

Iowa's Walking Club

Iowa's Walking Club regular membership meeting was held on October 18, 2020, at 6:30 pm by Zoom. Thirteen members were in attendance.

President Diana Ronk hosted the meeting

Treasurer's Report

Treasurer Susan Pinneke gave the treasurers report. The checking account balance is \$6,077.42. She noted credit goes to the State Park program for our positive balance. To date, we've logged 765 State Park walkers.

Walks

Susan gave an update on the Weekday Walks, reporting 15-20 walkers at the Healthy Iowa Walk and 15 at Raccoon River Park. The next walk will be at Evelyn Davis Park/Forest Ave. Library.

Diana Ronk said the Downtown Breweries walk special event is October 31. Start between 11:00 am - 1:00 pm at Peace Tree Brewing Co. Peggy and Susan will help. Workers' walk will be Wed or Th before. One more worker needed is needed.

Deb Gaskins talked about the November 14 Veterans Day Walk. This walk has a group start at 10 am, departing from the Botanical Center. Deb Gaskin is POC.

Peggy Watts reported 19 at the Stephens State Forest walk.

Susan Pinneke reported 34 at the Walk for Wildlife in Jester Park.

The event book is with a copy editor for editing.

Other business

Susan P. is placing the 2020 state park shirts re-order Tuesday. Long sleeve shirts will be white.

Susan P. also has supplies for walk boxes if needed.

Diana R. discussed standardizing maps and directions, noting walkers appreciated the maps' consistency and step-by-step directions. She offered to lead this effort.

The meeting adjourned at 7:00 pm.

The next regular meeting will be held by Zoom on November 16. Elections will be held. Diana R. can send paper ballots if a member is not able to participate in the Zoom meeting.