

Iola Historical Society

Board Meeting Minutes, September 30, 2019

Cliff, Lee, Tom, Bonny, Charlie T. and Sharon were present.

Cliff opened the meeting.

Tom approved the August minutes.

Tom presented a Treasurer's report – Lee motioned to accept, Bonny second. Approved.

Cliff said we will have a marker dedicated to Clifford Thompson.

For the Christmas party in November, will honor Doug Watson and Don Faldet.

Hellestad House will have a Norwegian Heritage day on October 12 in Waupaca.

Greg Loescher talked about the Taste of Norway event. All is set.

Tom said students will store things in the Machine Shed again for the haunted house at the mill.

Lee presented the Historical Society laptop for cataloging donations to the IHS. Lyle Mork did a very good job of recording references.

Lee Halverson and Nola Thompson will go to a meeting about the Past Perfect program.

Sharon motioned to adjourn.

Membership Meeting Minutes, September 30, 2019

Cliff opened the membership meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance. Thirty-one people were present.

Motion to accept August minutes by Dorothy Berg, Sue Halverson second.

Treasurer's report by Tom. Roger Olson motioned to accept, Donna Hooker second.

Hartman Creek is doing a Norwegian Heritage program. Cliff is going to attend and take some artifacts from IHS to Hellestad House. It will be the main attraction.

Christmas party will be November 5 at Millstone – it is earlier than usual due to Tom leaving on a trip.

Lee Halverson shared the moving of many storage boxes from the firehouse to the Resource Center. Thanks to all who helped.

Tom talked about the paranormal group that met at the mill. Very interesting.

Joanna Rheingans motioned to adjourn.

Monthly program was from Hugh Hayes – retired forester – who talked about his family connection with 'Old Abe' as well as his own Native American bloodline.

Minutes recorded by Acting Secretary – Sharon Peterson