BRISTOL HILLS HISTORICAL SOCIETY June 21, 2023

PRESENT: Ann Jacobs, Alan Jones, Carol Zanghi, John Holtz, Beth Thomas, Mark Obbie, Ron Goodman, AJ Magnan

ABSENT: Lisa Moore, AJ Magnan **GUESTS:** Griff Jones, Edith Gansz, Jerry Zimmerman

CALL TO ORDER: Ann Jacobs called this meeting to order at 7:00 pm at the Grange Building.

PRESIDENTS REPORT: President Jacobs reviewed the programs of the previous year at the annual meeting. She also shared the reaction of the members at the small historical societies meeting to our selection of programs and the interest of the community in attending them. Much of the success of the programs is credited not only to the presenters but also to Mark Obbie and John Holtz for securing the programs and publicizing them.

SECRETARYS REPORT:

Motion made to accept the minutes as corrected. Alan Jones 2nd- Mark Obbie

TREASURERS REPORT: Contact treasurer for information.

ELECTION: Carol Zanghi cast single vote for unopposed Spence Parsons for treasurer.

One seat is still available the Board.

VICE PRESIDENT REPORT: Fall bridge party is on hold.

BUILDING AND GROUNDS: Ron Goodman shared the electric work and need for new windows.

PROGRAMS: Suggestion to have Burning Springs on 1 day each weekend for 2 consecutive weekends. Review again in December.

John Holtz shared information on future programs and the need for more parking.

September 9th- Program on decoys and decoy apprasials.

October 14th- Harvest Festival

Suggestion- Native American, Perry of the Onondaga Indians, program on rethinking of Thanksgiving.

Suggestion- Highlighting of flowers by exhibitor at Philadelphia Show.

Suggestion - Tree life at Case Road farm

ACCESSIONS: Beth Thomas suggested we use rearrange the tables in the dining room and use the area for art and display. Beth will be contacting John French, Arbor Hill, regarding tying into their water source.

Book- History and Mystery- Anna Overmoyer's mother and a hairdresser each have a few books in their shops. The 7 preordered books still needed to be picked up will be available in Bristol at the Town Clerks office.

MOTION: I move that we give a copy of the book to each of the small historical societies and buy a membership in each of their groups.

Ann Jacobs 2nd- Alan Jones Motion passed

MEMBERSHIP: Memberships year is from January 1st- December 31st. Lifetime membership will be presented to Anna Overmoyer in the fall.

BHHS meetings are held the 3rd Monday of the month.

T-SHIRTS- Griff Jones suggested we contact Angie Jones for more information.

ADJOURNMENT: Motion to adjourn at 8:43 pm by John Holtz.

Respectfully,

Carol Zanghi