

THE SWANTON AREA RAILROAD AND MODEL CLUB, INC.

DISPATCHER

November 8, 2019

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Meeting Called to Order at: 8:03 pm

Members Present for the Meeting: 35 Members; 3 Guests

Motion to accept the Secretary's Report (Dispatcher) from last month: Motion by Ed Snyder, 2nd by Dan C. **APPROVED**

Don Dine has been moved to Swanton Valley on Airport Hwy. He is doing well and is allowed to have visitors.

Officer Reports

Historian's Report by Ed: No scanning this month.

Treasurer's Report by Don: Reading of the balances are tabeled until next month due to Don's recent surgery.

Reading of the Bills: Motion by Dan, 2nd by Jerry S. **APPROVED**

Lego Loan is Paid off, N Scale Banner and Trailer Plates are paid.

Secretary's Report by Becky: No Report.

Vice President Report by Danny: No Report.

President's Report by KC: Bylaws are ready. If you don't have your purple folder with the updates, please see KC

Key Elements Comics in Wauseon is going to be a Walthers Distributor. If you need information, KC has fliers.

Committee Reports

Public Relations/Social Media Report: Facebook: 157 Instagram: 335

Programs: No Report.

Memorial: No report.

Division Reports

HO Division Report by Andi Echler: Having small work sessions this month.

Dec. 7 is Santa in Swanton, Set up is Fri 12/6 at 3pm.

Dec. 14 is Foster Kids (closed show), Set up at 8:30am.

Jan. 4/5, 2020 World's Greatest Hobby in Columbus is still a possibility. Not been finalized yet.

O Division Report by Dennis Heban: Did a 7 hour Set up at the Manor House today and decorating tomorrow. Size is 26' x 26' with crossovers!

Zoo Set up is next Sunday (11/17) 8' by 16'.

Mentioned in the Manor House ad in the Blade this week.

Zoo parking—working on being able to park behind the museum again.

N Division Report by Tim Gray: Santa in Swanton and Foster Kids are upcoming shows.

L Division (LEGO LUG) by Jason Steinhurst: We went to the Willard Show. Went to Mich BrickWorld Show in Sept. had 5000 people there. Then went to Ft. Wayne BrickWorld Show that had 4500 people. Imagination Station Dec. 26-30.

The NTD Committee is looking at the possibility of having a show (no vendors) in November of 2020. Asked if there was any interest. O Division out due to Manor House and Zoo.

Approval of Division Reports: Motion by Ed, 2nd by Andi. **APPROVED**

Old or Unfinished Business: Tim reported that the Toledo Public Library wanted a layout to run during open hours from Thanksgiving to Christmas. They also wanted to be able to run the trains if no one could be there to run them! We turned them down.

Dates for next year's calendar were discussed. They are attached.

Swanton Caboose repainting committee: Terry will be Chairperson and will gather info needed to do the work in the spring. PENDING FURTHER DISCUSSION.

New Business: None.

Good of the Club: Raffle for General Fund. Total was \$27.50 and won by Marianne, who took home \$13.75.

Show & Tell: Tankers. Danny, Duane, Cody, Jim M., Michelle, and Brad participated.

Meeting adjourned: 8:43 pm.

Our Next Meeting will be: December 6, 2019

Location: The Swanton Council Room

Show and Tell: Snow Equipment

Refreshments:

Raffle: L

Attention Members! Attached you will find a SARMC Directory. Please review it and if there are any blank spaces or red ?'s marks please get KC The information ASAP!

2020 Meeting Dates

Voting at Decembers Meeting!

January	industrial buildings	01/10/19 2 nd fri
Feb	Swanton or local related	02/07/20
Mar	Fast food cars or buildings	03/06/20
april	Baseball cars or buildings	04/03/20 chili
May	Amtrak	05/01/20
june	Ice cream building	06/05/20
july	Patriotic theme	07/10/20
aug	Dome cars / Auto racks	08/07/20
sept	Football cars or building	09/11/20 2nd fri
oct	ore cars	10/02/20
nov	Snow Equipment	11/06/20
dec	Xmas Equipment	12/04/20

