

WCYP Meeting Minutes
Thursday, April 28, 2022 – 6:30 pm
The Blue Room, Kirby

Attendance: Yajaira Ayala, Scott Boes, Amanda Fleming, Tom Karcher, Greg Moon, Jessica Moon, Zach Morral, Drew Rall, Tiffani Watkins, and Desiree Young.

Meeting called to order at 6:30 p.m. by President Amanda Fleming.

Treasurer's Report – Drew announced there was \$50,616.59 as of April 22, 2022.

- \$17,700 has been deposited so far for Wyanstock sponsorships.

Committee Updates:

- Scholarships
 - Greg prepared checks for all 5 of the scholarship winners chosen at last month's meeting, and Amanda signed each certificate.
 - Amanda will present the scholarship for Mohawk, Lesley for Wynford, Graham for Upper Sandusky, and Emily for Carey. Riverdale's will be given to the school.
- Wyanstock
 - Amanda noted a committee meeting took place last month and another meeting will be scheduled for mid-May.
 - She also announced the marketing committee met last week, and reviewed a proposal from iHeartMedia that would include digital video advertising on YouTube and multiple streaming platforms in addition to the regular radio station marketing done each year.
 - Greg noted that Brian signed the agreement this week.
 - The marketing committee will also be making announcements regarding the upcoming camping registration release.
 - All 8 food vendor spots have been filled with the local Lions Club taking one of the spots this year.
 - There was further discussion around finding a group or two that may be willing to help with cleanup at the event.
- Bylaw Review
 - No WCYP Directors were in attendance for an update.

Old Business

- 2022 Membership Dues
 - There was no update as this fell under the Bylaw Review committee.

New Business

- October Event
 - At the previous meeting, a joint effort for a semi-Octoberfest / Buckeyes tailgate event was discussed.
 - This would take place during an away OSU game.
 - Drew spoke with The Elks about the possibility of using their parking lot, and they liked the idea.
 - It was suggested a cause is determined that money raised would be donated to.
 - Seth had offered to chair the event committee last month. Scott, Drew, Tom, and Zach volunteered to help on the committee.
- Building Discussion
 - It was announced that the building located at 107 N Sandusky Ave. in Upper Sandusky has been for sale for some time, and the price just dropped \$20,000 to a \$43,000 asking price.
 - The idea was presented for the YP possibly purchasing the building to offer it as business incubation space.
 - The business incubation idea would involve free or very limited rent for a set period of time to a local startup, thereby helping it to get off the ground.
 - The second floor could then be used as meeting space, storage space, etc.
 - Thoughts from the group were that this could be a good idea and would fit with the organization's mission.
 - Some concerns would be building condition, unforeseen repairs, and ongoing overhead.
 - The YP's limited credit would also have a major impact on potential financing.
 - The idea was left to the group for further consideration over the coming months, but reaching out to the realtor for some members to tour the building was suggested before the next meeting.
- Upper Sandusky Hispanic Involvement – group introduction
 - Yajaira presented her newly formed group to those in attendance.
 - The Upper Sandusky Hispanic Involvement group was created to get Hispanic kids involved in the community, and to open communication for joint opportunities. It is open to any school-aged youth.
 - She plans to have monthly meetings at the Upper Sandusky Library.
 - Yajaira has already gotten word out to other area clubs and asked the YP to consider opportunities to partner with this new group.
 - Tom offered to get information out at Kasai as well.

Adjourn

- Scott moved to adjourn the meeting, and Drew seconded. Meeting adjourned.