

The Lorain County
Township Association
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The May 19th, 2011 LCTA meeting will be held in Huntington Twp.; the Hall is located at 2705 St. Rt. 58, Wellington 44090, corner of 58 & 162-drive is on Rt. 162.

The Museum & one room school house will be open at 6:30 for you to tour it. Food will be prepared & served by the Huntington Grange at 7pm. The meeting will start at 7:30pm

PROGRAM-Ernie Hartman will speak on the history & renovation of the One Room School House.

The meeting will start at 7:30pm

Minutes of meeting<Spring Banquet, April 21, 2011

The meeting was called to order at 7pm by President, Rob Scheithauer. A prayer was said by Rob & a delicious dinner was provided by Sterks Catering.

After dinner, the meeting was called back to order. Rob thanked the Social Committee for all their hard work on the Spring Banquet.

Mary Beth Derikito made a motion to approve the minutes of the March meeting, 2nd. by Dale Rundle-motion carried

Orrin Leimbach gave a Treasurers' report-balance in checking-\$2068.40-CD account-\$11,957.00. Butch Holmes made a motion to approve the report-2nd. by Amy Szmania-motion carried

Rob reminded everyone of the Elected Officials Reception on April27th at Quaker Steak & Lube.

Jean Haight, Secretary, read a letter from the American Red Cross thanking the LCTA for the \$250.00 donation for clean up kits. Jean also announced that Associate member dues must be in by May23rd.

Executive Committeeman, Neil Lynch, talked on all the cuts that are being made by the State. We are all going to have to tighten our belts & reduce services. He suggested that all Townships Trustees get together with our Fiscal Officer & look at the legislation on the future cuts.

REPORTS:

Legislative Committee-Mike Musto-reported that they haven't made any more changes to the Constitution, the Committee feels that we should leave it as presented. Mike made a motion to accept the Constitution as presented, 2nd. By Dale Rundle-motion carried

Solid Waste-Keith Bailey-Community Grants may be coming back-Policy Committee will review them on May 10th. at 10am

Metro Parks-Paul Hruby-via email-Lorain Cty. Metro Parks will be opening the Miller Nature Preserve & Conservatory in Avon on Rt.83 on May7th

Commissioners Office-Tom Williams-asked for input on budget cuts, also asked members to contact the Judges on cutting their budgets.

Lori Kokoski-spoke on budget cuts also, we spend 1.2 million on indigent fees-could save a lot of money if we had a Public Defender. If we combine 911, it would save the Sheriffs' Dept. \$600,000 & we could put 2-3 more deputies on the road

State-Terry Boose-working on a Bill to have Public Defender for indigent offenders

Chad Parsons made a motion to adjourn at 8:25-2nd. by Dick Heidecker-motion carried

June 16, 2011 meeting will be at LaGrange Twp.

Rob Scheithauer-President

Jean Haight-Secretary

