

## Central Dakota Gem & Mineral Society (CDG&MS)

### Minutes for February 5, 2023

The meeting was called to order at 2:00 pm by President Kevin Vetter at the Bismarck Public Library. Other Officers in attendance were Brenda Morgan, Vice President; Skye Faching, Treasurer and Darrel Spencer, Secretary. The Pledge of Allegiance was given and the Club members introduced themselves.

Skye, our Treasurer reported that the Club has a positive cash flow with the bills having been paid. The Club's Non-Profit status has changed to a 501 (c) (7) status which that the club must pay state and federal taxes as an organization. Any member who hasn't paid their annual dues may do so. Skye's report was approved as given.

Secretary Darrel Spencer read the minutes from the January 8h Club meeting that had been held at the Bismarck Public Library in Room A. The minutes were approved as read.

#### **Old Business:**

There was no old business to discuss.

#### **New Business:**

During the introduction when our members were introducing themselves it was discovered that the two guest from Jamestown, North Dakota, Megan Fuller and Teri Ross are very interested in becoming new members. Kevin our Club President welcomed them.

Jamie, our CDG & MS show chairman mentioned that the planning committee could use all the help they can get in planning the upcoming 49th Annual Gem & Mineral Show which will be held at the Eagles Club. The Show Committee members are as follows: Jaimie Van Zoest, Chairwoman; Tom Tupa, Russ Schneider, Skye Faching, Joe Martinetti & Virginia Wingerter.

There being no other business to conduct, the meeting was adjourned by President Kevin.

Our program for February consisted of members displaying and sharing their knowledge of a vast selection of heart shaped rocks. This program was narrated by Brenda Morgan, and several other members had some great information to share.

#### **Announcements:**

The next regularly scheduled meeting will be March 12th, 2:00 P. M., the Bismarck Public Library. Be sure that you attend this program. On display will be some of the Ugliest, the most unique, the prettiest & the most unusual rocks that you may ever see.