

Triangle of Opportunity Meeting Agenda

Date/Time: 2.28.2013 – 7:00 pm

Location:
Busy Corner
Goodfield, Illinois

Attendance Karl and Mary Eschelbach, Don Maurer, Matt Hurley, Lynn Rudin and Neill Keneipp

Minutes, prior meeting A motion to accept the prior minutes was made by Mary and seconded by Karl. All voted yes. Motion carried.

Treasurer's report Mary reported the beginning balance as of February 1 was \$8,193.38. Income from dues (Tremont, Danvers, McLean, Morton, Minier, and Mackinaw) was \$1,200. There were no expenses for the month. The ending balance for February was \$9,393.38

A motion to accept the treasurer's report was made by Matt and seconded by Lynn. All voted yes. Motion carried.

Updates on Previous and On-Going Business

Spring Dinner Meeting Adjustments/Updates – March 28, 2013

Update on Guest Speakers for Spring Dinner

Steve Yarnell will be asked to speak and Susan Pyles will report on the spring conference.

Focus Forward CentralIllinois Mary told the group of a recent meeting held at the Peoria Riverfront Museum. This group covers Logan, Tazewell, Woodford and Peoria counties. Mary sat in on a session dealing with health issues. The work of this conference may well serve as a model for future conferences. The next meeting will be held in July.

Updated Draft of Triangle Goals 2013

The changes made in January will be on the April agenda.

Rural Community Economic Development Conference - March 6-7, 2013 in Peoria

Susan Pyles will represent the triangle and report at the spring meeting.

New Business

Update on Triangle Scholarship Information

At this time three applications have been received.

Triangle Bike Tour Updates

The route for this year needs to be mapped out (John B). John R will check with St. Judes.

Community Updates

Deer Creek An indoor garage sale raised \$1200. The funds for a park shelter stand at \$6000 of the \$10000 needed. The Village Tap now has video gaming.

Mackinaw The community sale will be held on March 9. Generators have been installed at the police and village office buildings.

Olympia Spring sports are now in the starting phase. A Next Grant of \$100,00 has been received to be used in the area of science.

Danvers Mr. D's (an ice cream shop) is now for sale.

Minier The Easter Egg hunt, sponsored by the Kiwanis club with support from the OHS key club will be held in March. The local Police Explorers will have a spaghetti dinner fund raiser. Applications for the Bob Quarello scholarship are being taken.

Hopedale The Bettermens Association is in need of more members.

It was noted the the goals and ads are not currently on the triangle web site.

The meeting adjourned at 8:26 PM

Next Meeting: 6:30pm Gil's Restaurant in Minier – March 28, 2013

Respectively submitted

Neill Keneipp