

OVA COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE

10:00 A.M.

MINUTES

January 23, 2024

Members: Jackie Ryan, Chair
Marty Thompson
Jim Brewer
Julie Kiil
Jim Acker
~~Marsha Zolkower~~
Harriet Palk

OVA Staff: Christel Antone
Crissi Langwell

Board Liaison: ~~Olga Ydrogo~~

A quorum was established.

The December minutes were approved via e-mail.

Three-hundred Word Limit for Articles in *Oakmont News*

Some scribes have complained; many have not commented. For example, the Hiking Club really needs more space; Crissi will review its articles and perhaps make an exception. It is expected that scribes will adjust.

Archived Photographs

They are probably in the media library on the website. Julie will look into this because she is being asked for some.

Website

A new IT person has been hired, expected to start work in early February. Crissi announced that he has the skills OVA needs to enhance the website, especially search engine optimization.

Reporters

Joan Helms has expressed an interest in writing for the *Oakmont News*. Marty will call and/or send her an email. Jackie Reinhardt is willing to return to write for the *Oakmont News* but has other commitments on Tuesdays and Thursdays, somewhat limiting her availability. Marlena Cannon is working on a feature story and plans to do others.

The meeting adjourned at 11:00 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Harriet Palk
CC Secretary