



Niagara Frontier Fiddle Club

Newsletter, Oct, 2015

Fiddling for fun on the Niagara Frontier
niagarafiddlers.org

MINUTES Oct 25, 2015

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:

Jerry Burkley

Sharon Cianciosi

Nancy Kick

Nancy Yerkey

GENERAL MEETING:

1. Roger V. called the meeting to order at 2:20.
2. Minutes: Neil read the minutes from Sept. Motion by Larry, seconded by Bill to approve. Approved.

3. Treasurer's Report: Larry read the Treasurer's Report:

Previous bal:	\$5,597.06
Income:	<u>625.00</u>
	\$6,222.06

Expenses:	<u>855.00</u>
Bal. Oct 25, 2015	\$5,367.06

Moved by Bill, seconded by Nancy Y to accept Treas. Report.

4. Food: Always good

5. Sunshine: No report

6. Music: We had a couple of good practices during October. The practices were focused and helpful. See below for practices in November.

7. Sound: Roger V. is still concerned about getting the shotgun and condenser mikes to work. It seems we never have a good environment to test them properly.

8. Gigs: Joanne presented the gig sheet (see below). All approved.

NEW BUSINESS

1. Nominations were made as follows. Election will be held during the November meeting:

Board: Jerry, Sharon, Steve

President: Sharon, Roger V.

VP: Bob Toth

Treas: Larry

Secy: Neil

Gig Chair: Joanne

Moved by Roger V., seconded by Jerry to adjourn.

PRACTICES

Practice at Vaillancourt's: Friday, Nov 6 from 7:00-9:00, 514 New Road, E. Amherst

Practice at Michaelene's: Sunday, Nov 29 from 1:30 to 4:30 at Forestview community room, 3959 Forest Parkway, N. Tonawanda

NEXT MEETING: Nov 22, 2:00 at Knights of Columbus, 2735 Union Rd. Cheektowaga, NY

Christmas party



Saturday, Dec 12. Doors open at 6:00. Dinner at 7:00
Sean Patrick's Restaurant, 3480 Millersport Highway, Getzville

Cost is \$10 for members.

Please RSVP to Sharon Ciaciosi by the Nov meeting. Call Sharon at 876-9305 to make reservations. You can send checks to her at 103 Victoria Blvd, Kenmore NY 14217, or bring them to the November meeting. We *must* know how many will be attending; please let Sharon know by Nov 22.

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

Oct 30, Fri, 7:00-8:00pm, Montgomery Park, 6363 Transit Rd. E. Amherst

Nov 8, Sun, 11:30am-12:30pm, United Church of Christ, 114 Main St @ Morgan, Tonawanda, 14150

Nov 17, Tues, 1:30-2:30pm, Catholic Health Life 55 Melroy, Lackawanna

Nov 23, Mon, 7:00-8:00pm, Absolute Care of Orchard Park, Independent Living, 6060 Armor-Duells Rd, Orchard Park

Dec 1, Tues, 2:30-3:30pm, Odd Fellows, 104 Old Niagara Rd, Lockport 14094

Dec 4, Fri, 7:00-8:00pm, Montgomery Park

Dec 8, Tues, 2:00-3:00pm, Our Lady of Peace

Dec 12, Sat, Xmas Party, Sean Patricks

Dec 16, Wed, 6:30-7:30pm, Tennyson Court off Transit, Williamsville

Dec 31, Thurs, 7:00-8:00pm, Elderwood @ Crestwood, Niag Falls Blvd

Feb 5, 2016, Lord of Life, Borden Rd, Depew