

Drummond Historical Society Meeting
Minutes Wednesday, March 16, 2011
Next Meeting April 20, 2011 – Public Invited – Library Meeting Room

Attendees: Les Watters, Ruth Ann Unseth, Rodger Larsen, Patsy Larsen. The meeting was called to order by Vice President, Les Watters.

Minutes from January 19, 2011 posted on Drummond website. Motion to approve minutes by Rodger Larsen and second by Ruth Ann Unseth. Carried.

Treasure's Report – Included January and February 2011. Agreement to purchase 500 stamps. Motion to approve by Patsy Larsen and second by Rodger Larsen. Carried.

Correspondence – Les had miscellaneous information. Les noted the Annual Report is due and Ruth Ann noted that the Drummond Report has been filed on-line and accepted. There is a Regional Exhibits Workshop in Ashland on April 8, 2011 – did not appear a participant from Drummond would be attending due to previous commitments.

Old Business

Rodger reported that the stand/case for the albino deer will be approximately \$1400. Jim Overman of "The Wood Chipper" will be making the stand/case. This money will be taken out of the Museum savings to match the Library payment made to "Wild Things Taxidermy". Suzanne Widmar has photos of the albino deer on the bulletin board in the library. The completed deer mount will be on display in the Library to the left of the door as you enter the main Library. This is a joint project between the Library and Museum.

Les and Rodger have put the dray back on action list for this spring and summer.

New Business

Mailing labels will be on-going trying to keep up with address changes and snow bird locations and timing. We will be sending some snow bird publications by first class to cover forwarding of mail.

Script for mill whistle exists back at whistle display. Les and Rodger will figure out a method to securely attach the two red lanterns for display. Paint touch ups are needed in display area – especially at flume/anchor area. Les and Rodger measured for addition of display board near back door so the school display can be moved to make room for Les' fire department display. Les mentioned the need for additional plastic holders in the museum and Rodger moved to approve purchase and Patsy seconded. Carried.

The June 6, 2011 BCHS meeting will be held in Cable with a lunch in Drummond at the Drummond Community Center. Les & Karen will furnish pork & mini Kaiser Buns for sandwiches, Cable drinks and dessert, Patsy beans, and Ruth Ann potato salad.

Patsy and Ruth Ann reported on the March BCHS meeting and Bill Meyer was at the meeting as President. He has since died and will be greatly missed by all members of local museums and his Community and friends. Verne Gillis has requested information on the old schools and Ruth Ann and Patsy are working on documentation and photos.

Ruth Ann was given a book on "Robert (Bob) Provost" compiled and written by his son and daughter-in-law. The book describes in words and photos where the father went during WWII. Another copy of the book was given to Washburn. The Drummond book will be kept with other WWII documents in the locked book cases in the museum and is available for reading only at the museum.

Meeting Adjourned