

KCMR April 8, 2023 meeting was called to order at 11:05 am by President Lonnie Demoret. 16 members were present.

Previous Minutes clarification- \$3000 short each year and have in the past have received \$2500 in show donations, we do not have that amount this year. Javen motioned to approve as amended, Todd seconded. Motion passed.

Treasurer report by Javen. We are at the end of the quarter, rent and bills paid. Past dues need to be paid! Doug motioned to accept treasurer's report, 2nded by Allan. Passed.

OLD Business- Mark Buckley decided **not** to have the Oct 21 show at Memorial Hall since Oklahoma show is the same day and the Wichita swap meet is the following week.

**JUNE SHOW** at the Fairgrounds. Members are needed to ask businesses for donations and to pass out fliers to get the word out about the show so we will have a great turnout! Also to help at the front desk and interact with people giving them flyers, having them fill out information slips, etc. Members to help vendors in & out with their product and the exhibitors with layouts, also to work in the coffee room. The floor plan will be given to Nathan, the contact person at the fairgrounds, at least 2 weeks before the show.

Advertise the show- free radio ads since Lonnie & Jolene attended with Ellis & Suzanne the Eagle Radio informational meeting, magazine ads placed in Cowcatcher, Model Railroad, Classic Train, Rural Messenger, banner on the fence, FaceBook, LED sign at the fairgrounds, TV Spot, & your personal contact.

Insurance for the show and windows submitted. The rider didn't cover fairground show.

Mack brother's building on the East side of Main Street (across from their business) is being used to store the books owned by Don Hazen, Gary Essells, Arbuckle estate. The are dry. Jeff is still offering the building to the club.

Discussion to not have train bucks at the June show, but to have give aways for HO train set with gift certificates. Possible raffle? Question was asked if the building has a PA system that can be used since Gary's hi railer's PA is not available as it was in the past. Unknown. Motion by Ellis to have 1 or 2 train sets and no hourly give aways, seconded by Todd. Passed and carried.

Gambino's fundraiser is May 16 4-10pm quarter sheet flyers are available to pass out to everyone!! We do not need to be there to bus tables, but we can be at a table and talk to people about the club and show as people come in. The club gets all tips that are collected and a percentage of all orders dine in, carry out and delivery between 4-10 pm.

Phil brought the replacement door for the side building.

Next meeting is May 13 at 11 am. Finalizing show needs.

Javen moved to adjourn, Michael seconded.