Shamrock Club Minutes April 17, 2019 @ Onalaska Legion 6:00PM

Attendance: Pat & Tracy Mullaney, Dennis & Diane O'Brien, Kathleen Ryan, Barrie & Mary Monks, Tom & Kathy Peterson, Linda Boyle, Bill O'Driscoll, Pat & Char Barton, Vicki Hampe, Ron Smith, Linda Pfaff, Jim & Debbie Kroner, Luke Seielstad, Tom & Jeanie Nolan, Sharon Candahl, Whitey & Linda Hoehn, Liz Oelke, Jane Brannan, Ann Nolan, Matt & Deb McGrury Minutes: February minutes reviewed. Date was incorrect on the minutes Jeanine Made motion to approve, Luke second all in favor, carried.

Treasurer's Report: Liz reports in general account \$3633.27 does not include the Golf outing funds. Garden \$500.00. Linda H, Linda P second, all in favor carried.

Membership Report: 154 paid members

Nomination for Club Officers – Bill noted absentee ballots need to be requested by Sunday and have to be in an hour to prior to May meeting, 4 going for trustee, nominations up to voting at May meeting.

St. Patrick's Day Dinner recap March 9th: -Tracy reported next year looking at the same venue, some discussion about moving this to April as it might allow more people to attend. Possibly install new Rose and Man at Christmas dinner vs March dinner. If you have any thoughts concerns please reach out to dinner committee: Tracy, Kathleen, Mary, Kathy P . \$886 made on the dinner, baskets brought in over \$1200.

Shamrock Club Bus Tour - Tracy reported added on 1 more nursing home, 3 nursing homes emailed a thank you afterward. Late getting out of the American Legion were a little behind to start but did catch up. Provided breakfast, lunch for dancers and the bus. All paid. Kathleen mentioned would encourage more members to attend. Tuesday March 17th next year.

St Pat's Parade – Recap - Luke stated was a lot of fun, great to be in the parade.

Upcoming Calendar – The next 3 month events, encourage participation and support. Kelly Smith is looking at Bennet O'reilly's fundraising event in June. Will get notice out with where May meeting will be. Suggestion to add POC and phone number by events for any questions etc. Pat will send that out. Irish heritage night Luke stated would be good to have another committee specifically for this event from each of the 3 organizations: Shamrock Club, Bantry and Irish fest. Pat M would like to be representative for Shamrock club, Luke made motion for Pat M to represent, Kathleen second, all in favor carried. Date is July 28th.

Old / New Business-

Irish Garden: Mary has a new contact that is willing to assist, the anchor/amphitheater area has flooded however does not appear to be any damage. They have removed bricks from walkway and moved them on the outer edge, feel people may still walk across them, hoping to have them moved more to the inside so they will not be stepped on. Contact Mary or Liz if you want to order bricks they were \$100 originally. Talking about making the names more visible, any questions please reach out to Mary. Pat will send an email out to the club regarding ordering new bricks. Mary is waiting to hear from her contact to see who is responsible for clean up after flood waters go down.

Adjourn: Tom P made motion to adjourn, Linda P second, all in favor, Carried.