

PCRTA Executive Board Meeting
Preble County ESC
May 14, 2019
3:00

President Harold Niehaus called the meeting to order at 3:01 PM. Members present: Harold Niehaus, Paul Ellison, George Henry, Sharon Norman, and Joanne Evans.

Darrell Meeks sent in the Treasurer's report. There are \$3653.27 in the checking account and one savings certificate of \$3379.19. One certificate was closed out and placed in the checking account to help pay for our two scholarships. There are \$547.50 in the Tools for Schools Fund. George Henry moved and Paul Ellison seconded to accept the Treasurer's report. Motion carried.

Sharon Norman moved and George Henry seconded to accept the April 9, 2019 Secretary's report with proposed changes. Motion carried.

Sharon Norman, Corresponding Secretary, is submitting articles to the newspapers. She sent a card to Charlotte DeLong who broke her hip.

Membership/Website – Paul Ellison reported 633 visits to the website this month (down from 644 last month). It was decided to post minutes from both the Executive Board meeting and the regular meeting on the website. Sixty-three labels were given to Harold Niehaus.

Legislative – George Henry reported that the legislature has increased the state minimum salary from \$20,000 to \$30,000. It is not known how many schools this impacts.

Community Service – No report

Retirement Planning – No report

Tools for Schools – No report

Informative and Protective Services – No report

Meeting Programs – It was discussed that a possible program for the November meeting might be guest speaker, Deputy Austin Snowden, School Resource Officer at National Trail. He could speak about his duties and responsibilities as a resource officer and have a brief question and answer session.

Old Business – Paul Ellison stated the scholarship application is a good form. The two page common form and the additional two pages of essay questions specific to interest and experience in education provide a complete picture of the applicant.

New Business – Finalization of June meeting plans – Darrell Meeks will be presenting poems, stories, and songs for our entertainment (probably jokes, too!). The two scholarship recipients, Erica Hamilton from Eaton and Abigail Bulach from Preble Shawnee, will be invited to our June meeting. Newsletters will be mailed out around May 27 and the deadline for reservations is Saturday, June 8.

Meeting was adjourned at 3:56.

Respectfully submitted,
Joanne Evans, Recording Secretary