

Jackson County Chapter of the Ohio Genealogical Society

Meeting Minutes – January 11, 2020



The January 2020 meeting of the Jackson County Chapter OGS was called to order by Donna Scurlock at 10:30 a.m. in the Jackson City Library. In attendance were: Donna Scurlock (President), Ruth Hayth (Vice-President), Charles Weese (Recording Secretary), Beverly Griffiths (Treasurer), Larry Patrick (Newsletter, web site), Megan Malone, Patty Farley, Bob Lewis, Stacy Vance, Kaye House, Naomi Worthington, Norman Gilliland, Juanita Clark, Carolyn Davis, Sandy Manring.

Meeting Minutes:

Juanita motioned we approve the November Minutes and Carolyn seconded. It passed.

Treasurer's Report:

General account: There was a balance of \$8,502.30 on 31 December 2019.

Committee Reports:

1. There were no reports.

Old Business:

1. Beverly is still researching if LDS people can copy some county records that have not been done yet.
2. Still planning to photograph Fairmount Cemetery for our April meeting. It will be photographed in sections. The cemetery office has good records on burials. Ed is getting info together to help create a map of cemetery sections for online. Tom Woltz is getting a PDF of burials up to 2019 to update previous online info.
3. We had a general discussion of digitizing done at the Lillian Jones Museum.

New Business:

1. None.

Announcements:

1. Membership dues are due for 2020 if you haven't already paid.
2. The Kroger Community Rewards Code is XC683.
3. Online digital newspapers – Jackson City Library web site. 1853-1925 including Hamden Express 1880-1902 and Jackson High School yearbooks.
4. John Baldwin sent a First Families application.
5. Don Clark, the former Regional OGS representative for our area died in November 2019.

Because of a large number of attendees this month we had several discussions of a general nature.

The April meeting, weather permitting, will be at Fairmount Cemetery to fill requests for FindAGrave. There are 370 photo requests and only 80 have locations noted.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:35 a. m.

Submitted by: Charles Weese