

Chamber Meeting Minutes

Held at Reinvention Brewery

Date: 8/3/2023

Present:

Jack Northrup
Martha Doody
Molly Moochers
Tom Howsenhauer
Tom Schulz
Jessica Knaack
George Aldrich
Kristy Alsrich
Doug Krause
Matt Schaertl
Emily Schaertl
Neng Marquez
Liz VanNorman
Jacob Weed
Abigail Marion
Stephanie Hutson

Meeting called to order.

Minutes approved from last week

New business

Treasurer Report:

19,760 - CNB

4,569.66 - Paypal (this will be deposited to the account at Canandaigua National Bank)

Do we increase our membership fee?

What are our Member Benefits?

Business of the Month

What are our qualifications for this recognition?

We need a standardization of the nomination/selection of Business of the Month

Write this up and post online or somewhere

Rent the tents, other resources to rent at a discount?

10x10

10x20

16x32 (2)

(This includes an additional tent to be donated from Jessica Knaack)

Mixer, one time 1 year.

Workshops

We need to go over the membership forms on the website and add to them.

Do we want to charge for events?

Can a business sponsor the events/lunches instead of charging?

Currently individuals and businesses are donating towards the meetings and other things.

Upcoming events and initiatives:

Youth apprenticeships:

Jacob and Stephanie will meet to discuss this.

Martha said she worked with ? Fukes in the past for volunteers.

Matt said we would pass on conflicting with Billies for the Bike Ride/Street Dance.

Lunar Eclipse is being run by Ontario County. It takes place 4/8/2024. Should we do something for this event?

Farmers Market in Budd Park again:

May-Sept?

Sunday, or a weeknight

Maybe we can start it next year.

Look at the other markets and what they are doing.

Do we change our meeting times?

Alternate meeting times with an evening to get more attendance.

Do we make a mandatory meeting 1x year

RSVP in Facebook and in the email.

Should we raise the membership amount to \$100 per business and \$50 per individual/Friend of the Chamber? ***Voted and approved by the board members.***

Bylaws should be changed to handle individuals, maybe have two different levels

Aug is deadline, for grants:

Bikes,

Path from Caboose

Side-by-side trikes

Pavilion on the caboose

Running timing equipment

Wooden toboggans for the park

Enclosed pavilion at the park for Papec farming equipment

Place to do bike repairs.

Do this without the grant?

Enclose the Pavillions (Village of Shortsville)

Get cost list from Matt to add to these.

RJ Community center is doing a fundraiser for the Legion.

Also want to do a SB Sat. Map of all businesses.

Can we do a new event instead of the Bike Ride now?

Pumpkin Walk is Oct 6. The school is moving the Homecoming game to work with our timing. *(later changed to the 13th after a discussion with the school)*

Sep 7th is the next meeting at Revinvention at 12PM

Oct will be the 1st Monday evening meeting @ 6:30

Meeting adjourned at 1:11 PM