

Kenosha County Genealogy Society
Board Meeting Minutes, October 1, 2018

The meeting was called to order by President, Kathy Nuernberg at 6:34 PM in the conference room at the Kenosha Northside Public Library. Those in attendance were: Kathy Nuernberg, Dawn Best, Brenda Lambert-Miller, MaryAnn Cole, Judy Uelmen, Judy Reynolds, and Oren Simpson.

The Secretary's report was read and accepted by Dawn Best and seconded by Judy Reynolds.

The Treasurer's report was read and accepted with a balance of 2,942.04.

Oren would like to make a brief presentation maybe in November about the Matrilineal Descendants of Mary DeWitt Pitt maternal great grandmother of Earl Pitt Boyer. He has been working on her family tree. Earl is a dead WWI soldier. Website is Canadian Defense Casualty Identification Program, from the National Security Defense.

A free Family Tree Maker Interactive Presentation will be Wed., November 7, 2018 at the First Christian Church in Kenosha. Presented by Mark Olsen, FTM Ambassador. There will be handouts, and door prizes. Zion Genealogy Society will be joining us and promoting as well. Cost for the church is \$25 for four hours and they will set up, water will be provided.

Kathy has some items for raffle at the October General Meeting. A photo stick that downloads photos, book "Someone is in my Genes," Family Tree Maker, and two grandparents' books.

Next months Board Meeting is on Mon Nov. 5, 6:30 – 8:00 pm, Northside Public Library.

Dawn said at September's general meeting there were 6 visitors and 26 members. 21 members have paid their dues for 2018-19. If not paid by October 31 there is a \$5 late fee. The website will have a new password at the end of October.

The Bio-Science Building at Gateway Technical College is now named Inspire Center.

Judy Uelmen asked for help passing out the funeral card boxes to the Kenosha Funeral Homes. Requesting they be kept in the funeral home office and including two cards, so we will have a front and back. Every 1 ½ to 2 months they will be picked up and put in a Ziplock bag and marked with the funeral homes name on the bag. Volunteers were: Dawn – Bruch, and Kenosha Funeral Services. MaryAnn – Langendorf, and Piasecki. Brenda – Hansen and Casey. Judy U. – Greenridge and Sunset Cemeteries.

Judy Reynolds said the publicity has been sent out for the meetings and One-on-One help.

Tombstone project: Sunset Ridge is now completed started there in 2012. Will continue with just St. George cemetery this year and start on St. Casimir next year. A woman named Michelle contacted Judy and Kathy about having 5 mentally challenged adults helping at the cemetery.

Meeting adjourned at 7:22 PM. Respectfully submitted by Brenda Lambert-Miller, Secretary.