December 2023 BFC Minutes

Call to order: Hilary, Matti, Ed, Ben, Dirk, Amanda

Motion to approve minutes: Matti. 2nd: Hilary p

BFC checking: \$7060.47

Old Business:

Voted that Brownsmead Farmers Club officers, Dirk Rohne, Amanda Rohne and Hilary Levine will have Grange dues paid for them to the State Grange and be listed as Grange officers. No other Grange memberships will be paid.

Voted that all bills for the hall will be paid by the Brownsmead Farmers Club.

Voted that rental money go to Brownsmead Farmers Club.

Voted that Amanda and Hilary will leave a minimum balance in Grange checking account with the balance going to the Brownsmead Farmers Club.

**New Business:** 

Rental rates: Netel Grange rate is \$150/day. Proposal to raise the rate to \$200. Hilary, \$150, Ed, \$200, Matti, keep it low \$100/150.

Motion by Ed to raise rental rate \$150 and cleaning deposit \$100. 2nd Ben and passed.

Ben be the main contact for the rental and Dirk and Amanda will check the grange after the event to see if it's been cleaned. If it's not cleaned, then whoever cleans it gets \$100. Add to rental contract. If you would like to donate the the \$100 cleaning fee to the BFC, check here.

Motion for above: Matti. 2nd: Ed. Passed: all

February Italian night: Saturday, Feb. 10 from 4-6pm

Rentals:

Maintenence: Call Jim Coffey to get a quote on floor tile repair and also wall repair quote.

Heat pump: call to see why it won't work correctly.

Good of the order: Ted and Ned fixed the kitchen door and something else.

Charlotte is not feeling well.

Adjourned: 6:20pm

\*\*Note, Not Farmers Club business\*\* After the BFC meeting, Matti gave a check to pay his grange dues. Hilary & Amanda decided to resign their positions as Grange officers. Ben Briggs volunteered to be Secretary/Treasurer for Grange. This maintains the 3 Grange members that was voted at the Grange meeting.