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Merry Christmas to our readers!

Stapleton School Foundation elects officers

The Stapleton School Foundation Board met Wednesday, December 16, 2020, to discuss several agenda items. This was the first in-person meeting since last spring. The Board elected the slate of officers which includes Duane McCain, president; Steve Schaeffer, vice-president; Kennetha Amos, secretary; and Richard Gewecke, treasurer.

The rest of the foundation board consists of Lacy Kinderknecht, Brenda Monson, Amber Rooney and Howard Gaffney.

The Board would like to thank Lacy for her time as foundation board president.

The Board held discussion on the annual Foundation Gala to be held in the spring. A motion was made and successfully voted in favor of planning to have the Gala on March 5, 2021. The Board would like to encourage the public to plan for this date and it is hoped there will be some sort of normalcy in place for such a gathering to be held. More information will be forthcoming.

In additional business, the Board voted to offer two $1,000 and two $500 scholarships for the 2021 seniors to apply for in the spring.

As 2020 comes to a close and last minute tax preparations are discussed, the Stapleton School Foundation would like to invite anyone with a generous heart to consider a tax deductible donation to the SPS Foundation. Should you desire to do so, please contact any of the Board members or call the Stapleton School for additional information.

You may write a check directly to the Mid-Nebraska Community Foundation and designate it for the Stapleton School Foundation.

Golf Association sets annual meeting date

The Stapleton Golf Association met recently to set the annual meeting date and will be holding a dinner and raffle fund-raiser at the Stapleton Community Center on February 13, 2021.

Donated items are appreciated and all proceeds will go towards the sprinkler project at the Augusta Wind Golf Course located south of Stapleton.

The annual meeting was set for January 23, 2021, at 7:00 p.m. at the Vet's Club. The board invites current members and anyone interested in a board position to attend this meeting. More information about the fund-raiser will be announced in upcoming issues of *The Enterprise.*

Work progressing on Village property clean-up

The Village of Stapleton Board of Trustees met for their regular meeting on Wednesday, December 9, and heard about progress being made on property clean-up.

Junk cars have been removed from the former meat locker located on Main Street and this improvement was noted. The owner has reported more will be completed in and around the building.

Scott Salisbury addressed the board and said he was also working on cleaning up the property on Main Street.

A roll-off has been placed at the former Shady Lady Cafe building located on Highway 92.

Logan County Sheriff Sean Carson spoke with the board about the Sheriff's contract. It had been tabled at the last meeting and Board of Trustees were asked to speak to community members to see if they were in favor or against again contracting with the Sheriff for village law enforcement.

Board member, Amber Tatman had contacted 30 people and 29 said yes and one no to the joint law enforcement contract.

The board voted 3-1 to proceed with the law enforcement contract with Bryan Rooney casting the no vote and Larry Vasquez, absent.

In other business, the repair of B Street was discussed. One block would cost $12,000 to $13,000. Other streets will be prioritized..

Aslphalt millings and armour coating will also be put in front of Opela's Outpost.

Year-end resolutions were approved.

Unlicensed dogs in the village were discussed and letters were sent accordingly.

Quotes are being obtained for the water tower fence and 10 new picnic tables for the park will be ordered in the spring.

Quilt Raffle Winner

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Stacey Anderson of Stapleton, was the winner of the Friends of the Library quilt raffle conducted in December. She is pictured with Kathy Trimble, librarian, left, and Wanda Osnes, center, who made the quilt again this year. Thank you to everyone who purchased a ticket. You are all appreciated. The Logan County Library is open Tuesdays and Thursdays from 8:30 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. Come find a "good read."

-- News Briefs --

Sharon Dailey Retires As Avon Rep

Sharon Dailey of Stapleton, has retired after 31 years as an Avon sales representative in Logan and Lincoln counties.

Dailey started when she lived on the Bailey Ranch north of Maxwell.

"I decided to quit when they decided to have us go online for everything," Sharon said. "I really enjoyed the people and used Avon products for my own use. I appreciated all my customers and miss visiting with everyone."

Her husband, Chubby, helped make deliveries and sometimes even took down phone call orders.

"Thank you, everyone for your support of my Avon business over the years," she added.

Businesses and individuals send greetings of the season inside!

Weather

DATE	HI	LOW	MT
13	33	12	0
14	38	6	0
15	26	8	.13
16	25	4	.13
17	43	6	0
18	34	20	0

Wind chill of 6 degrees @ 6:25 a.m. was recorded on December 14 and 3 degrees at 4:40 a.m. on December 16. Snow in the amount of 1.5" was measured on December 15 and 1.0" on December 16.

Obituary

- Johnny Jay Long
- Shirley Arensdorf

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- *Over The Hills*
- *Red Cross Blood Drive January 22, 2021*

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