

KGMS General Meeting Minutes

April 6, 2021

CALL TO ORDER by Dave Haas, President, via virtual meeting on ZOOM. There were 11 participants online.

DOOR PRIZE WINNERS: Sue Haas, Janice Ahrens and Rick Berner

SECRETARY REPORT: read and accepted

TREASURER REPORTS: read and accepted

A. 2022 Show Report

1. KGMS 2021 show cancelled due to uncertainty about COVID condition in Michigan.
2. Dave announced 2022 show theme “ We Are Back and Ready to Rock”

B. Membership:

1. Dave announced new member, Mike Cooper

C. Fieldtrips:

1. Keokuk Geode trip –May 15
2. Flint Ridge – June 26
3. Sylvania Quarry, South Rockwood, MI – July 17
4. LaFarge Quarry, Spaulding, OH – Tailings pile fieldtrip possibility in August
5. Cheney Quarry – September 9
6. Byholt Quarry – October 2 (October 10 rain date)

D. Scholarship Committee:

1. Bill picked up scholarship applications and will be delivering awards to students 30 April at Banquet. KGMS to award \$3000 total in scholarships.

E. Education/Outreach Committee

1. Dave reported on Plainwell Library display. Dave is working with Library to identify best Earth Science/Lapidary books to donate.
2. Discussion on expanding the 2021 KGMS tailgate.

F. ANNOUNCEMENTS:

1. No July Workbee needed
2. Dave reported that we need to send a payment for storage. Rick to get an invoice from Mr. Kison.
3. Announcement of Donna and Keith move to Elizabethtown, OH and their rock shop near Cincinnati, OH
4. Discussion on various areas to collect including quarry near Tampa Bay, Diamond Hill Mine and Franklin, NC
5. No Program as it was a virtual meeting

MEETING WAS ADJOURNED

Cynthia Gauthier, recording Secretary

DATE APPROVED with corrections May 2, 2021