

DCC Meeting 20200305

7pm Town Hall

Directors Present:

Bill Evans (treasurer)

Cathy Darrow

Susan Franklin (vice president)

Julie Clougherty

Katharine Hunter (president)

Ted Crane (secretary)

Pamela Goddard

Directors Missing:

None

Guests:

Eric Banford.

Meeting opened at 7:07

Announcements

Bob & Naomi Strichartz have talked about donating the piano. Several suggestions that it should go to the DCC rather than the Town; with the feeling that DCC would take better care of it.

Additions to Agenda

None

Privilege of the Floor

Eric Banford described the Food Policy Council. They had a meeting. Have funding for 2-year study of food security in the County. Eric wants to host a similar "Café" for Danby residents. Not sure of the timeline, or whether it'd be a weekday or weekend. Will get back to us.

Eric talked about sponsoring a garden support group that would share plants and work efforts. Perhaps dinners. Discussion of various other garden programs including the Seed To Supper that DCC has run in the past. Eric may prepare an article for Danby News.

Approval of Minutes

Bill moved approval of the 02-Jan and 06-Feb. Approved by voice vote.

Review of Recent Events

22-Feb, 3pm, Saturday, Dave Streater. Unanimously positive reviews. \$27 donations and 35 attending, including 5 yoot. Piano tuning cost \$140.

Upcoming Event Planning

Grady Girls, St. Patrick's Concert. Not going to work out this year. Have proposed an event for next year. Arise and Go could not do it, either.

AFCU Tax Prep, March 14, 10am-2pm. Available for free, but reservations required, call 2-1-1.

Celebration for Ric Dietrich, Sunday, March 15, 2-4pm, DVFC Meeting Room. DCC will be paying for the cake. A tree will be planted. Certificate? Ciders from Steve Selin.

Dave Richman, Matthew Ocone, Isaac Sharp, Sunday, April 19, 3pm. Classical Guitar. Katharine taking the lead on this one. Cathy will help with refreshments.

Carol Kammen, history talk. Sometime in May.

Sufi Music via Greg Ezra, Sunday, June 14, 3pm. Katharine is following up on this.

Dewayne Perry, Ted Caldwell, et al, "Bill Evans style jazz," are interested in playing.

Tim Ball and John Wobus, Celtic, Cape Breton, Scandi fiddle and piano. Interested in playing. Pamela will explore a May date.

Michelle Gordon (flute) is interested in a repeat performance sometime in the summer of 2020. Or maybe the fall.

Bill not having much luck with the butterfly expert. He proposed a **Moth event**, perhaps for early June when the big moths are out.

Ted contacted **Zoe Ponterio (SPIF)**. She's willing. He will aim for something during the summer.

Pamela will talk to **Robert Wesley**, about a wildflower presentation.

Date set for 2020 Harvest Festival: October 11, 2020.

Youth Programming

Next Committee meeting: 13-Mar-2020, 1:30pm,
Wegman's.

Susan described a Knit Wit program that was attended by almost two hands of yoot.

CCC WritingE

Bill will write up a short teaser for the Danby News, and an excerpt from the piece that he and Veery are composing.

Finances

Tax letters have been sent, along with a letter to Gould for his donation.

Various receipts were turned in for reimbursement.

Bill updated us on the situation vis-a-vis reimbursement to the West Danby Community Association. It's been hard to build a paper trail of its expenses.

Youth Grants

One family (several yoot) gave us the wrong address for a program, leading to an extended comedy of mailing and remailing the check. Tragedy was averted.

Miscellaneous

Nothing.

Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 9:07pm.

Next Meeting

The next meeting will be on the regular meeting date, Thursday, April 2, 7pm, in Town Hall.

Quote of the Day: Oppornockity tunes but once..