

FOVM Minutes, February 13, 2020

Called to order by J. Salvemini at 7:36 PM

Present - Janice Allen, Nick Ciampa, Peg Glicklich, Johanna Salvemini, and Mary Forbes, by phone.

Treasurer's reports for, Sept, Oct, Nov, and December, 2019 were presented to the Secretary, and placed on file.

Music at the Mansion – In light of the overcrowding at our Feb. 9 concert, it was decided to limit the number of attendees, through a process of pre- registration, using *EvenBrite*, a service operating through the internet. Any advertisement for an event should contain a link to EvenBrite, as well as a phone number to call to pre-register. A typical maximum number would be 70 guests, plus performers.

Desirability of a history oriented music program was expressed.

Our next music program should be on May 3 or May 17, and Nick should begin the booking process. Several possible program possibilities were mentioned

Art Show – An art show can be staged between now and the May Music program. It would run for about one month. Janice will contact Ms. Delgyer (sp?) , a local artist.

Yard Sale can be held on Saturdays April 18 or 25, with Following Day as the rain date. Janice will check for any conflict on those dates.

Journey Through the Past will be held on October 10 and 11.

Elections- Without debates or primaries, the offices of Secretary, Treasurer, and President were filled in what one member called “*The Ultimate Democracy.*” President is Janice Allen, Secretary is Nick Ciampa, and Treasurer is Johanna Salvemini.

The informal process went something like this: Nick stated that he wished to remain as Secretary. Peg indicated that she did not want an office. Mary did not express a desire for an office. Both Johanna and Janice said that they would do anything that is needed. Johanna announced that as Treasurer, she would work on line with commercial software. By consensus Nick remained as Secretary, Johanna became Treasurer, and Janice became President. [Janice was the first President and founder of FOVM's predecessor, *Save Our Mansion.*]

Meeting was adjourned at 9:17 PM

Submitted by Nick Ciampa - Secretary