

**Ingham County Genealogical Society**  
**General Membership Meeting**  
**April 9, 2015**

The April 9, 2015, regular Membership meeting of the Ingham County Genealogical Society (ICGS) was held at the Sam Corey Senior Center, Holt, Michigan with 26 members and 17 guests in attendance.

**CALL TO ORDER:** President Diane Bishop called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. She recognized guests that were present and reminded members to sign up for greeter, hosting and refreshments, and library.

**PROGRAM:** Diane Bishop and Connie Stewart gave a presentation on The Dart Family in Mason History.

**BUSINESS MEETING:** President Diane Bishop called the meeting to order at 8:20 p.m.

**MINUTES:** A motion was made to accept the minutes for the March 12, 2015 meeting by Jim Beckworth and was seconded by Maxine Rose. The motion was accepted and passed.

**OFFICER REPORTS**

**President:** Diane Bishop drew everyone's attention to the Upcoming Events calendar. The evening's volunteers were recognized and thanked. She informed everyone that the picnic in August will be held at the Veterans Memorial Park, Holt. She said that the best entrance to use for the park is the one off Aurelius Road.

**Vice President:** Lorie Neuman announced that the May speaker will be Shirley Hodges. The speaker schedule for the fall is:

September – Liz Homer talking about her book "Pioneers, Reformers and Millionaires"

October - Lisa Fuery will talk about a program called End Note. This will also be open to anyone wanting to share tips, techniques, computer programs they are using in their research.

November - Rod Sadler will talk about his book called "To Hell I Must Go" about a murder that happened in Williamston in the 1890's.

**Treasurer:** Report was provided for everyone to review.

**Membership:** Nothing to report.

**Librarian:** Isabelle Wells reported help is needed, please consider volunteering. People are coming in and using the Resource Room. She also said that Rod Jewett has provided wifi at the library.

**Trustees:** Nothing to report.

**COMMITTEE REPORTS**

**Historian:** Alice Raatz reported that the book is up to date with pictures from the February and March meetings and the Sam Corey Building. Diane thanked Alice for providing the picture of John Castle for the article in Mason Today on John Castle receiving the Edward Parker Award.

**Merchandise Sales:** Nothing to report.

**Newsletter:** Cindy Hawkins reported that the newsletter is almost finished and will go out during the week of April 13.

**Publicity:** Nothing to report.

**Publishing:** Nothing to report.

**Social:** Nothing to report.

**Website:** Nothing to report.

**MGC Delegates:** No council meeting in March.

**FGS Delegate:** Nothing to report.

**OLD BUSINESS:** Diane announced that she is still looking for people to review the summarized survey and prioritize the most important issues.

**NEW BUSINESS:** No new business.

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS AND ADJOURNMENTS**

Next meeting will be held on Thursday, May 14, 2015 at the Sam Corey Senior Center at 7:00 p.m.

Motion to adjourn meeting made by Isabelle Wells and seconded by Joanne DePeel. The motion was accepted and passed at 8:35 p.m.

Submitted by:  
Lora McAdams  
Recording Secretary