

Rio Blanco County Historical Society

Board Meeting June 29th, 2021

In Attendance

Sparky, Janet, Terri, Niki, Emily, Chance, Bob

Call to Order 5:51

Agenda

Approve Agenda

- Motioned by Sparky, Chance second. Approved

Public Participation

- Tabled

Minutes of Last Board Meeting

- Tabled

New Secretary Appointment

- Emily Mohr Nominated, Chance motions, Sparky second. Approved

Executive Director Report: Teresia Reed

Museum Updates

- Claude stepped down. One museum applicant -Kent Griswold, being trained
- SER – Mickey Slaugh
- Junior docent program, three kids interested in helping in the museum
- Script in the works about true story of Nathan Meeker that shows neutrality and unbiased
- Signage for the outdoor museum is up
- Constant stocking of the giftshop and search for popular books
- HCC sink is installed, plumbing and electrical is done
- All ready for the 4th of July!
- Financial report will be done next week. Museum has received some donations

- Root beer float booth at the Sheepdog trials for fundraiser, continue Meekerpalooza after first successful one.

– possible addition of stickers and giftshop items.

- Luke trout donating much of Dorothy Boyd collection from her home, Kay will have more next meeting

- Next Quarterly Meeting – July 25th

- Motioned by Chance, Second Emily. Approved

- Need an activity?

- Pioneers Day – July 24th, theme for meeting

- Generational or decade/ themed fashion show?

- Have it at Coal Creek School

- Bring a picnic lunch, wear a costume

- Newsletter goes out week before - 18th

- New backdrop now completed and on a trailer for reenactment

- Reagan to help with Capturing Culture interviews

- Banner for Range Call - Stricken

Rural Schools: Janet Clark

- New lights at the Coal Creek School, lawn has been cut

- Open on the 3rd for tours, flyers are around town

- New flyers for the driving loops have been printed

- Waiting for the belfry to be painted, and for lighting protection methods

- Hosting the quarterly meeting

Milk Creek Update: Teresia Reed

- Trash cans and bathrooms are in place for the 4th

- Donation box was emptied from overflowing

Website: Niki Turner

-Susan has binders full of old photos

MACC: Nancy Richardson

- Play is July 29th, 30th, 31st – Something Rotten!

Meeker Moving Forward

-Stricken

Main Street Project 45: Niki Turner

-Grant opportunity for energy efficiency and façade updates, includes historical buildings

- More information being collected

New Business

History Hubub Report

- Stricken

Adjourn – Chance Move, Sparky Second. Approved

Next Meeting

Quarterly Meeting – July 25th at 2pm at Coal Creek Schoolhouse

July 27th at HCC at 5:45