December 20, 2021

Meeting number 857 of the Farmington Senior Citizens was called to order at 12:11 PM on Monday, December 20, 2021, by President, Gary Weidenborner. 16 members and one guest were present. We enjoyed our dish-to-pass lunch.

After lunch, Tracy Murphy, Palmyra Museum Director and Caretaker/Historian of Hydesville Memorial Park, presented the history of the development of Modern Spiritualism. She started with the settlement of Hydesville and the arrival of the Fox Family. Then she described how Kate and Maggie Fox became famous for communicating with the spiritual world. She described the lives of Kate and Maggie and the development of the Hydesville Memorial Park from the original Fox House.

President Gary Weidenborner resumed the regular meeting at 1:30 PM.

Secretary's Report: The minutes from the November 15th meeting were read and approved.

Treasurer's Report: The balance in the Treasury as of November 15th is \$291.00.

There were no new anniversaries.

We sang Happy Birthday to Muriel Nado, Marilyn Duvall and Betty Powell.

Sunshine Report: Ruth and Gary Weidenborner delivered a poinsettia and the Christmas Meal to Fran and John VanderWalle.

Entertainment:

• At the January 17, 2022 meeting, we will have a presentation by Dan Krishner on Fossils.

Old Business:

- The meeting schedule for the first six months of 2022 is available.
- Also, information on the cancellation of meetings due to inclement weather is available.

New Business:

• Andrea Sidare and Karen Stratton will bring dessert to the January 3rd meeting. Members should bring their own sandwich.

Town of Farmington Update by Gary Weidenborner:

• Nothing new

President Gary Weidenborner closed the meeting about 1:45 PM.

There was dominos after the meeting.

Respectfully Submitted, Kathy Wagner, Secretary