

Friends of the Wapsi River Center
Minutes: March 17, 2016
6:00 P.M. at the Wapsi Center

Present: Kyle Moeller, Mike Granger, Carol Rogers, Erma Wiszmann, Ingrid Bodgdanowitz, Bill Robbins and Lucia (Dave absent for family reasons).

Minutes: Mike moved approval, 2nd by Ingrid. Motion carried.

Treasurer's Report: Bank Balance \$4764.25. Check Written to Best Buy for Go Pro. Deposited check for \$372.00 Have 9 members paying dues.

Staff Report: Sean and Kyle have completed fire training and are certified. Full time staffs have completed bee keeping classes. Employee hearing tests have been completed. Intern is at wapsi this summer for 12 weeks (40 hours per week) Storm cleanup has resumed. Road gravel work done. Dorm discharge meeting standards. Redtail attic is cleared and pole barn is cleaned. We are to get bees in May. We are being educated on the flow hive. The hive by the garage is doing well. The screech owl with injured beak is improving. Coco Picasso is this weekend. We are watching for the emerald ash borer. The volunteer work day is on April 23rd 9:00 A.M. to Noon. Bill, Ingrid and Lucia will handle the light refreshments for the work day. Durant 7th graders have volunteered to come out for a work day in April. Eagle scouts will put in a raised garden in a horseshoe shape. Our maple syruping class went very well with about 50 people each weekend.

General: The Sierra Club is holding an Environmental Film Festival at Augustana. They will show 3 or 4 films on various environmental issues. It will be at Olin Auditorium. It will open at 10:30 A.M. and run 11:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. Host sign up was circulated.

The Next Meeting is on Thursday, April 21st at the Wapsi Center – 6:00 P.M.