Greater Mound City Stamp Club

Minutes from General Membership meeting October 24, 2022

Present: President Guy Gasser, Frank Kollinger, Vice President Katrina Whitaker, Tom Minor, Treasurer Pat Morgan, Ed Pieper, Gene Stewart, Larry Reutter, Bob Dickherber, Ed Bayham, Dennis O'Brien, Norb Wright, Roger Grider, Secretary Phil Schorr, Christina Esbeck, David Mahsman, Philippa Esbeck, Richard Thies, Nathan Esbeck

President Guy Gasser called the meeting to order at 7:35 p.m.

Drawings: Ed Pieper won the 50/50 cash prize drawing (\$15.50). The attendance prize \$10 Certificate for use at a future StampFest was won by Richard.

Minutes: The September meeting Minutes were approved - motion by Ed Pieper and second by Norb.

Treasurer report: Pat's Treasurer report showed total net assets of \$19,536.74. More detail is available on the club website.

Secretary report: Phil reported the September mailing included the 2023 dues notice and the Christmas party reservation form. Please complete and return them to Phil. He also noted the latest ATA magazine included a photo of Christina for her exhibit at Compex.

VP report: Katrina reported she now has programs for the January and March meetings next year. Share some of your philatelic knowledge by presenting a program for the group. The Christmas party is coming soon. Don't miss it.

Announcements:

- Guy seconded the invitation for the Christmas party. It offers great food and plenty of fun and games.
- He reminded everyone Socopex will be held November 12 at the Aviator Hotel.
- The AuctionBux auction will be held at the November club meeting. Give Jerry any items you wish to donate for the auction, or at least tell him by November 15 what you have to donate.

Nominating Committee: Dennis reported (at length) that the only nominations for the two offices up for election this year are the current officers – Vice President Katrina Whitaker and Secretary Phil Schorr. If you are interested in running for one of these offices, let Dennis know. People can still be nominated at the November meeting before the vote is taken.

Auction: David and Richard conducted the auction in their usual good fashion

Program: Guy conducted the Philatelic Jeopardy contest. Members were randomly assigned to one of the teams led by the three remaining officers. The conduct of the quiz is getting better with each year, and it was another hotly contested affair with plenty of tough questions. Team Vice President came out on top, with Team Secretary ending in second place, and Team Treasurer third.



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Treasurer's Report Reporting Period: 10/01/2022 - 10/31/2022

Checking Balance October 1, 2022		\$ 19,416.74
Checking Income: 50/50 October Club Stamp Sales	\$ 15.50 \$ 11.25	\$ 26.75
Checking Expenses: None	\$ -0.00	<u>\$ -0.00</u>
Checking Balance as of October 31, 2022		\$ 19,443.49
Other Asset Balance: GMCSC Cash Box Auction Cash Box Club Stamp Cash Box	\$ 200.00 \$ 20.00 \$ 10.00	\$ 230.00
Payables: Unpaid Attendance Prize1	\$ -120.00	\$ -120.00
Total Assets & Payable as of October 31, 2022:		\$ 19,553.49

Patrick J. Morgan

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Notes:

 $^{^{1}}$ Starting August 2021. Unused certificates before Aug. 2021 can't be accounted for.