

Minutes of Sayler Park Village Council Meeting
December 5, 2016

Our president, Jackie Apted, called the meeting to order at 7:34pm. There were 25 people in attendance. We began with the pledge to the flag.

Treasurer: Mary Dornette reported. We have \$7,094.14 in the checking account and \$35,584.69 in the CD.

Fire: T. Anglin reported. Engine 50 went on 46 responses last month (1 fire, 10 non -fire, 35 EMS calls). We were reminded to pay attention to our Christmas trees and lights this month. Natural trees can dry out and . Also, be sure to have your house number clearly posted outside so that in case of an emergency your home is easy to locate by the responding crews.

Police: Officer Johnson reported. There were 4 burglaries due to unlocked windows and doors, 0 car break ins, and 1 heroin overdose for the month of November. He reminded us to cut up boxes after Christmas, otherwise you may be advertising to potential thieves. Also, to beware of individuals asking to perform odd jobs around your home, they may be casing your home.

President: Jackie Apted reported. Sayler Park School is still in need of volunteers. Anyone interested should contact Joy Roseburger at (513)363-5134 for more information. Jackie also mentioned that Gracely Goods has opened.

Vice President: Garrett Gerard reported. Christmas caroling will begin at Eden Chapel on Friday, December 16th at 7pm. Hot chocolate and cookies will be provided. Garrett also reminded everyone that the NSP funds ideas should be submitted to Village Council.

Sayler Park School: Sienna Condy reported on behalf of the Sayler Park PTA. \$2,700 was made from the pie sale. The Santa shop will be open December 5th-9th. There will also be a school dance held in January.

Mercy Health Center: Joy Roseburger reported. The health center is open and in their first 10 days 45 individuals were seen. Joy reminded us that all insurance is accepted and there is no wait, but do try to call ahead.

SPARC/Historical Society: Jackie Apted reported: The SPARC Christmas party will be at 7pm at Fernbank on December 13th , please bring a gag gift to share. The Historical Society will meet again in the spring. They had a great concert by My Brother's Keeper, who will be playing again at the Addyston Methodist Church.

CRC: Julie Fatora reported. There will be a teen skating social this month and a second teen dance on December 16th at the Maple Ridge Lodge (ages 11-15 may attend). There will also be a winter snowball dance and spaghetti dinner on December 16th for those age kindergarten-11. 10 and under basketball league is now forming, please see the front desk if interested.

Sayler Park Business District Development Committee: Ellen Gerard reported. The next meeting will be January 19th at 7pm, the location is still TBD. Currently the committee is brainstorming ideas on how to use the Neighborhood Business Support Funds which is \$4,600. If interested in joining the committee or attending the next meeting please see Ellen.

Buddha Barn: Rick reported. Buddha Barn has now opened and is serving lunch from 11am-3pm, dinner 5-9pm (Friday and Saturday until 10pm). Carryout orders are also accepted.

Beech Acres Parenting Center: Leah Dickman and Karen Zimmer reported. Trying to attain parent involvement in Sayler Park School. Leah works in mental health care for the children while Karen works as family peer support. Toyota Family Learning is a grant to bring parents into the classroom start generational learning which teaches parents alongside their children. Community service projects are also incorporated into this program. If anyone is interested in participating or volunteering please contact Karen or Leah at Sayler Park School.

Old Business: Jackie Apted reported that 12 students at Sayler Park School had signed up for National History Day.

New Business: Mary Dornette informed us that the NSP funds available for 2017 are \$7,700. You must submit your idea by December 31st to Jackie or Mary. There will be a special meeting held on January 4th at 7:30pm at the CRC to vote on NSP proposals.

Sienna Condy asked for input regarding a Village Council newsletter and if members would want a paper copy versus a digital version.

Betty Kamuf reminded everyone of the ENOS meeting at Three Rivers High School on December 12th at 7pm.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:29pm. Recording Secretary, Amanda Flick.