

Speed City Sisters in Crime
Zoom Meeting Remote Access
Feb. 28, 2021

11 a.m. – Business Meeting

12 – 1 p.m – Speaker Tammy Ayers and Legend of Bigfoot

Call to Order – Janet Williams

Minutes – Ramona Henderson

(Motion to accept; all in favor; all opposed)

Treasurer’s Report – Brigitte Kephart

(Motion to accept pending audit)

Membership – Elizabeth San Miguel

Website/Communications/Blog – Hawthorn Mineart/Carol Paddock

Programs – Janis Thornton

Old Business:

- 2021 anthology – Update from Editor Diana Catt. Those whose stories were accepted should hear by Feb. 28; rewrites by March 31; and publication on Sept. 15. Cover and title to come.
- Book sales update.
- We will continue meeting via Zoom until the pandemic subsides as we look for a place to meet in person later in the year.
- Member dues Speed City Sisters in Crime member dues are \$15 per year – easy to re-up online.
- Writers event on March 9 at 6: 30 p.m. in conjunction with Washington County Library – Demystifying Mystery Writing. Panel so far: Tony Perona and his daughter and writing partner, Liz; Russ Eberhart; Diana Catt; Andrea Smith; and Janet Williams will moderate the panel.
- First Friday write-in – had seven participants including one person as a result of our out-reach to the Indiana Writer’s center. Will continue in March.
- Update on critique group.

New Business

- Plainfield event: Similar to the Washington library event we will put on a panel for the Plainfield Library 6:30 p.m. April 27.
- January meeting with Gary Sosniecki – the Potato Masher Murder – has been post to chapter’s YouTube channel.
- Review the results of our Jan. 30 planning meeting and include discussions of a new marketing subcommittee to promote both our chapter and our books.

Ongoing updates

- Retreat committee –Postponed 2022 Brigitte, Carol, Janet, Janis, Diana, Elizabeth

Member announcements

- Reminder that you can listen to Janis Thornton talk about true crime and her book, “No Place Like Murder: True Crime in the Midwest” on WFYI’s All In at this link: <https://www.wfyi.org/programs/all-in/radio/True-Crime-In-Indiana-Repeat>

Meeting Dates

- February 27 – Tammy Ayers and Legend of Bigfoot
- March 27 – John Gilstrap
- April 24
- May 22 – William Kent Krueger
- June 26
- July 24
- August 28
- September 25
- October 23
- November 27
- Next Board Business Meeting: March 18 @ 6 p.m.
- Next SinC meeting: March 27 @ 11 a.m.