Kendallville Heritage Association

Meeting Minutes 9/10/2026

Members present: Ann Butterfield, Sonya Hurst, Tom Jansen, Howard Mapes, Michael Mapes, LouAnne Pillers, Becky Daniels.

Next month we will revisit our Bylaws to decide if there are any revisions to be made. Becky will email a copy of the Bylaws to membership for review prior to the meeting.

We will be holding nominations for Officers soon. Please consider nominating someone or volunteering for a position. Jill and Ann have indicated that they are looking for someone to run for their positions of Treasurer and President.

The CLC is hosting Deck the Halls on November 21, 2026. If we are interested in participating, we need to register by October 16. We will check with Amanda and Chloe to see if either one would be interested in creating an item to submit for the auction.

REMC has a grant opportunity that we can apply for. The grant must be submitted by October 1. We could ask for funds to help with costs for proper archival containers for storing our collection items.

We will still need to work on sorting our collection and pulling out duplicates. Once we know what we have duplicates on, we can decide what we are keeping. Any extras we could look at having a sale.

The displays at the CLC need to be changed and updated. Sonya suggested we get a committee set up to handle change outs.

LouAnne will talk with the Workman family to see if they would be interested in loaning us the Elves Workshop to display. We could ask Hosler's Realty to see if we could use their storefront window to display them.