

August 13, 2020

Zoom Meeting

Attending: Ellen McCormick, Elizabeth Zeppernick, Kat McConnaughey, Terry Cho, Nick Bell, Carol Baldwin, Erica Reiner, Kirby Brendel

Not attending: Stirling Collins

Advisory Board: Anita Dinwoodie, Michelle Fracasso

Guest: Max Burns and Christina Koether

Began: 19:36

Motion to approve July minutes : Kat/Carol

Motion to approve the fabulous Elizabeth Zeppernick as chair and The wonderful Terry Cho as Vice-chair: A grateful Ellen McCormick /Nick Bell

Carol: financial report. Lachat brought in half the revenue this year due to Covid.

Carol: discuss the Hoedown In It's Covid form. We will have a country supper with a band. Will still use O' Deens BBQ , but with a boxed meal.

Anita: opened up the discussion about opening Lachat up to the community. We listed pros and cons and concerns for both.

We would give Max the authority to ask anyone not following the guidelines to leave.

We voted to do a bit more research and revisit to vote within a week. Elizabeth will do the research and let us know.

Ellen: brought up the idea of a holiday catalogue. Folks would Order from an online catalogue and pick up at the farm

Erica: reminder for us all to use amazon smile when late night clicking so Lachat would benefit. Spread the word.

Anita: event ideas. A drive through Halloween event. We came up with ideas to support this.

Book Club: our first. Vickie Young-Weiss pocked the first book, American Dirt.

Max: discusses the need for a new generator.

Carol: will approach the Fairfield Community Garden Fund For Animal Welfare to see if we can get a grant for the care of our goats, rabbits And chickens.

Erica: she will keep working with the Aible Foundation to see if we can get funding for a self leveling, indoor/outdoor stage.

Carol: Friends of Lachat will set up committees to help with the new house design.

Meeting adjourned at 10:15 by Kirby / Carol