

KCMR August 12, 2023 meeting was called to order by President Lonnie Demoret about 9:08am at Phil Alyward's AVI Depot in Halstead KS. 12 members and one guest, Bob Callahan, friend of Jeff Corrick, were in attendance.

Javen motioned to accept the previous month's minutes, seconded by Phil. Motion passed.

Javen presented the treasurer report stating bills are paid. There are outstanding dues that need to be paid. The club has permission to sell our raffle tickets at the Wichita show in October. The raffle tickets are nontaxable.

The October show will have KCMR sale items, need to have people that will be committed to be at the tables to sell. Lonnie is going to set up his layout for kids to run trains with the tablets.

Jeff Corrick was contacted about HO railroad items and layout in a basement before sale of a residence. Michael M was going to contact the homeowner to look at the items.

Jolene received contact from Gary Banz family member about his train items. Gary was a friend of Gary Essells and Mike Prickett. The niece later stated the things were already spoken for.

Jolene was also approached by Conrad, owner of Need a Geek, about a friend wanting to sell her husband's items. More information is needed from her before the club is able to decide if they are able to help her.

Third Thursday Javen said he'd be able to be at the club house. Jolene is unable to be at Main Street since she has a meeting at the same time.

Union Valley church where Roland attends gave a donation to the club for allowing the reading group to come and look at the train layouts on August 5.

Procedure of how receipts will be handled has been written out and placed in the treasurer's drawer.

Motion to adjourn by Javen. Everyone seconded and went to Main Street to watch the Parade celebrating Halstead's heritage. We then went back to the AVI Depot before enjoying BBQ hamburgers &/or hotdogs provided by Phil with sides brought by the club members. The Depot was open to the public as part of the Halstead Heritage Celebration.

Jolene Demoret,

Secretary

NEXT MEETING IS September 9, 2023 at 11am at the Clubhouse