

Centennial Meeting
Minutes
July 5, 2011

Overview (Sue / Rich)

Rich was not able to attend!

Fundraising Reports

- Business Fundraising (Liz Chicola)

We rec'd \$1000 from Sunset Lakes, 250 from Duet bar and 250 from the flower shop since our last meeting. Sue is working on getting the business names up on the website and Mel and Liz C. will work on designing the T-shirt with the sponsor names.

- Update
- Thank-you letters Sent? (Melanie) **Melanie is taking care of this**
- Holy Cross Wrap-up (Melanie) **\$138**
- Hickory Hills Wrap-up (Melanie) **\$68**
- Corporate Fundraising (Rich / Kathy)
 - Update

Kathy has drafted the letter to be sent to corporate sponsors. These will be sent this week Possible Grant.....We are applying for a grant from New Dawn Technologies. Keep your fingers crossed!

Treasurers Report: (Melanie)

Melanie will deposit the checks and give us an update at the next meeting. We have over \$2,000!

- Other Opportunities to sell merchandise or Advertise
 - Pole Banners? (John / Ray /Rick S?)
John and Ray will organize the signage campaign and source cost effective signage. (Update: Sue sent renderings to John and Ray so they can order signs ASAP)
 - Buy a Brick project? (Liz /?)
The group agreed we should continue to pursue this so Liz D. will continue to work on this project
 - **John has agreed to try to sell wearables at the next village meeting on Monday night**
 - **Kathy and Mel agreed to work on the display in the vestibule at the Village Hall**
- Homecoming Event (Sue / Melanie)
 - **The date for the Homecoming Cocktail reception at Szrotkas will be Tuesday August 16th @ 7:00 pm.**
 - **Sue and Melanie will send the invites but please start asking friends and neighbors to save the date!**

National Night Out **(Probably Cancelled: Lack of police participation)**

- Need a Leader
 - Ice Cream Social
 - **Cancelled**
 - Movie in the park?

Events Discussion / Assignments

The following events were placed on a list for discussion and delegation to a project leader. (Update) This list will be reviewed on Tuesday 7/12/2011 with Joe Vallez. Sue discussed the items with Joe and we will finalize events on Tuesday. I'll keep you posted! I have highlighted the items we have locked in so far. The rest will be discussed and locked in / changed on Tuesday.

- Park District Fest

- Car show (Rich)
- Bingo Tent (Sue)
 - Need to solicit prizes!!! (baskets / Gift certificates)
- Dunk Tank (John)
- Wearables (Melanie / Liz C?)
- Historical Tent (Kathy / Jim)
- Ice cream Social (Liz D?/ Janet?)
- Beer Tent (2-4 hours) (Melanie / Don M)
- Historical Room (Kathy, Stacey, Jim P, Liz D, Kinga)

Please bring your list of historical artifacts to our next meeting on 7/18. There will be a special historical committee meeting on Tuesday 7/19 in the afternoon in the all purpose room.

- Other Events
 - Historical Room (Sue / Ed Shilka? / ??)

We are looking to transform the all purpose room into our "historical museum" (Update) I ordered black tablecloths which should be here in a week or so. I will call others to help.....

Looking for display cases. Many are on the hunt for them!

- Resurrection Mary Party (Sue)

We have locked in Richard Crowe for his Justice ghost stories on September 24th in the grove at Chets. Chets is also reserved. Any volunteers to work on a flier for the event?.....Resurrection Mary look a like contest, chili cook off etc...

- Ghost Stories / Tour
- Chili Cook-off?

- Texas Hold 'em?

Tabled: Maybe in Early September at Canterbury?

- Oktoberfest (All)

Just started discussing.

- Parade (Karen)

Parade on Sunday October 16th. Karen is working on plans and will be FIRST on agenda next meeting! Web address: justicbirthdayparade@gmail.com

- Commemorative Book? (Kinga)
 - Update

There will be a special committee meeting to discuss the historical information and how to capture and create the room and the book. This meeting will be on July 19th. (Tuesday afternoon)

New Business

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Key Dates To Remember:

July 18: Centennial Meeting 7:00 pm

July 19: Historical Artifacts / info meeting 1:00 pm

August 1: Centennial Meeting 7:00 pm

August 15: Centennial Meeting 7:00 pm

August 16: Homecoming Fundraising Social / 7:00 pm SZROTKAS

August 25 – 28: Village Fest

September 6: Centennial Meeting 7:00 pm

September 19: Centennial Meeting 7:00 pm

September 24: Ghost Stories / Resurrection look alike / Chili

October 3: Centennial Meeting 7:00 pm

October 12: Centennial Meeting 7:00pm

October 15 – 17 CENTENNIAL WEEKEND!!!!