

11/17/21 OCVFA Monthly Meeting Solvay Fire Department

Present: Jeff Barzee, Mike Block, Mike Caron, Tom, Czajak, Warren Darby, Joe Nemier, Ben Page, Marty Pine, Jennifer Riddle, John Roder, Judy Strazzere, April Thomas, Marty Thomas

Excused: Floyd Duger, Ron Forss, Rick Nemier, Marissa Wick

The meeting was called to order by President Marty Pine at 7:35.

Pledge was led by Sgt. Of Arm Marty Thomas.

Prayer was led by Warren Darby.

Welcome was done by Mike Block.

Response was done by Mike Caron.

Quorum: No-20 people.

The minutes were waived till January. Dave Blair stated we could only vote on Financial. A motion was made by Joe Nemier and seconded by Gordy Kotars and was carried.

Guest Speaker:

Marty Pine presented the acrylic plaques to April Thomas for the Bill Barden Award and to Mike Caron for the Claude Belge Award. Gordy Kotars will put the Awards in the magazine.

Central: Next meeting January 8, 2022 at Nedrow. Convention at White Eagle at Hamilton. CNYFA.com for package if you are staying ASAP. Wedding booked same weekend.

Northern Central: Banquet was last month.

NYSFair: Schedule for next year is same as 2019.

FASNY: Legislative Conference- Bills were signed by the Governor. Persuing some new bills including the Cancer Bill. A&P Master Images of Utica is who FASNY is going through for apparel and trinkets now. Lavendar Report is out. 150th Challenge Coins are out for all year, Many activities going on in Terrytown August 10-13.

Winter games are in Cortland February 11-13.

Home: 77 residents, they are covid free and on December 2 is the annual tree lighting ceremony.

Treasurers Report-October:

Checking:	\$8088.59	Savings:	\$22008.23	\$30096.82
Truck:	4 CD'S		\$50000.00	\$80096.82
Scholorship:	Checking: \$8074.12	Savings:	\$2540.26	\$10614.38
	4 CD'S		\$20000.00	\$30614.38

TOTAL: \$111712.20

A motion was made by Joe Nemier and seconded by Ben Page and motion was carried.

Committees:

Past President Banquet- December 8th at Nedrow Fire Department 6-9 pm. Catered by Abbott's Catering.

Sports: Nothing

Fundraising: October 400 letters sent out. 47 donors for \$1548.00. For the year \$6090.82 and we are up \$631.00

Legislative Meeting December 1st at Liverpool at 7:00 pm.

Memorial Service: Nothing

Membership: 40 Departments and 3 individuals.

Pub Ed: one grant is in the cue. The trailer will be ready to go May 1st, 2022. Some dates are already taken for next year.

Golf Tournament: June 5, 2022 at the Pompey Hill Country Club. Bring a helmet (1 per team) at 12:15. The price went up. Hole Sponsorships are \$50.00 for one or \$75.00 for two Joe Nemier to get the information out,

Training: Cicero 1 December 7 at 6:30-9:30 November 2 for moving patients on scene. On FASNY Website.

Steering: November 20th. A candidate from OCVFA is running for 2nd Vice President for FASNY. Letters have gone out. He has competition from a past Director of FASNY. Follow up meeting in December.

Positions for Northern Central and Central: Candidate Mike Caron says thank you for supporting him.

Red Jacket: nothing

Truck: Nothing

Old Business:

Fire Police has a meeting in Montour Falls in March. Public Safety Benefit was passed.

Central Scholarships: 4 given each spring, go to the Facebook page. There is a shortage of EMS. Go to Central Website for classes.

Treasurers Report: Dave Blair said to make another CD of \$5000.00 to collect more interest.

New Business:

Gordy Kotars said that Chip Parino sells turnout gear and did a presentation at Camillus. State of the art at a cost of \$4000.00

Good & Welfare: Marty Pine has raffle tickets for Believe 31.

50/50 \$70.00 split and won by Mike Caron.

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Gordy Kotars and seconded by Joe Nemier at 8:38 and motion was carried.

Judy Strazzere

Secretary