spearin cannot attend meetings for a bit due to a broken leg.

Jerry also shared with us photos of a clock shop he went to in Florida. Large amount of exclusive clocks; owner does a lot of significant clock repair.

Suggestions for other meeting ideas:

Cuckoo-clock repairs, bellows. Different techniques for winding mainsprings. Repairs for clicks. Everybody required to bring an item from your collection (clock, watch, tool) for discussion.

Show & Tell - C

Paul Kwiatkowski shared with us a Croton time-piece. Automatic, hackset 21-jewel Japanese movement, screwdown-crown so water-resistant. The company was established in 1878.

Meeting adjourned