

5/3/2016

Bath Business Association Meeting Minutes

Present :Ellen Otto, Dave Sinar, Don Corbett, Jason Klein, Kathy Sidaway, Mark Fry, Renee Flynn , Mary Anne Krejci, Nancy Fay, Gail Hartman, Nadine Clar, Jody Konstand, Sarah Rauschenbach

1. Meeting called to order by Ellen.
2. Minutes from March and April are approved as read.
3. Mary Anne reported that there is \$7700.74 in the treasury.
4. Jody reported that there is currently 86 members.
5. Township news-Nadine spoke on the construction on Yellow Creek Road which has been postponed. She also talked about the walking tour that she participated in that focused on local government history, attendance was in the 50's. Nadine met with Project Pride which is a cleanup event. Nadine mentioned possibly doing one in the fall. The staff at Lowes are to volunteer time and they approached Nadine about participating. Jody announced that you can pick up a well water test kit at the Summit County Health Department.

Committee Reports:

Publicity-Jody gave a report on the Garage Sale. The application is in the Bath Country Journal along with a summary of items. West Side Leader has the information but it hasn't been published as of yet. Information will also be in Revere Neighbors. Jody will now be focusing on the Goodwill truck. Ellen passed out copies of the registration form.

Social-Nancy announced that the old Yellow Creek Mill has turned into a meeting place. The possibility of meeting there for the July BBA meeting was discussed. August's meeting is to be at Crown Point.

Welcome-bags are in

Website-Renee reported that the BBA website had 231 visits in the last 30 days. 11% were prior visitors, everyone else was new.

Garage Sale-Flyers were discussed. Nancy stated that she has stakes. Businesses are being contacted for ads. There will be an ad for next year's cookie tour on the flyer.

Scholarship- there are five applications being reviewed

Open discussion:

Bath Homeowners annual meeting is June 15th, 7p, at the Bath Administration Building.

Bath Horse Show-two mailings were sent out for this year's Horse Show on June 25th . being hosted by Bath Pony Club, Bath Volunteers for Service, and Bath Community Fund. Donations are needed.

Renee announced to the group the upcoming Bath Art Show that will be held June 19th. There are 30 vendors as well as feed and entertainment.

Hale Farm will be having an organic plant sale June 12, 13, 14. All organic herbs, flowers, and vegetables. Jody spoke on the quality of Hale Farm's plants. Ellen also mentioned that they have a very passionate and knowledgeable farmer who will take you through and tell you all sorts of things.

Helen Welch is booked for Taste of Earth, 9/24 at 7p. There will be a picnic prior to the show. Kathy is looking for donors and volunteers.

Nadine spoke on the upcoming Bath Home Tour, 5/9, you can buy tickets online. Nadine is also working on Bath's Bicentennial and putting together a calendar of events for the year. Gail and Nancy are working on tshirts.

Jason invited us all to the Barn Party, 5/14, 6-10, \$75, carriage rides, games, food, open bar, music, and much more.

On June 11th and 12th, Hale Farm is also having their Sow and Grow Festival where you can experience bee keeping, sheep shearing, and fiber dying, among other activities and demonstrations.

Meeting adjourned.

Next month's meeting is to be held on 6/7/15 at Hale Farm, 5:30p