

Present: , Lynn Brammer, Piper Durrell, Phyllis Eschenmann, Ellen Hall, Sue Hossack, Janice Litschert, Linda Spivey, Brenda Springer, Ken Vaughan

- 1. Acceptance of agenda- Ellen

Approved

- 2. Approval of minutes – Piper

Two changes requested in last month’s minutes (change Square to PayPal, change who seconded approval motion) and approved as amended.

One observation re scholarships (Ellen)- Karim has started advertising with due date of April 1.

Sue Hossack approved and Brenda seconded

- 3. Treasurer's report – Brenda

Some decent money has come in but it includes PayPal donations (\$1,275) and memberships (\$475) received last year that were deposited to the bank in mid January.

Good news- no expenses

Question as to liabilities that was resolved

Question as to where to order K-Cups from, the answer is New River Office Supply, and as libraries made preparations for opening some time in the future, they may go ahead and order from there and Brenda will pay the bill

Approved- Janice and Sue seconded

- 4. Membership report – Sue

Some new memberships have come in-

Family

Renewed/New	51	last month	34
Not yet renewed	61		73
Individual R/N	39		24
Not yet renewed	73		88

There were some questions as to some membership forms that did not match our current forms, and the dues paid were less than current fees but the mix-up appears to have been solved and some lucky new members received “covid special” discount.

5. April meeting – Ellen

The by-laws require an April joint meeting with the Floyd friends and Kit of Floyd Friends is in charge of that meeting. Ellen will let us know the details.

6. Garden Tour

Lynn has been talking to the owners of last years gardens scheduled for the 2020 anniversary tour, four of them are willing to go for it this year as long as safety precautions and current regulations as of that time are followed. She is setting up a Garden Committee Zoom knowing that all details and logistics will have to be based on the regulations as of July- meaning not known to us at present but everyone will need to feel safe.

Some issues and or ideas

Sell AM and PM TICKETS

Need 2 more gardens

Volunteer pool has many members with senior status, may need more

Possibly the local Everything Garden group

Ellen has a new Friends member that can help her work on that once there is good definition of volunteer duties

7. Blacksburg library outdoor book sale Friday March 26th 10-4. Ellen will send out notice to membership at large.