

Columbia County Fire Chiefs' Association
General Meeting May 17, 2022 19:45

Meeting was called to order by the President, Gregg Gilliland.

Welcomed by Lebanon Valley Fire Chief, Steve Houghtaling.
Ladies Auxiliary provided supper and dessert.

Minutes: A motion to accept the corrected minutes of March 15th, 2022, Wally Engel/Bob Adriance – Carried.

Membership: Application has been received from 4 firefighters. Wally Engel made a motion to accept the application of Cory Bevens, second by Steve Houghtaling
All in favor, none opposed – Carried.

Sunshine: Wally stated Dave Chapman is home.

Scholarship: Committee will start work on revising the scholarship application to include high school seniors & trade schools as well as college oriented individuals and change application period to first semester.

Fire Safety Trailer: Suggestions made as to how to repair safety trailer. Come up with budget for repairs, enquire with Di Di Barrett (Assembly Person) about funding, and contact Vo-Tech to possibly use as a school project.

Burned-out-victims-fund: Gift cards distributed at house fire in Niverville.

FAB: Garry Mazzacano reported Greene County Bank has awarded from them \$500 grant.

Coordinator's Report: Not available

Treasurer's Report: Motion to accept the treasurer's reports of as read by Christine Hasse, Wally Engel/Bob Adriance – Carried.

Copy of this report is attached to these minutes.

Old business: Gary stated the Coordinator would like to have a framed photo of each Fire Station and Rescue Squad to be displayed in the training facility. All to be 11 x 14 in like black frames. Asking each company to supply their photo & frame.

New Business: Rich Lindmark suggested we have a Fallen Firefighters' Memorial located at the facility in West Ghent. Ask for donations from businesses and individuals to help with cost. Wally made a motion to establish a Fallen Firefighters' Memorial. Second by Ben Wheeler – Carried.

Contact Cantelle concerning a stone. Possibly publish booklet about each person. Send information to Rich.

For good of the Association

6/4 Stockport Car Show

6/12 Austerlitz Car Show

6/16 Valatie Chicken BBQ

6/18 Red Roc Pasta Night

Next Directors' meeting June 21st at the training facility.

Next General meeting is July 19th at the West Ghent Fire Station.

Motion to Adjourn Wally Engel/Steve Houghtaling – Carried.

20:25

A moment of silence was held in inspect for Matt Larabee

Secretary,

Irene Huston

Columbia County Fire Chiefs' Association Treasurer's Report

May 17th, 2022

General Fund

Checking Beginning Balance	\$13,184.93
Receipts	25.00
Distributions	210.20
Interest Income	1.39
Checking Ending Balance	\$13,001.12

(Sunshine Fund in checking \$1,091.91)

(Fire Safety & Prevention in checking \$2,794.29)

Change Envelope	\$20.00
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Total General Fund **\$13,021.12**

Clothing Fund

Checking Beginning Balance	\$57,284.41
Receipts	0.00
Distributions	0.00
Interest Income	5.65
Checking Ending Balance	\$57,290.06

Total Clothing Fund **\$57,290.06**

Total in all Accounts **\$70,311.18**