

The April meeting of the East China Historical Commission was called to order by Co-chair Griffor at 7 p.m. Present: Griffor, Babel, Baker, Beaudua, Kloka, Roegner, Light. Also present: Allen Reichle. Absent: None.

Minutes of the last meeting were approved on motion of Roegner, second by Babel. MCU.

Treasurer's report was circulated by Roegner; discussion. Motion to accept by Beaudua, second by Kloka. MCU.

Correspondence: Griffor reported a call from Keith Coffey, of the McGregor family, offering to volunteer. He will visit during an Open House.

Old Business: Kloka reported that the book binder, located in St. Clair Shores, will be able to refurbish our book at a cost of \$45. This should be finished in May. Beaudua stated that work on the time capsule pictures and album will begin soon. Griffor noted that the Blue Water Visitors Center people were able to use a picture of the school from our website. Beaudua scheduled volunteers for April class visits, all from 9:15 am to 1:30 pm:

Monday, April 26: (Cathy Christensen class): Baker

Tuesday, April 27: (Dana Wilson class): Light

Wednesday, April 28: (Rachel Card class): Kloka open & close; Lucille Wegmeyer, Volunteer

The list of members' email addresses was updated.

New Business: Election of officers: After discussion, Beaudua and Griffor suggested that the secretary cast a unanimous ballot to retain the present officers. These officers have agreed to serve for the next term. Beaudua noted that he issued a plea for more volunteers at the last township board meeting.

Member Reports: Baker has checked on work on the township website; this will begin soon. A member session was scheduled to work on scrapbook material: Wednesday, April 21, 10 am.

Open House volunteers will be scheduled at the next meeting. These events are 1-4 pm, each second Sunday during June, July, August, September and October.

Roegner moved, Beaudua seconded to adjourn the meeting at 7:33 pm.

Following the meeting an informal discussion was held with Allen Reichle concerning his proposed candidacy for a seat on The East China School Board.

Next meeting May 5 at 7 pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Cathy Light, Secretary