

West Salem Business Association

November 14, 2018

Meeting called to order at 12:00 p.m. by Vice President Laurie Noelke. After introductions and buffet lunch, the regular meeting commenced. Police Chief Charles Ashbeck updated the membership on the “state of the Village”, department activities, and active shooter training.

Minutes

The minutes of the October meeting were distributed and reviewed. Motion by Dan Eoriatti, seconded by Ashley Giese to approve the minutes as presented. Motion approved.

Treasurer’s Report

Treasurer Patty Gjertsen’s Association bank balance report was distributed. The Association bank balance is \$4,939.51. The flowerpot account balance is \$232.09, and Winter Wonderland balance is \$2,826.39. Motion by Teresa Schnitzler, seconded by Ashley Giese to approve the treasurer’s report as presented. Motion approved.

Junior Achievement

The Association has regularly donated financial support and volunteers for the Junior Achievement program. Motion by Don Brenengen, seconded by Denise Jones to donate \$1,000 to Junior Achievement. Motion approved.

Celebrate West Salem

Planning is in progress for next year’s Celebrate West Salem event. The next meetings are scheduled for Wednesday, November 21 and Wednesday, December 19.

Annual Banquet

Board member Trent Jorgenson prepared a very brief survey asking the membership to select preferred dates for the annual banquet. Please take a moment to submit your preference.

West Salem Lions Club

O.J. Romskog asked the membership to submit names of families in need of a food basket from the West Salem Lions Club. Boxes will be distributed on December 22 to families in need.

Upcoming Events

Several clothing collection drives are in progress at First National Bank, Union State Bank, Altra Federal Credit Union, and 1st Community Credit Union.

Spotlight of the Month

Pizza Oven – West Salem was chosen as the December business of the month.

Motion by Patty Gjertsen, seconded by Brenda Osterlie to adjourn the meeting at 12:59 p.m. Motion approved by voice vote.

Teresa L. Schnitzler, Secretary/Director