

Minutes of the General Meeting of the Kingston Field Naturalists held October 20, 2022, 7:00 p.m., by way of internet “Zoom”.

This was a joint lecture hosted by Friends of Frontenac Park, along with The Kingston Field Naturalists, Kingston, Frontenac, Lennox and Addington Land Conservancy, and North and South Otter Lake Association.

Simon (last name?) welcomed everyone to the Meeting. A breakout room was provided for the Kingston Field Naturalist members to conduct business before the Meeting. Since there were only 13 KFN members in attendance there were not enough to have quorum; Minutes could not be reviewed.

Observations:

- there have been 3 species of swans observed in Cataraqui Bay
- Salamanders were still active near Perth Road
- a red headed woodpecker was spotted on Howe Island
- a bobcat was seen north of Perth Road
- a downy woodpecker has been building a roost in a porch at residence east of Kingston.

Announcements: There is a comment period with a deadline of October 30, 2022 for the proposed development at the Inner Harbour of Kingston. Links and information are published in the newsletter, members were encouraged to look at these.

The joint meeting commenced at 7:30 p.m.

Simon introduced the Speaker, Quinn Fletcher, whose talk was about Bats and Citizen Science.

Meeting adjourned at 9:02 p.m.

There were a total of 54 participants in the joint meeting.