



Neighborhood Watch

Meeting Minutes

March 13, 2017 — 5:45 p.m.

The mission of Columbia Neighborhood Watch is to inform, train and encourage residents to work together to establish neighborhood watch programs with the goal of reducing crime."

Call to Order: Irwin - 5:45 pm Welcome guest: Mary Kay James

Approval of previous month's meeting minutes: Approved

Treasurer's Report: Sandy Perley:

Approval of Treasurer Report: Approved

Sign Committee Report: 6 signs were replaced in Chapel Hill

Old Business:

- Training sessions - plan additional training? suggest Smithton School said they needed different dates- Ron will work on this.
Training set for: Lange Middle School on April 11 @ 7 pm
Cecilia will check into the e-banner ad for this event
Suggested maybe July at Boone Electric - Ron will try to get date in the last two weeks of July (He will also check why we were not scheduled for last nights meeting)
 - **Comments** Gentry School training.
 - Set April 25th for an "on-site" training at Patriot Place @ 7 pm
- Need to get more business cards -.- **Jake will add items to card - Hold**
- Bad/ missing email addressed- suspended, unsubscribed. - Still needs to be worked on - still need list from Elaine - Cecilia turned her list in.

- Training Power Point: Jake sent out reworked power point. - any additions or changes? Reviewed and Irwin will get with Jake on changes.
- Outreach Events - 2017 Home Show - March 17 & 18 at Parkade - We will share Booth 63 with the Fire Department

New Business:

- Board opening - Voted to accept Mary Kay for the Board Opening
- Molly's Miles 5K - They will send out emails to those that volunteered
- March Newsletter - 41 % open rate
- Future Outreach Events ?
- Posting service - Jake Hold
- Donation button on website-Hold (was suggested square of paypal) Irwin will get with Sandy and we will discuss next meeting.
- Volunteer as a group - Herb suggested more Board members go with the police officers on National Night Out.
- It was suggested that we put a Crime Stoppers link on our website - Got approval from Crime Stoppers and in on our Home page.

Adjourned meeting at : 7:30 pm

Board member attendance and terms

Name	Present	Absent	Term Ends
Irwin Schneider, President	X		2019
Elaine Heckenkamp - VP	X		2018
Jeff Hempstead - Secretary	X		2018
Sandy Perley, Treasurer	X		2017
Cecilia Young	X		2017
Ron Barthels	X		2019
Jacob Quick		X	2018
Amy Bishop-Police liaison	X		
Herb Watchinski Jr	X		2017
vacant		X	2019
Mary Wozny Ex Officio Member		X	