

Shawnee Hills Chamber of Commerce
Chamber Meeting August 23, 2017 8am
Bucci's Pizza

Board Members Present:

Dawn Bookmyer, Carol Kender, Steve Smith, Virginia Miller, Craig Tuthill, Judy Stephenson

Chamber Members Present: Slade Bucci, Ken Barton

Carol started the meeting at 8:08am.

Secretary Report:

Motion to approve the secretary report was motioned by Judy and second by Steve. Motion to approve passed

Treasurer report: Judy reports The general fund has \$18,202.53 and the Event fund has \$5143.58. Virginia requested a copy of the report but Judy denied giving copies out as they were confidential documents of the Chamber. Judy stated that any board member is welcome to read the report at the meetings.

Judy would like a copy of updated email addresses

Steve approved the treasurer report and Dawn second the motion. Motion to approve passed.

Committee Reports:

Music in the Village:

Carol thanks Craig for putting together a great line up this summer. This Friday will be the last evening for the summer. Also thank you to Judy Stephenson for attending all the evening events.

There was a total of 178 people registered for door prizes. The largest event was Arnett Howard. We have 25 prizes to date to raffle. The Animal Hospital, Hooked on Hearing and The Wine Bistro have prizes to give as well. Members of the board are not eligible but spouses are. Next year, Craig would like businesses who sponsor to have brochures to pass out and maybe have sponsors bring something visual (face painters, balloon makers, puppies who need adoption, etc) School of Rock mentioned doing something like that.

Carol suggests that we bring ideas to a November planning session.

Restrooms at the pavilion have been pulled. We paid a private duty officer to be present 2 weeks ago for 3 hours to have her allow folks to use the bathroom. It got rained out but we are responsible to pay for her time.

Website:

Carol asked the board to please look to see if anything needs updated

Face Book: 288 people reach

Constant Contact: emails going out each week for Music in the village

Membership:

Steve would like to have board members email him businesses to chase after. Some need contacted to re-up membership.

Old Business:

The Civic will now be closed in November for repairs due to current rentals. No detailed list of what will be done or the cost of the renovations is available to the Chamber yet.

Shawnee Hills Shopping Guide Brochure:

A Re-design is needed. There are many new businesses and some no longer in business. Steve was asked by Carol to email the businesses to get updated content and logos. Ken Barton will help with the redesign and printing. Dawn asked that a new photo be placed that better represents Shawnee Hills.

Golf Outing:

Steve discussed how a golf fund raiser works. He's thinking next summer or fall 2018 for the event. Steve provided a proposed mock budget with 48 in attendance. He suggested Muirfield Village or some other higher end course (vs Safari). Dawn asked if we had any chamber members that are members of any of the nicer courses. That would give perhaps give us an in. Slade is an avid golfer and has been to events. He feels weekends at the nicer courses will be a tough sell for the courses and it's members. During the week will be tough for attendees due to work. Steve will push for a weekend and see what he can come up with.

Steve needs a committee to get everything organized. Judy asks about advertising. Brochures would be at the course to pass out, signage by Minute Men, FB, Next Door etc. Steve will put together a list of what areas we need covered. Monies received from the golf outing event will pay for Music in the Village.

Carol mentioned that we no longer have a member on the chamber from the village council. There is friction with Council and the Village Gazette and it's supporters. We also have only one chamber member who lives in Shawnee Hills.

There is a Council meeting Monday at 7pm regarding signage in the village and a new ordinance proposal. It is recommended that Chamber members attend.

Craig volunteered to be a liaison from the chamber to the council meetings.

New Business:

Elections for next year will occur this November. Carol would like to go back to an election breakfast at El Vaquero

Carol stated that the September financial report needed to be filed. Judy and Dawn were asked to stay after the meeting to be sure the correct form was filed.

Steve motioned to adjourn the meeting, Craig second the motion. Motion passed.

Meeting adjourned 9:04am.

Next meeting September 20th, 8am at Bucci's.

Prepared by Dawn Bookmyer

Secretary

