



## Venango

### August 18, 2022 Minutes

President Hartzell called the meeting to order at 11:30 AM. An inspirational message and a Blessing of Food were completed. Sixteen members were present. Meeting was paused to order food. Today's speaker was again unable to attend due to testing with a doctor. Fitzpatrick on Medicare Fraud has rescheduled for the October 13, 2022 Fall meeting at Hoss's. President Hartzell did a Scam presentation and discussion as today's program. She attended the Senior Expo at the Rocky Grove Firehall and obtained handout information on the latest scams. Members discussed how many were contacted for these scams.

The meeting officially began with the Pledge of Allegiance. The Spring meeting minutes were approved. Treasurer Kolojejchick gave the Treasurer's Report which will be placed on file for audit. John discussed paying dues with a credit card online but said a \$1.50 surcharge would be needed to cover the credit card charge. He is looking into this further. There were 18 members and guests present for the July 7, 2022 picnic as reported by VP Fesenmyer.

President Hartzell awarded Eleanor Hrinia the John J. Dillon Award for 2022. John Downing was awarded the PASR Board Commendation Award for 2022. Following this ceremony, President Hartzell performed an excellent Memorial Service for all PASR Venango deceased members from July 1, 2021 to June 30, 2022.

#### Committee Reports:

**ED SUPPORT:** VP Fesenmyer reported Oil City Area School District will be receiving the PASR Venango Educational Support Grant applications this year in September

**MEMBERSHIP:** Two new members both from Oil City

**SSMHF:** Cards go out 6 times a year to over 90 yr. members Gifts in May and December

**RECREO:** Trip to Lancaster in October

#### New Business:

Christmas Party will be Thursday, December 1, 2022. No speaker and no meeting. Wear your favorite Christmas sweater or wear red, white and green. Mary Ann Williams won the door prize. Linda Bell won drawing for Ed Support. Meeting adjourned at 1:30 PM

Sincerely submitted by Secretary Fesenmyer