

Greater Mound City Stamp Club

Minutes from General Membership meeting May 23, 2022

Present: Tom Minor, Frank Kollinger, Gene Stewart, Treasurer Pat Morgan, John Deutch, Ed Pieper, Norb Wright, Gary Hendren, Vice President Katrina Whitaker, Dennis O'Brien, Nathan Esbeck, Lesa Morgan, Ed Bayham, Secretary Phil Schorr, Christina Esbeck, Jerry Schultz, Richard Thies, Philippa Esbeck

Vice President Katrina Whitaker called the meeting to order at 7:35 p.m.

Drawings: Ed Pieper won the 50/50 cash prize drawing (\$9.00). The attendance prize \$10 Certificate for use at a future StampFest was won by John Deutch.

Minutes: The April meeting Minutes were approved - motion by Ed B. and second by Ed P.

Secretary report: Phil reported we gained another new member, Marvin Beckerman, this month. Marvin would like to know if anyone is aware of a kids' stamp club, in school or elsewhere. No one knew of one. Phil also reported on the latest on his health.

Treasurer report: Pat reported the latest asset total for the club, after paying for our meeting room rent and the gym rental for StampFest, is \$15,424.34. More detail is available on the club website.

VP report: Katrina reported Guy is visiting his daughter. It was a surprise that we were moved from our regular meeting room for this month. She again asked for someone to volunteer to handle the duties of Chair of Concessions for StampFest. Ed Bayham volunteered! Thank you, Ed!!!

Announcements:

- The speaker next month will be our new member, Michael Karasick. He will talk about his collection of railroad ephemera.
- July will be the meeting to prepare all the mailings for StampFest. Katrina reminded us to be thinking about what dish we will bring for the Pot Luck dinner at StampFest.

Auction: There was no auction this month since no one submitted any items to be auctioned.

Program: Ed Pieper gave an interesting talk on his trip to the international show, London 2022. This show was originally scheduled to be held in 2020, but Covid caused a two year delay. Ed showed photos from the show and the area in London. He also gave each of us a souvenir from the show. As always, he was the first person in line to be admitted to the first day of the show. He also gave us a blow by blow report on the travel to and from the show (including the issues caused by Covid and the weather). Ed encouraged everyone to attend one of these shows. The next one in the U.S. will be in Boston in 2026.



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Treasurer's Report Reporting Period: 05/01/2022 – 05/31/2022

Checking Balance May 1, 2022			\$ 15,750.59
Checking Income:			
Balance Adjustment	\$	6.00	
50/50 May	\$	9.00	
Stampfest: Table Fees Paid	\$	<u>1,850.00</u>	
			\$ 1,865.00
Checking Expenses:			
Charter Registration (MO SOS)	\$	-26.25	
The Hartford (Liability Ins)	\$	<u>-450.00</u>	
			<u>\$ -476.25</u>
Checking Balance as of May 31, 2022			\$ 17,139.34
Other Asset Balance:			
GMCSA Cash Box	\$	200.00	
SoCoPex Cash Box	\$	20.00	
Club Stamp Cash Box	\$	<u>10.00</u>	
			\$ 230.00
Payables:			
Unpaid Attendance Prize ¹	\$	<u>-90.00</u>	
			<u>\$ -90.00</u>
Total Assets & Payable as of May 31, 2022:			\$ 17,279.34

Patrick J. Morgan

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Notes:

¹ Starting August 2021. Unused certificates before Aug. 2021 can't be accounted for.