

## **Browns Valley Historical Society Meeting Minutes February 13, 2024**

Members present: Arlene Reinart, Richard Johnson, Shelley Roscoe, Jan Biewer, Nathanael Biberdorf, Clyde Thrift

President Jan Biewer called the meeting to order at 7:02 PM.

The agenda for the meeting was approved by Richard, seconded by Arlene. Motion passed.

Minutes from the January 9 meeting were read by secretary Nathanael Biberdorf and approved by Richard, seconded by Arlene. Motion passed.

### **Treasurer's Report:**

- A check was issued for paying the insurance for the Episcopalian church
- A check was issued for Johnson & Roggenbuck
- A donation for Sam Brown's Cabin was brought in.

### **Old business:**

- Arlene gave us an update on the two grants that we received and where we stand at this time, including how we are to provide for them a photo key of the Carnegie Library.
- Clyde gave us a report on what we can do about digitizing our newspapers, more will be clear going forward after an upcoming meeting with someone from the Minnesota Historical Society later this month.
- Final details were put together for our Trivia Night on Saturday, March 2. A meal will be provided with a free will offering taken at 6. The Trivia Night competition will begin at 7. Teams of 4-6 players can compete with a \$20 fee to participate.
- An update on the land from the Nigg family was given.

### **New business:**

- In the Spring, we will need to clean up the basement at the Carnegie before construction begins.
- The little red schoolhouse will need to be painted along with the fence at the cabin.

President Jan Biewer called the meeting to adjournment at 8:14 PM. Our next meeting is Tuesday, March 12 at 7 PM at the Legion.

Respectfully submitted,  
Nathanael Biberdorf, secretary