

April 5, 2011

Meeting was called to order by Brad Peterson and the motion was seconded by Brad Freitag

Attendance: Brad Peterson, Faye Nolden, Melissa Anderson, Christine Lade, Stacy Frey, Sherry Rossleir, Megan Lawless, Michael Parkin, Roger Hillebrand, Dave Ace, Brad Freitag, Tara Osterholz,

**Reminder that the Chamber meets the 1st Tuesday of each month at J&M's at 12:00 for its monthly meeting. All are invited to attend.

Treasure Report

- Balance around \$6,000
- Looking for a qualified candidate to take over the roll of treasurer starting this summer
 - Duties include: paying monthly bills, having cash bags ready for certain events, keeping tax information together for end of year filing

Memberships 2011

- Currently have 40 members
- Membership dues **\$100**

Music Crawl

- Roger from the police department came and spoke about the violations that occurred the night of the music crawl to clarify rumors that had been circulating
 - From 3pm on Saturday to 3 am on Sunday, 6 stops were made
 - No OWI
 - 4 for driving without headlights
 - 1 for speeding
 - 1 for failure to stop at a stop sign
- From now on, for each Chamber event we will have a report/update on the status of the police involvement for that event
- Another recommendation is to have some kind of cab service on the night of those specific events

Farmer's Market

- Send out a letter to vendors polling them to see which day of the week (Tuesday, Thursday, or Sunday) they would like to have the market
- Idea behind changing days is to allow for great traffic potential

Garage Sale Weekend

- Friday May 6th, and Saturday May 7th
- Entry form was put into the Post Messenger last week and can also be picked up at Sugar River Bank and TownMart

Bastille Day

- Discussed having Bastille Day be more like a music crawl and move the location to local bars instead of having at Library Park
- Tentative time for the event for would be 3pm to 11pm
- Other ideas discussed:
 - Having volleyball, bean bag tournaments
 - Kids bowling/high school band playing
 - Vendors (non-profits)

Brad Peterson made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 12:58. Rick seconded this motion.