

Crime Watch meeting minutes for April 20, 2017

Taken by Millie Kelly

The April meeting of the North and South Shenango Crime Watch group was held at the South Shenango Township Building on April 20, 2017. The meeting was called to order at 7:00 PM by South Shenango Chairman Jim Kelly and he led the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Board members present from South Shenango were Chairman Jim Kelly and Secretary/Treasurer Millie Kelly. Board members present from North Shenango were Chairman Bob Trautmann and Secretary /Treasurer Bonnie Kroniser. Fourteen citizens were in attendance.

State police incident reports for our area submitted by PSP Meadville station commander, Lt. Daniel Hines were passed thru the audience.

Information regarding Sheriff Nick Hoke's current Most Wanted individuals were passed among the audience for their review and comments.

Updates of Megan's Law offenders information for offenders in our area were also passed thru the group.

Millie Kelly read the Treasurers report for South Shenango. Millie Kelly passed out copies of the meeting minutes from the last meeting which was held on November 17, 2016. There were no meetings scheduled for December, January or February. The March meeting was cancelled because of bad weather.

Bob then introduced the guest speaker for this month's meeting, Vicki Leap. She is the office manager for PA State Representative Parke Wentling at his Conneaut Lake office. In the past we have had Rep Wentling speak about legislative matters that he is working on in Harrisburg. Vicki talked about the many ways that the local office can help residents with information and paperwork. Some of the forms that the office can help with are: PA income tax forms, Rent Rebate, Property Tax Rebate, Pace Prescription Drug Program, Energy Assistance Program, Hunting and Fishing License Application, Liquor License, Driver License, Vehicle Registration, Student Loan Application, Copies of Legal Documents such as Birth Certificate or Death Certificate and many others. Everyone thanked Vicki for her helpful information.

Bonnie Kroniser won the 50/50 drawing. She donated the full amount back to the South Shenango Crime Watch treasury.

The meeting was adjourned till next month, at 7:00 PM on May 18 at the North Shenango Township Building. The guest speaker will be Don Ott. He is the Code Enforcement Officer for North Shenango Township.

Everyone stayed for cake and coffee. The cakes were baked by Millie Kelly.

Submitted by Bob Trautmann.

North Shenango Crime Watch Chairman