

AMTMA MINUTES JUNE 10, 2008

The June 10, 2008 meeting of the Alto Model Train Museum Association was held at club headquarters and opened by Vice President Don Goebel with the pledge of allegiance.

The minutes of the May meeting were read by secretary Ruth Miller and approved as read.

Harry Young gave the treasurer's report. So far at Lakemont we have only taken in around \$29.00. The total of all three club accounts is \$28,702.70.

Old Business:

Don Goebel reported 12 more tables have been lined up for the train show at the Convention Center during Railfest. Harley Burket will be bringing his layout also.

George Thompson reported he has registered the U-Haul trailer which he was considering donating to the club. If donated to the club it would have to pass emissions inspection and would not pass. George may check with Rick Geist on a possible exception.

The layout project at the Railroad Museum is still pending.

George thanked Rod and Peggy Young for the coloring books for the Jaffa Mosque event in May. Rod requested a thank you letter from the club for the person at Norfolk Southern who provided the material. The secretary will compose a letter.

Don Goebel reminded members of the parade in Roaring Spring July 1. Tyson Coates will bring the trailer to Don's and Don will let the club know when it is ready to decorate. Rod Young motioned that the club pay for candy for members to distribute from the float with a maximum of \$50.00. Dorothy Vinglas seconded and the motion carried.

New Business:

Gregg Miller emphasized that members need to submit comments on the new By-Laws to him by June 22nd. Club members will discuss and vote on the By-Laws at 7 p.m. June 30th.

George Thompson showed a letter from the Chamber of Commerce requesting a brief description of our club for their business directory. Ruth Miller will send one to the Chamber.

Joyce Thompson reminded members of the picnic at Lakemont June 14th at 2p.m.

George Thompson suggested putting a Keystone on the portal at Lakemont. He could obtain white lettering for it.

Gregg Miller said the sign as people enter Lakemont Park will soon announce that our train displays are there. Harry Young had spoken to Barry Kumpf about it. Gregg also said the portal needs re-painted.

Don Goebel said the Convention Center will publish any info or announcements from our club free in their newsletter. Gregg Miller suggested info regarding our displays at Lakemont.

Patrick Morrissey won the 50-50 for \$10.00.

Don Goebel moved the meeting be adjourned and Rod Young seconded.

There were 17 members in attendance.