

Jackson County Chapter of the Ohio Genealogical Society

Meeting Minutes – October 9, 2021



The October 2021 meeting of the Jackson County Chapter OGS was called to order by Donna Scurlock at 10:35 a.m. in the Jackson City Library. In attendance were: Donna Scurlock (President), Charles Weese (Recording Secretary), Beverly Griffiths (Treasurer), Larry Patrick (Newsletter and Website), Robert Lewis, Norman Gilliland, and Juanita Clark.

Meeting Minutes:

Norman motioned we approve the September 2021 Minutes and Bob seconded. It passed.

Treasurer's Report:

General account: There was a balance of \$8,490.86 on 30 September 2021.

Committee Reports:

1. There were no reports.

Old Business:

1. At Fairmount there were no big changes, about 80 more memorials were added in the last month for a total of 13624 with 83% photographed.
2. The scanner at the Jones Museum is now working.
3. Roger (Jackson Library Director) is having a list of genealogical assets in the library typed up for us.

New Business:

1. We discussed naming patterns of different families and countries.
2. John Wallar sent us a letter asking for any info about his mother, Sarah Wallar.
3. Web site changes for FamilySearch.org were mentioned. Also FamilySearch.org has all LDS microfilms available for online browsing, though many are not indexed yet. It will take a long time to index all of them.

Announcements:

1. Membership dues are due for 2021 and are still \$15.00 if you haven't already paid.
2. The Kroger Community Rewards Code is XC683.
3. If you buy from Amazon, use smile.amazon.com and sign up to support our society.
4. There is a 2022 OGS writing contest to help fill the pages of its journals and there are prizes of \$25 to \$100.
5. The Business Office part of Probate Court is moving to 350 Portsmouth Street on November 1, 2021.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:15 a. m.

Submitted by: Charles Weese