

2026 Fundraising Committee End of Year Recap Minutes
August 23rd at 11:45
Located at Town of Schoepke Hall

1. Called meeting to order at 11:45
2. Ensure all signed in: Pat Schenk, Kerry Romsa, Pam Alesi, Debbie Giles, Paul Schmidt, Lisa Erdman, Al Erdman, Sandy Cady, Joy Herman, Von Cook, Ted Nelson, Rick Schroeder, Lud Lodholz, Jim Frymark, Terrie Schmidt, Suz Romsa, Judy Boelter
3. Agenda Approved
4. **New Business:**
Pat would like to distribute the Chair workload by recruiting event-specific Vice Chairs and Committees for all the 2027 events. If you are interested in Vice Chairing or being on a committee, please contact Pat @ pschenk1958@gmail.com

Winterfest – Feb 6th (Vice Chair – open at this time).

- a. Committee: Lisa and Al Erdman, Rick Shroeder, Ann Sanders, Debbie Giles, Pam Alesi, Pat Schenk, Barb Stone. Anybody else interested, contact Pat.
 - b. Reduce number of raffle baskets, Pam will coordinate food (possible chili cook off), reduce outdoor games or move closer to bar for better visibility, Pam will display less merchandise, Lisa would like to get tickets ordered asap, talk to Barb to see what works for a meeting, possible Sept 6th 11:30 or 12:00? Just sell Lake Protection Tickets, nothing hung up in the bar.
- **Annual Meeting-June 5th**
 - **Ski Show – June 26th, Vice Chair - Kerry Romsa**
 - a. No Committee at this time.
 - b. Date was moved compared to prior years, due to being too close to the FunRaiser, Kerry talked to Gary at Lakeview and Gary was on board with the date change. Book Conover Chain Skimmers Ski Team due to their cost and good performance. Contact Stephanie Boisimenu about another water education and scavenger hunt for kids. Repeat of the Boat Regatta, if enough boats, do youth and adult divisions. Hang a prize in Lakeview and pre-sell class A tickets prior of the event. Contact Howard Disposal for the donation of Dumpster again. And Gary is to book and pay for a band if he wants one. Pat and Kerry will discuss this with Gary. Kerry and crew will do set up.
 - **FunRaiser – July 24th, Vice Chair – Roxy Sankey**
 - a. No Committee at this time
 - b. Try and get same bands as last year, Tristan Carlson and Homemade Brew! Pat will contact them and send a contract.
 - c. Kerry Romsa will talk to Fire Dept to get it on their calendar, Kerry and Suz will also take care of the the 40x80 tent (which saved us 350.00 by going smaller), including toilets and wash stations. Pat will talk to Roxy

about holding raffles back from FunRaiser to use at the Membership Appreciation. Rick asked to investigate for speakers to put in food area. Discussed baskets with alcohol, agreed we need to mark baskets and list them on Linda's log so she can check for ID when picked up.

- **Membership Appreciation - August 21st, (Vice Chair- open at this time)**
 - a. No Committee at this time
 - b. Kerry will research the price to pay Fire Dept for the use of the tent, toilets and wash station. Discussed having no band but decided we must have a band. Rick Schroeder and Debbie Giles mentioned that we ran out of food early and a lot of people were taking more than 1 sandwich. We need more food next year. Rick and Debbie also said that we did not have very many side dishes this year. And it was questioned if non-members were paying for food and how much was in the Donation Bucket, (\$404.00). It was suggested to specify on poster that food is only available until gone. Kerry and crew will take care of tents, toilets and wash stations.
 - **Meat Raffle @ Hoots** – date unknown – Kerry Romsa will do the Meat Raffle.
 - Discussion on using QR Codes for Merchandise and other prizes. Pat, Pam and Alex will get together to discuss further.
 - Kerry and Pat will talk to Stu and Brenda Spaude (The Dive on 45) about what they had in mind for an event.
 - There was a discussion on changing the way we do 10-liners, purchasing a Ball in Spinner. Still researching.
 - The Blind that Kerry is selling tickets for will be drawn at PBJ's on October 31st. He could use some help selling those tickets!
 - Discussed that all bar owners take on the responsibility of booking and paying for their own entertainment but decided to keep it as is.
 - Pat talked to Melissa concerning her doing the templates for our class A tickets and possible posters. Melissa agreed, so Pat and Melissa will talk more about it soon.
5. No outstanding OLD Business
6. Meeting adjourned. 1st Motion Ted Nelson, 2nd Motion Lisa Erdman