

June Vicksburg Area Chamber of Commerce Meeting Notes 2018

Attendance:

Dane Bosel, Christine Butcher, Nick DeVito all from the Board
Syd, Fawn Callen, Veronica, Todd Glenn, John, Sue Moore

Ask Brian about license charge
DDA Benches update
Treasure's report--license charge

Job Fair:

Not well attended
notes for better next year
more direct means, less social media for advertising
brain storm

Picnic in the Village

work in progress
Start earlier to plan
Discouraged by getting a license for food
there was a prize for everyone
About 35 people
get word out sooner
need to donate to church for the offering of the commercial kitchen, thank you note from Board

Goal of Taste of Vicksburg:

get people out and into Vix
HairMania is our band, play from 7-11
Will be on Prairie and Main, S Main will be the front
Tent is rented, 2 of them, not until 4 into the street
4:30 vendors be ready, provide their own tents
electric hook ups, where?
Where should food be? if in front of Hideaway then fence that off
Encourage places to put best food forward
How do we incorp other business?? stations?
sidewalk sales?
Pair a rest. with a business?
We will promise to communicate
no permit needed, all made in a commercial kitchen
Chamber will do the handwash station
no contest at this one

Tickets for food, \$1.00 each, 50/50 with vendors
Last one we had 700-800 people, skipped a year
vendors determine price/portion size
Nick is asking radio station/tv about ads
Think Mandy should chair for her sake, Veronica and Christine will help
need volunteers

committee meeting next Monday 6pm

on 6/29 from 2-4 will be retirement party for Librarian that is leaving

Art Stroll 7/21

art in buildings/music
street performers
6-700 people
want \$1000.00 help to publish a map