

The Villages Gem and Mineral Society Minutes

May 4, 2023

Call to Order at 7:30 pm

- **Officers Present**

- Vice President – Jody Glocke
- Secretary – Barbara Helfer
- Board Members at Large – Norm Lewis

- **Office Reports**

- Secretary – Barb have the April meeting minutes approved as written
- Treasurer - Bob give the Treasurer's report and have it approved
- **02/28/23 Total Checkbook balance** **\$6639.54**
 - April Receipts \$1698.95
 - April Expenses (\$176.05)
 - Total booth receipts for Feb 2024 show **\$1160.00**
- Checkbook Balance and Cash on Hand **\$8162.44**
- **Funds Available for 2023** **\$7002.44**
- **Membership**
 - Number of paid members 106
 - Number on Waiting List 0
- Treasurer Report Approved
 - Report approved as written

- **Committee Chair Reports**

- Advertising- Pam Kurtz
- Education Committee- Judy Mitchell
- Equipment Committee- Norm Lewis/Bob Delvaux
 - Titan will be out of commission for a week or so until the wheels are in and installed
- Field Trip Committee- Bill Collins
- Holiday Party Committee- Barb Helfer
- Wire Wrappers/Jewelry Makers- Nancy Buettner/Susan McCauley
- Maintenance- Norm Lewis
- Show Chairperson- Pam Kurtz
 - Need to have the forms for the November Show to be timestamped
 - The 20 tables will be dispersed on a first come, first served
 - Bob is keeping a list of persons willing to share their table in case you don't get a table.
 - Space is limited by size of room at the Rohan Rec Center
 - Open to The Villagers and the general public

- Training & Certification- Bob Delvaux
- Webmaster- Laurie Tossy

- **Old Business**

- Reminder, please use the machine signup sheets and reference the machine layout when setting up both Thursdays and Sundays
- Reminder to put the equipment away on the assigned carts and in the assigned slots
- Water buckets need to be cleaned out prior to using
- Volunteers still needed to help Jody with the membership

- **New Business**

- April Silent Auction Results were announced.
- May will be the last general meeting until September. For those traveling out of The Villages for the summer, have a wonderful time and we will see you again in September.

- **Open Discussion**

- The Floor is open to all members present, for comments or concerns regarding TVGMS
- Chinese Auction was held at the conclusion of the meeting