

Buildings and Grounds Minutes

April 5, 2016

Present

Gina, Vassie, Radek and Cheryl

Reading

Sexton's Report

Radek, Agata and Cuba will be leaving for two weeks (Agata and Cuba) and three weeks (Radek) on Friday the 8th. The CTWKs will take care of the cleaning.

The Social Hall floors will be done in early May.

Gina suggested she and Radek research a good leaf blower. Radek suggested a back pack leaf blower.

Radek will repair the small porch and handrail at the entrance to the CWTKs meeting space in the Parsonage. He will repaint the front door to the Parlors and replace a board that is rotting in the siding under the door step.

Reading of the March Minutes.

Upon review of the March minutes, Gina pointed out that the name of the gentleman repairing the sound system is John of DeGrange Sound Systems, LLC.

Old Business

Extension of the Parking Lot

Due to part of the back yard being in the flood zone, we will need to apply to the Town for the extension and then go before the Planning and Zoning Board. Gina will bring the proposal to the Board in June. The Vermont/Quebec grant will be used for excavation work which needs to be done on the west wall of the Sanctuary with a curtain and drain.

Refrigerator Door Gasket

Don glued the old gasket and it is holding. Gina has purchased a new one so we are ready if it fails.

New Date for Clean Up Day – April 30 – Saturday from 10 to 2

New Business

Norwood invited Roy Snell to walk around the buildings to better understand what we can do to help the moisture issues. Roy was part of the original build out of the Social Hall. Basically, Roy is in agreement with Tom Havel, the excavator, with what is needed to help the moisture issues.

Spiritual Exploration Meeting

Gina is meeting with them to see how we can make a more efficient use of all shared spaces.

Removal of the pile of debris in the backyard

We need to hire someone to remove the dead trees, debris and general rubble.

June Coffee Hour

Cheryl will be June 5th

Vassie will be June 19th

Gina will be June 12th

Don and Jack will be June 26th

If any issues come up, please feel free to ask to trade dates.

Change of Day for B&G meeting

At our March meeting we discussed changing to Wednesdays once a month to accommodate Don's meeting schedule. May will be our first change. From now on we will meet on Tuesday at 5:30 when we have the Committee Café' at 6:30. The following month we will meet on Wednesday at 6:30.

Next meeting will be May 4th, Wednesday at 6:30.