Cascade Chamber of Commerce Meeting Minutes 10/13/20

Meeting attendance: 10

Meeting attendance via phone: 0

Meeting start time: 12:07pm, Lakefront Bar & Grill

Meeting Minutes

Minutes approval for last meeting. Scotty motioned to approve. Michelle seconded. All in favor.

Treasurer-Pam

Checking account balance \$17,509.40, Money Market account is the same as last month.

So far, 12 businesses signed up for the Scarecrow Contest.

Valley Wide Cooperative has joined chamber membership. So far this year, 64 members with a total of \$9,380 paid in dues.

Secretary-Greta

Julie made some corrections to the 9/22/20 minutes. However, they aren't uploaded yet to the Website, will touch base with Sharon.

Chamber Office-Julie

No update on the waterfall project. Over the winter, will send an email to Idaho Power to determine if any of their community grant funding would be available to help with project costs.

Over half of our Christmas lights no longer work (presumably due to). Have contacted Forever LED here in Cascade. Will complete tree/pole inventory on Main Street and have cost estimates for the next meeting. Will contact business owners with trees in front of their business to determine if they want to pay for the lights installed on their trees. Christmas lights will be put up on Main Street, November 10th, in lieu of Chamber meeting. Please plan to meet at the Chamber Office at Noon to help out – many hands make light work!

Open Issues-

Halloween Trunk or Treat at D9 parking lot at 5pm. Pines RV (behind Alpine Lodge) providing trunk or treat 5:30-8pm.

The Event Committee has at least two openings. Contact Brian if you're interested in joining the committee. Details for Winter Jamboree still under discussion. Still don't know if it will happen or not. Where can we have it, what should we do?

Annual Recognition Awards. Start thinking about who we want to nominate in the community! (Categories: Business of the Year, Non-Profit of the Year, Community/Event Leadership Award, Volunteer of the Year, Youth Volunteer Award)

2021 Board Elections-

All of our Board member spots are available except for the position of Treasurer. If you are interested, please let Jenni know and we can put your name on the ballot. Thank you!

Scotty-

Winter Carnival IS happening! Details to follow.

Greta-

Thanksgiving Turkey Trot 5k is still happening this year! Sign up on Runsignup.com. The Rec Center is using this to raise money for scholarship money to teach Swim Lessons to youths.

Michelle-Cascade School

FFA Club is planning a Rambler Auction/Dinner fund raiser for Nov 14th. Details to follow.

Brian-Food Pantry

Thursday, October 15th, will be the last distribution of food provided via the "Feed America" program. Food distribution will continue at the Food Pantry on the 1st and 3rd Thursday of each month.

Mindi-Cascade Fire Dept.

During month of October, Cascade Fire Department is offering free chimney, smoke detector and CO2 detector inspections. Contact Mindi at mindi.bcc@gmail.com for details.

Next meeting, Noon, Tuesday, October 27th, at Lakefront Bar & Grill.

Meeting adjourned at 1:13pm