

Friends of Shakamak Meeting Minutes

September 6, 2016

Those present: Derrick Cash, Shana Cash, Kenna Duguay, Holly Kowalski, Barbara Filtri, Guiseppi Filtri, Brenda Rash, Karen Williams, Diane Pine

Derrick opened the meeting. Minutes from July's meeting were not available but will be in the October meeting. August we had no meeting it was the FOS Appreciation cook-out and swim.

Treasury report was read by Shana. Check for bench by the campground playground was turned in to treasurer. She also shared that she filed the business entity report. Motion was made by Brenda to except the treasurer report and seconded by Diane all agree.

New business: A grant was submitted to Indiana Arts Program by Shana. Checking on the Greene Co. Foundation grant as to when it can be applied for. Derrick asked for members input on suggestions on what would be a good project for the park with the Greene Co. Foundation grant.

Homecoming Membership Drive will be Saturday September 24th in Jasonville. We will be setting up a booth with treats and flyers for joining FOS. Also for those who join that day their name will go in for a drawing to win a 2017 park pass compliments of FOS. Also there should be a way for folks to pay electronically.

Together the park and FOS will have a float in the parade and will need volunteers to help make this and pass out candy during the parade. A motion was made by Diane and seconded by Holly and all in favor for \$200.00 to be given for supplies for this event. A motion was made by Diane and seconded by Shana for the float design presented by Kenna. All were in favor.

Diane can supply a small tent and fake fire for the float. Derrick will help paint back of float and put lettering on, Brenda will make the letters for the float, Karen agreed to help where needed. Kenna and Shana will get all candies.

Fall Festival (October 21-22)

Kenna will be in contact with the people who will supply the pumpkins, hay bales are being donated. A motion for a budget of \$500.00 was made by Karen and seconded by Shana all in favor. Casey's General Store manager has declined on doing the Haunted House some ideas were talked about such as a drama club from local schools, Rose Hulman students taking it on. Kenna is talking with Rose Hulman and Diane with a drama club. All other regular fall festivities during this fall festival will go on .

A new website design is in the making and we talked about ways to keep members and potential members informed .

Old Business: Those who volunteered for the Christmas in the park talked about the positive points of the event and what worked and what was suggested by friends who came to our event.

The Kicking Bear events went well good participation at both events. Historic bike ride and the CCC presentation went great. Due to lack of interest the Indiana Next Campfire was cancelled.

Three recycled benches are placed in the park!!! Thank you to all who donate the plastic lids. We are still excepting the plastic lids. A safe box will be available for FOS to store important documents in.

Park update: Campsite's and cabins have been full summer was positive and was shared that the park will be in need of lifeguards next season.

Meeting adjourned by Barbara and Brenda.

Next meeting: October 3, 2016 6pm