

Board Activities and Plans

- Usually the board meets four times yearly, but this year due to covid, we only met twice.
- At the January meeting, we passed our budget, planned events for the year and special anniversary activities. We talked about donations.
- In August we had an outdoor meeting at Canatara Park with social distancing. All but one of the 2020 directors has agreed to be on the board for 2021. Thus elections at the November annual meeting were not required.
- A tulip tree for our anniversary has been planted at Canatara Park. It is near the walkway by the Terry Fox building. We hope to have a dedication service next spring. The tree will be in bloom then. We secured a grant from OHA for the tree.
- A memorial bench with a plaque has been added at the College Ave Park. We thank David Hearn for making arrangements with the city parks board.
- \$1000.00 was given to Habitat for Humanity.
- We have followed guidelines and kept in contact with the District 11 executive and OHA board.

Finances

- Our finances are good at the end of year.
- Our fiscal year was the end of October and Monika has balanced the books and had them reviewed.
- Our membership numbers are down some this year.
- All our fees to District 11 and OHA have been paid.
- Monies for insurance and park insurance and maintenance costs at the park have been paid.
- Because of covid OHA arranged with OMAFRA that societies would receive the yearly grant based on membership in 2019. Thus we received a grant of \$1500.00. We had over 200 members in 2019.
- Heather Ashe organized 2 virtual plant sales and we made over \$900.00.
- We purchased anniversary books and about half of them have been sold. Some complimentary copies were given out. The books are available for sale for \$10.00.