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1964 Swift Current: P.Schroeder, W.P. Regier, J.C. Siemens
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1966 Hague: Abe Neufeld, John Janzen, Verner Friesen
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- 2011: North Battleford: Renata Klassen, Ryan Siemens, Grace Funk
- 2012: Shekinah Retreat Centre: Renata Klassen, Ryan Siemens, Terry Martens
- 2013: RJC/Rosthern Mennonite Church: George Epp, Ryan Siemens, Terry Martens
- 2014: Parliament Regina (Grace Regina, Peace & Eyebrow hosts); George Epp, Bruce Jantzen, Myrna Wiebe
- 2015: Mount Royal Mennonite (Aberdeen, Mount Royal & Warman hosts); Bruce Jantzen, Myrna Wiebe
- 2016: Osler Mennonite: Ken Warkentin, Bruce Jantzen, Dianne Epp
- 2017 Nutana Park Mennonite (Nutana Park & Pleasant Point hosts) Ken Warkentin, Bruce Jantzen, Dianne Epp

Acronyms used in Mennonite Church Saskatchewan conversations:

AMBS	Anabaptist Mennonite Biblical Seminary
COSA SS	Circles of Support and Accountability South Saskatchewan
CMU	Canadian Mennonite University
MCC Canada	Mennonite Central Committee Canada
MCC Sask	Mennonite Central Committee Saskatchewan
MC Sask	Mennonite Church Saskatchewan
MC Canada	Mennonite Church Canada
MHSS	Mennonite Historical Society of Saskatchewan
MTL	Mennonite Trust Ltd
PLC	Pastoral Leadership Commission
RJC	Rosthern Junior College
PRJ	Parkland Restorative Justice
RJMS	Restorative Justice Ministries Saskatchewan
SMYO	Saskatchewan Mennonite Youth Organization
TMM	The Micah Mission
YFBC	Youth Farm Bible Camp
YFCB	Youth Farm Complex Board
VW	Vision and Wholeness

**Mennonite Church Saskatchewan
2017 Annual Delegate Sessions
March 10 & 11, 2017
Held at Nutana Park Mennonite Church
Co-Hosted by Pleasant Point Mennonite
& Nutana Park Mennonite**

Theme: Extending the Table, Enough for All

28 of 28 congregations represented
Delegates: 84
Youth Delegates: 1

Friday Evening Session

1. Gathering & Singing

2. **Welcome:** Tammy Forester, chair of Nutana Park Mennonite, welcomed everyone to Nutana Park. Moderator Ken Warkentin officially opened the 2017 Annual Delegate Sessions.
The Parliamentarian, Peter Peters, was introduced, as well as the Resolutions Committee; Christy Martens-Funk, George Epp and Ike Epp.

3. **MOTION** to adopt the minutes of the 2016 MC Sask Annual Delegate Sessions;
2017-0310-01 Moved by Dianne Epp/Seconded by Dave Feick.
 - a. CARRIED

4. **MOTION** to accept the updated 2017 ADS Agenda;
2017-0310-02 Moved by Gordon Peters/Seconded by Craig Neufeld.
 - a. CARRIED

5. **Moderator's report** – found on page 9 of the Report Book.
MOTION to accept the Moderator's report as written and presented;
2017-0310-03 Moved by Ken Warkentin/Seconded by Victoria Neufeldt.
 - a. CARRIED

6. The report of Council Actions and Major Decisions was **adopted by consensus.**

7. **Reports of Area Church Ministers** found on pages 10-11 (Ryan) & 14 (Kirsten)
 - a. As of April 2nd Ryan will have visited all MC Sask congregations.
 - b. The Listening and Discernment Committee has a workshop they would like to bring to all churches.
 - c. Ryan introduced the visioning process with Betty Pries of L3; Refresh, Refocus, Renew.
 - d. Kirsten highlighted some of her activities and the decision to close the VBS program.
 - i. She is available to help congregations with their own VBS programs if needed.
 - e. **MOTION** to accept the Area Church Ministers reports as written and presented;
2017-0310-04 Moved by Celeste Wright/Seconded by Charlene Krahn.
 - i. CARRIED

8. **Report from Nomination Committee:** Leona Ewert, Christy Krahn & Anna Rehan
 - a. Report on page 7 of Report Book;
 - b. Valerie Wiebe nominated for Ministries Commission;
 - c. Pauline Steinmann nominated for Council; and
 - d. Ted Janzen nominated for Youth Farm Complex Board.

9. First call for nominations by Bruce Jantzen

10. Financial Report & Proposed Budget – Gordon Peters

- a. Report on page 12 and updated proposed budget in portfolios
- b. Discussion included the possibility of adding money to camping as per last year's budget since there is still a small surplus in the budget.

11. MOTION to approve all reports as presented;

2017-0310-05 Moved by Charlene Krahn/Seconded by Otto Driedger.

- a. CARRIED

Offering

Worship – The Gospel According to Food (with Communion)

Saturday Morning Session

Worship – Susanne Guenther Loewen, speaker

Business Session

1. Introduction of Guests

- Daniel Horne, Willard Metzger, Keith Regehr from Mennonite Church Canada
- Jim Epp & Valerie White from Rosthern Junior College
- Cheryl Pauls from Canadian Mennonite University
- Eileen Klassen-Hamm from Mennonite Central Committee Saskatchewan
- Cory Regier from Mennonite Trust Ltd.
- Dori Zerbe Cornelsen from Abundance Canada (formerly Mennonite Foundation)
- Donna Schulz, Saskatchewan correspondent for the Canadian Mennonite
- *Video by Mennonite Trust celebrating 100 years – Cory Regier*
- *Eileen Klassen Hamm expressed gratitude for MC Sask involvement with MCC*
- *Ike Epp shared MDS information about building “ready to move” homes to move to Fort McMurray*

2. Blessing of Hope Mennonite Fellowship & Horse Lake Mennonite Church

3. Second call for nominations by Bruce Jantzen

4. Plenary - Future Directions: Covenant New

- Pages 54 -56 of Report Book.
- Discussion and questions included:
 - i. How will international witness work?
 - ii. How do we work out our vision as “small churches”?
 - iii. How can we achieve equality between areas?
- The answer (for now) is - the work will continue but we do not know how just yet.
- A common concern was the need to gather together annually to stay connected, like in a national family reunion.
- Break into congregational groups for roundtable discussion with opportunity to write down and share feedback.

Lunch

Saturday Afternoon Session

Worship – Susanne Guenther Loewen, speaker

Memorial Service – Ryan Siemens & Kirsten Hamm-Epp

Business Session

1. Plenary: Life in our Schools – RJC & CMU

- a. Discussion lead by Ryan Siemens with Jim Epp (RJC) and Cheryl Pauls (CMU)

2. Break-out sessions

- a. Pastoral Leadership Commission – East Room
- b. Council – Sanctuary
- c. Camps – Fireplace Room
- d. Ministries Commission – Music Room

3. Third call for nominations by Bruce Jantzen

4. Nominations committee report

MOTION that the call for nominations cease;

2017-0311-06 Moved by Bruce Jantzen/Seconded by Verna Olfert.

a. CARRIED

No elections needed.

New Commission & Committee Members:

Deputy Moderator: Terry Stefaniuk 2019

Secretary: Myrna Wiebe 2019

Council: Pauline Steinmann 2018

Pastoral Leadership Commission:

Lisa Martens Bartel 2018

Garth Ewert Fisher 2020

Florence Dredger 2020

Ministries Commission:

Claire Ewert Fisher 2020

Valerie Wiebe 2020

Eric Olfert 2020

Jeannette Hanson 2018

Camp Elim Board:

John Woelk 2020

Shekinah Retreat Centre Board:

Ryan Epp 2020

Phyllis Goertz 2020

Kara Wolf 2020

Youth Farm Camp Board:

Annette Bergen 2020

Youth Farm Complex Board:

Ted Janzen 2018

Elaine Janzen 2020

Ernie Epp 2020

Doris Wiens 2020

5. Financial Report – Discussion & Approval – Gordon Peters

There is a \$5,938 surplus in the 2016 budget.

MOTION to accept the 2016 financial and audited statements as presented;

2017-0311-07 Moved by Gordon Peters/Seconded by Greg Redekopp.

a. CARRIED

I. Discussion & Approval of Budget for 2017 – Gordon Peters

a. Discussion

i. **Re: money cuts to camps** - They have appreciated the funds in the past and understand why there are cuts. They also know they can survive without this funding. Are we severing the connection with our camps by cutting funding?

ii. **Re: money collected for MC Canada** - It will just be an in and out line for this year because we do not know exactly what the amount will be. If money is sent to MC Sask without a specific amount being designated for MC Canada, it will be split 60% to MC Sask and 40% to MC Canada.

II. **MOTION** that the surplus from the proposed 2016 budget, \$9,418.00, be split between the three camps in proportion to the formula used in previous years.

2017-0311-08 Moved by Christy Funk/Seconded by Ray Friesen.

a. CARRIED

III. **MOTION** to approve the 2017 budget as amended;

2017-0311-09 Moved by Gordon Peters/Seconded by Ted Janzen.

a. CARRIED

6. Appointment of Auditors: Gordon Peters

MOTION that MC Sask Council be empowered to conduct a review of the auditing services provided to MC Sask as well as the three camps. From that review, Council will choose an accounting firm to provide audit services moving forward. This will be ratified by the delegate body at the 2018 Annual Delegate Sessions;
2017-0311-10 Moved by Denise Marten Seconded by Greg Redekopp.

a. CARRIED

7. A Word for the Journey

The Vision and Wholeness Group is being suspended moving forward, as their purpose is being filled by other persons/groups, and it has been increasingly difficult to fill the positions.

8. Commissioning & Closing of the Business Session

Ryan Siemens and Kirsten Hamm-Epp offered a blessing and commission to all committee/commission members, board members, and representatives old and new in their roles serving MC Sask.

9. Closing

Ken Warkentin declared the 2017 MC Sask Annual Delegate Sessions officially closed.

Submitted by Dianne Epp (Secretary)

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