

ILLINOIS CHRISTMAS TREE ASSOCIATION—CORPORATE MEETING

January 28, 2017, Lebanon, Indiana

1:10 p.m. EST

President Bob Richardson opened the meeting.

Copies of the minutes were read by the members. George Richardson moved to approve. The motion was seconded and carried.

Copies of the 2016 financial report were distributed and read by the members. Members discussed the report. Balance in checking on January 15 was \$13,513.45. The report was filed for audit.

Bill Holesinger is still planning the Field Day for June 24, 2017. Holesinger also mention the arboretum in Clinton, Iowa. RSVP by June 17 to Holesingers. Jan Blank moved to have a \$5.00 registration fee. ICTA will cover other costs. Members and guests will be notified by email.

Upcoming Events

MACT July 7 & 8. Wooster, Ohio. Pine Barn Tree Farm.

NCTA/WISCONSIN CTGA August 16-19, Green Bay, WI.

Wendy Richardson went over the NCTA/CTPB report.

The ICTA contribution of greens for Lincoln's tomb was discussed. Holesingers gave greens for the cemetery at Arsenal Island, Quad Cities.

Various members discussed news stories about their farms. Holesingers were in Illinois Agri News and Gradys were in the Canton Ledger and Peoria Journal-Star.

Harold Tanner reported on the adventure of learning how to do Facebook for his farm.

The same officers and board members will be retained for 2017.

Meeting adjourned 1:40 p.m.