

Oneida Tribe of Indians  
Executive Council  
February 2, 1967  
Home of Joycelyn Ninham  
Cont. regular

Present: Chrm. Norbert Hill, Vice Chairman Oscar Archiquette, Treas. Joycelyn Ninham

Visitors – VISTA Girls – Miki Beane and Barbara Burnett

The meeting was called to order by Chrm. Norbert Hill at 9:10 p.m.

The VISTA girls explained their work and presented the Executive Council a report of their proposed projects.

Chrm. Hill asked the Executive Council for information in regard to a list of high school students sent from West DePere High School. It was to identify Indian student living on Tribal land.

Chrm. Norbert Hill read a memorandum from the Health, Education & Welfare Department asking tribal leaders to attend a meeting in Aberdeen, South Dakota. Mr. Hill said that we do not have any great health problems. It was decided to send a letter giving present health conditions.

Oscar Archiquette made a motion to accept the following birth certificates. Second and approved.

1. Timothy Arthur Torrez
2. Julia Faye Torrez
3. Lisa Marie Glasheen
4. Aurilia Ann Wheelock
5. Maxine Alice Wheelock
6. Donald Arthur Ver Bruggen, Jr.
7. Gregory John Ver Bruggen
8. Jefferey Donald Ver Bruggen
9. Steven Arthur Ver Bruggen
10. Linda Marie Ver Bruggen
11. Ronald James Ver Bruggen
12. Constance Rae Ver Bruggen
13. Carl Prevost
14. Richard Lee Provost
15. Grace Karen Prevost
16. Inez Wilma Prevost
17. Jeffrey Leo Prevost
18. Sharon Ann Stueber
19. Barbara Ellen Stueber
20. Patricia Karen Stueber

21. Lawrence Lynn Stueber
22. Cynthia Jane Stueber
23. Sheri Lee Hill
24. Tami Lynn Melchert
25. Kurt Donald Davids
26. Gerald Thomas Fox
27. Michele Rene Madl

Motion to continue meeting until a later date was second and approved.

#### VISTA Prjoects:

1. Work with membership on CAP committee, Midwest Indian Association
2. General attempts to communicate with Oneida community about VISTA and VISTA projects, especially through Oneida News letter
3. Work with state and local service agents such as Bob Murphy and Carl Bruno – e.g. talk this month by Job Corps representative and enrollees
4. Some involvement with Wisconsin Youth Committee, help with transportation to meetings
5. Help with work on community skating rink
6. Informal tutoring for school children
7. Help with supervision of Neighborhood Youth Corps, planning of possible community projects
8. Library project with Father Vedder. Work with Amos Christjohn in building bookshelves with NYC boys; acquisitions of books from donors in Green Bay
9. Work with Father Vedder and teenagers on planning for Oneida teen center
10. Proposed summer trip to Montreal expo for high school students – work with VISTA's from Stockbridge-Munsee and Wittenberg
11. Film showing – educational entertainment when good documentaries available
12. General cultural enrichment – try to increase kids' contact with world outside Oneida, e.g. discussions about other religions and ways of thinking (Marjorie Leonard), movies, etc.

#### Possible New Projects

1. Work with Oscar Archiquette on historical society meetings for older people, possibly involve Joe Long, anthropologist, hold tape recording sessions of stories and memories
2. Expansion of library bookshelves to be completed, books acquired and catalogued, help with supervision found
3. Expansion of tutoring project, when library open, can be used in afternoons and evenings as study hall
4. Cultural enrichment in spring for younger children – weekend visits to nearby points of interests, e.g., museums, industries, railroad, harbor, Wisconsin Dells, etc.
5. Day camp for July
6. Day care center, staffed by mothers for young children not in Headstart
7. Film society – to choose and show films in Oneida in connection with teen center possibly
8. Arts and Crafts possible instruction

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