

Jackson County Chapter of the Ohio Genealogical Society

Meeting Minutes – November 8, 2014



The November 8, 2014, meeting of the Jackson County Chapter OGS was called to order by President Donna Scurlock at 10:30am in the Potter Room at the Jackson City Library.

In attendance were: Donna Scurlock (President), Beverly Griffiths (Treasurer), Charles Weese (Recording Secretary), Bob Lewis, Megan Malone, Miriam Harley, Linda Walton, Mike Deaterla.

Meeting Minutes:

Minutes of the October 2014 meeting were not available to be read and approved due to Larry Patrick's unforeseen absence. It will be taken care of in the December meeting.

Treasurer's Report:

General account: Balance as of 10/31/2014 is \$7,813.54

James Cemetery account: Balance as of 10/31/2014 is \$3,401.88

Committee Reports:

1. Fairmount Cemetery street sign project has begun at the cemetery. Some street signs have been installed and work is progressing on others. The map case is up and there is a map of the cemetery in it.
2. James Cemetery still needs a final column and gate hung.

Old Business:

1. Shirts for people volunteering at events: Donna and Ruth will collaborate on purchases and getting the shirts embroidered.

New Business:

1. We will start planning in December 2014 for JCOGS's 35th year anniversary in 2015.
2. There will be a soccer fund raiser with over 50 vendors at Jackson High School on Nov. 15 from 9am until 3pm. Beverly Griffiths motioned that we attend and pay the \$30.00 vendor fee. The motion was seconded by Megan Malone.

Announcements:

1. The Veterans Memorial dedication will be November 11 at 11am.
2. The Manpower Park renaming ceremony will be November 11.
3. Donna wants to start some new projects such as typing up the funeral home records we have. Also possibly indexing or publishing newspaper columns of local areas.
4. Megan mentioned working with JCOGS to investigate ways that the Carriage House at the Lillian Jones Museum could be used to the benefit of both organizations for

storage, meetings, etc. The building would have to be insulated. Bob Lewis motioned to form a committee to investigate the cost of insulating the building and to plan uses for the building. Committee members chosen are Megan Malone (Chairperson), Bob Lewis and Charles Weese.

Motion for adjournment was made and accepted. Meeting adjourned.

Before the business portion of the meeting began, Bob Lewis presented a program on Dr. James Hosea Chessman Miller.

Submitted by: Charles Weese