

June 12, 2019,

# Home Town Rome Players

Lester Public Library of Rome

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Our Mission: To share local creative talents as a service to our community. Our meetings are open to any interested parties.

## **INTRODUCTION & MEMBERS:**

Members Present: Barb and Ron Blair, Diana Gundrum, Pat and Paul Pisellini, Donna Haugen, Pam Hyland, Jeanne Woulf, Vito Giardino, and Penny Miller

## **SECRETARY'S REPORT: PENNY MILLER**

Minutes from the last meeting were sent out via email.

Motion to approve previous minutes: Patt

Seconded the motion: Pam

All Approved

## **TREASURER'S REPORT: DONNA HAUGEN**

Treasurer's report was shared with the group. On April 22, 2019 our balance was \$1068.40. Included in this balance is a check for \$100. from last August that has not been cashed by Nekoosa schools. Also included in this balance is \$500 for Nekoosa Ambulance to purchase a television. The \$500 given for the community garden for the watering system will be held by the Nature Foundation until a plan is made.

A motion was made by Jeanne and seconded by Patt to approve a payment to Barb for props and supplies for the amount of \$177.42. All approved.

Motion to approve report: Patt

Seconded the motion: Ron

All Approved

## **HISTORIAN'S REPORT: PATT PISELLINI**

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**We commended Patt for her outstanding entries to our scrapbooks.**

### **MARKETING REPORT: VITO**

**Vito made arrangements with FM 105.5, AM 1320 Morning Talk Show July 5 8:00 AM to have Wayne and Barb promote our Rome’N Fest. A suggestion was made to have a Sunday Matinee for Rome’N Fest in the future. A decision was not made at this time.**

### **SPONSORED EVENTS FOR 2019: BARB BLAIR**

**NURSING HOME SHOWS: They will be held July 16, 17, 23 and 24. We will also have our HTRP meeting at 1 on the 17th. Dick and Pam will be transporting the dance floor. Bill Goeldner will direct the floor set up. HELP IS STILL NEEDED TO HELP SET UP. Thanks.**

**ROME ’N FEST: “ON THE ROAD AGAIN” Will be held Friday, August 9 and Saturday August 10. Ticket sales will begin July 5 at the Library. Penny Miller and Donna will be on duty that day. The cost remains \$30. Mary and Donna will be selling to the cast. Seats will be reserved this year. Cast need only pay for one night, but if you want to eat with family and friends you must let Donna or Mary know so a seat can be reserved for you. Posters are being distributed. Pam will be in charge of recruiting Table Sponsors. \$50 for one night and \$100 for two nights. All Table Sponsor donations go to Friends of Lester Public Library of Rome. Pam will be Props and Sign Director. Denise and Alice will be Basket Coordinators...trying for 10 for each show. STILL NEED HELP FOR SOUND SYSTEM ASSISTANT AND DINNER/FOOD DIRECTORS. THANKS.**

**SCRIPT WRITING FOR ROME’N FEST 2020 TO BE DETERMINED**

**VETERAN’S SHOW: Monday November 11th at the Town Hall after the lunch.**

**WEB PAGE DEVELOPMENT: MIKE SAEGER IS DOING A GREAT JOB**

**THRIVENT MATCH: PENNY MILLER and PATTY BECK**

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**Grants have been received from Thrivant once again this year to help with costumes, decorations etc. for the Nursing Homes Shows and Rome'NFest. A total of \$500.**

**OTHER ITEMS TO DISCUSS:**

**We were asked to have the Line Dancers perform at the Renaissance Care Center in Wisconsin Rapids on August 14th for their "Round Up".**

**Vito suggested looking into applying for Grants from other sources in addition to Thrivant.**

**A motion was made by Ron to adjourn the meeting. Seconded by Jeanne.. All approved.**

**NEXT MEETINGS: JULY 17 AND AUG 21**

**LIBRARY CONFERENCE ROOM, 1:00**

**PLEASE MARK YOUR CALENDARS..**