

Date: 7/9/19

Number in Attendance: 16

Meeting Start: 12:05pm

Minutes

Minutes approval from last meeting. Bobbie motioned to approve. Jack seconds. All in favor.

Treasurer's Report

We raised \$2,403.62 for fireworks in donations. From selling the ducks and splitting the money in half for prize money, we ended up walking away with \$2720. \$500 of that money is set aside for next year to get a net or some sort of duck retainment device. We gave out 5 place prizes for the ducks. 1st place got \$500, 2nd got \$400, 3rd and 4th got \$250 and 5th got \$60. The 4th of July Fireworks stand made around \$4000. We spent \$10k on the fireworks for this year, in which half of it has been paid so far. After paying all the bills the checking account has \$16,770.77 and the money market account has \$16,102.95.

Office

The floor has been painted and looks good! Still working on getting the window decal, which is going to be the Chamber logo, colored but you can still see through it and it will be 20"x20". The labor to install the computer and software was \$180 and the parts for the computer were \$40. Do we have permission to pay this?

Jack motions to approve the payment. Pam seconds. All in favor.

After being in the office and answering phone calls, Julie suggests that we be open Monday, Thursday and Friday to start out. That is when we seem to get the most calls and questions.

Other News

The influencer, Kristen was up over the weekend before 4th of July. She had a great time and the first article is up on her website/blog. If you search for Bearfoot Theory. She also has Instagram and Twitter that you can follow her and see pictures of her stay in Cascade. There will be another big article written before August 15th.

The ITC Grant money will be awarded on July 29th.

4th of July recap

Everything went smooth. We had a busy weekend and it seemed as though there were more people up there than last year. Remington's had over 200 lbs of Crawfish and sold most of it, they also sold out of their shrimp and lobster rolls. The flyover was the best we had ever seen, the planes were really low, and the parade floats were a step up from last year.

Next year it is suggested that we get sponsors for rockets during the fireworks. The sponsors could get their name put on the rockets, a 10-12" sign and could also be advertised in the paper and other sources that they were sponsoring.

We need to write letters to the Cascade Schools for having their cheerleaders out handing out flags during the parade and collecting donations. Also writing a letter to Kathy Hull for all her hard work and effort put into the 4th festivities.

Do we need porta pots for next year? Some businesses were getting slammed with visitors needing to use the bathrooms, but not necessarily buying anything from stores.

Other News

Planning on having a Street Dance with live music on August 2nd at Armstrong Park. Time is to be determined. Most likely starting around 9pm.

The Thunder Mtn Golf tournament is this weekend of the 13th. There is also another golf tournament put on by the high school football team, Rambler Scrambler that will be July 28th that they will be fundraising for.

On July 20th at 11am, Marilyn Whitson's funeral will be taking place.

On August 3rd the Hospital Auxiliary will be hosting a BBQ with music and drinks at Kelly's Whitewater Park.

There will be a meeting for the pre-proposal for the marina at 10am at the State Parks Building Wednesday of this week. Here is a link with more information. You can also call the State Parks for more information on the topic.

<https://parksandrecreation.idaho.gov/news/idpr-seeking-publicprivate-agreement-development-marina-facility-lake-cascade>

The next meeting will be at the Lakefront on July 23rd at noon.