



# Niagara Frontier Fiddle Club

## Newsletter, Jan, 2016

Fiddling for fun on the Niagara Frontier  
*niagarafiddlers.org*

### MINUTES Jan, 2016

#### Board Members:

*President: Roger Vaillancourt*  
*Vice President: Bob Toth*  
*Secretary: Neil Yerkey*  
*Treasurer: Larry Brennen*  
*Gig Chair: Joanne Brennen*  
*Lead Fiddler: Sharon Cianciosi*

#### At Large Members:

*Larry Brumagin*  
*Steve Kick*  
*Nancy Kick*  
*Nancy Yerkey*

#### GENERAL MEETING:

1. Bob Toth called the meeting to order at 2:10.
2. Minutes: Neil read the Nov, 2015 minutes.
3. Treasurer's Report: Reported by Larry Brennen. Moved by Bill Pocobello, seconded by Carol Toth to accept. Accepted.  
 Previous balance: \$6187.06  
 Deposits: \$875  
 Expenses: \$1748.22 (Claudine \$451.00; Sean Patrick's \$1147.22; Harpers \$150)  
 Returned check \$125+12 (bank charge)  
 New balance: \$5,176.84
4. Food: Good.
5. Sunshine: Nothing pending.
6. Music: We need to increase our repertory. Carol Freeman suggested that all soloists come up with a new song for this year.

7. Sound: No report.

8. Gigs: Joanne read a thank-you note from Yates Baptist Church. Joanne presented the gig sheet (see below). All approved.

#### New business.

1. It was agreed that we have our Christmas party at Sean Patrick's again this year.
2. Larry Brennen presented a proposal from the Mercantile project in Springville that we give back the \$200 fee this year. Pete Freeman moved that we add another \$200. Don made a presentation about the project and why funds are needed to finish it. Pete withdrew his motion and Sharon moved to donate \$300 in addition to the "give back" of \$200. Seconded by Bill Pocobello. Approved.
3. Bob Toth declared the meeting adjourned.

NEXT MEETING: Feb 28, 2:00 at Knights of Columbus, 2735 Union Rd. Cheektowaga, NY

NOTE: 2016 dues of \$10 must be paid by the Feb meeting. You can pay Nancy Yerkey at the meeting or write a check payable to Niagara Frontier Fiddle Club, mailed to Nancy at 67 Countryside Lane, Williamsville, NY 14221.

We had a good practice following the meeting, and worked on some older numbers that can be used as alternates when we play at the same place more than once. We will continue to work on the list.

On the Road to Boston D  
 Red Wing G  
 Rakes of Mallow G  
 Country Waltz D  
 Black Velvet Waltz C

Marching Through Georgia G  
 Swallowtail Jig Em  
 Kentucky Waltz/Waltz Across Texas G  
 Westphalia Waltz G  
 Rosebud of Avondale A

Life on the Ocean Wave G

Approved Gigs (also listed on the Web page at <http://niagarafiddlers.org> under “Where We’re Playing”):

\* = New

\*Jan 28, Thurs, 1:30-2:30pm, Heathwood, 815 Hopkins Rd., Amherst (Lyle & Jean)

Feb 12, Fri., 7:00-8:00pm Montgomery Park, 6363 Transit Rd., E. Amherst

Feb 16, Tues, 2:00-3:00pm, Our Lady of Peace, 5285 Lewiston Rd, Lewiston

\*Feb 18, Thurs, 2:30-3:30pm, Absolute Care of E. Aurora 292 MainSt, E. Aurora

\*Feb 24, Wed, 2:30pm, Weinberg Campus, Garden House #2, 2700 N. Forest Rd, Getzville.

Feb 25, Thurs, 1:00-2:00pm- Lord of Life, 1025 Borden Ave. Depew

\*Mar 17, Thurs, 2:00-3:00pm, Forestview, Woodland Corp Ctr, 3959 Forests Pkwy.NT

\*Mar 18, Fri, 2:30-3:30pm, Seneca Manor, 2987 Seneca St. W. Seneca

Mar 22 Tues, 7:00-8:00pm, Absolute Care of Orchard Park 6060 Armer-Duells Rd., Orchard Park

\*Mar 29, Tues, 8:00-9:00pm, Canterbury Woods, 705 Renaissance Dr, Williamsville

\*Apr 6, Wed, 7:00-8:00pm, Tennyson Ct. 49 Tennyson Ct

Apr 12, Tues, 2:00-3:00pm, Our Lady of Peace (same as above)

Apr 22, Fri, 7:00-8:00pm, Montgomery Park, (same as above)

\*May 12, Thurs, 2:30-3:30pm, Absolute Care of E. Aurora, 292 Main st.

\*May 17, Tues, 2:30-3:30pm, Fox Run, 5689 Big Tree Rd., Orchard Park

\*May 27, Fri, 2:00-3:00pm, Forestview, 3959 Forest Pkwy (see above)

\*May 31, Tues, 1:30-2:30pm, Catholic Health Life, 55 Melrose, Lackawana

\*Jun 2, Thurs, 2:00-3:00pm, Elderwood @Lancaster, 1818 Como Park Blvd

Jun 14, Tues, 2:00-3:00pm, Our Lady of Peace (same as above)

Jun 17, Fri, 2:00-3:00pm, Heathwood, 815 Hopkins Rd, Amherst

Jul 1, Fri, 7:00-8:00pm, Montgomery Park (same as above)

\*Jul 8, Fri, 2:30-3:30pm, Seneca Manor, 2987 Seneca St., W. Seneca

\*Jul 16, Sat, 11:00am-12:30pm, Alden Farmers’ Market, Tractor Supply Plaza, Broadway, Alden

Jul 22, Wed., 7:00-8:00pm, Absolute Care of Orchard Park. (same as above)

\*Jul 27, Wed, 7:00-8:00pm, Tennyson Ct, 49 Tennyson Ct., Williamsville

\*Jul 29, Fri, 2:00-3:00pm, Weinberg Campus, 2700 N. Forest Rd, Amherst (NOT at the Garden House. Play @ Skilled Nursing)

Jul 30, Sat, time to be announced, Springville Fiddle Festival

\*Aug 11, Thur, TBA, Newfane Sr Picnic, Olcott Park,

\*Sep 12, Mon, 6:30-7:30pm, Forestview, 3959 Forest Pkwy

\*Sep 15, Thurs, 1:00-2:30pm, Catholic Health, 55 Melroy, Lackawana

\*Oct 21, Fri, 2:30-3:30pm, Seneca Manor

Nov 18, Fri, 7:00-8:00pm., Montgomery Park (same as above)

\*Nov 21, Mon, 2:00-3:00pm, Elderwood @ Lancaster 1818 Como Pk Blvd

Nov. 22, Tues, 7:00-8:00pm, Absolute Care of Orchard Park (same as above)

Dec 14, Wed, 2:00-3:00pm, Forestview 3959 Forest Pkwy.