Minutes East Wawanosh 150th Anniversary

April 4, 2017

Present: Reunion Chair Jamie McCallum, Secretary Joan Vincent, Elaine Snell, Jonathan VanCamp, Ray Hallahan, Alice McDowell, Melanie Pletch, Linda Logan, Heather Shiell, Margaret Vincent, Kim Walker, Marvin Cook, Lila Rintoul, Vicky Bremner, Neil Vincent, Chris Michie, Sylvia Nonkes-Verburg, Meggan McCallum, Amanda Hoover, Connie Goodall.

Regrets: Jason Rutledge, Matt Beck, and Steve Nixon

Welcome: Chair Jamie McCallum welcomed everyone to the meeting

Motion to approve the minutes of the March 7, 2017 meeting was made by Linda Logan and seconded by Heather Shiell.

CARRIED.

Financial Report given by Joan Vincent and listed separately below.

Motion to pay the bills made by Neil Vincent and seconded by Kim Walker. CARRIED.

Motion to approve financial report made by Heather Shiell and seconded by Elaine Snell. CARRIED.

Children's Activities – Will run from 1 – 4 on Saturday

Face Painting, Obstacle Course, Balloon Twisting etc.

Possible sponsorship CIBC

Church Service – there will be no service at Dungannon that day

Fundraising – going well

Turn in money at next meeting

Let Ray know if need more tickets

Registration – promote on social media

Get online payment set up

Wrist bands? Way to identify

Ornaments are in

History Book – waiting for editor to return

All stories in

Proofread then hope off to Printers

About 40 sold, discuss order number later and order in May

Discussion over map and privacy

Souvenirs – have sweatshirts, hats and t-shirts

Email if want any more committee shirts ordered

Put calendar, 1992 book, plate, spoon, pin and medallion in basket for Building Bridges Gala

Linda will make up basket

Maintenance – map to Children's Activities

Bar - 2 trailers reserved

Paul Cook - look after hydro

Food – Joan read Jason's email which included information below.

Friday night

8-1am

Wild willy's food truck

Saturday

Am belgrave kinsmen

8am-11am

\$10.00 /per person

300 tickets

Saturday night

Pine ridge BBQ

5-8

\$25.00

1000 tickets

Wild willy's food truck

12-1am

Hot dog and sausage cart

11am- 5pm

Sunday

North Huron fireman

\$10.00

8am-11am

300 tickets

Sunday night Blyth lions 4-7 \$20.00 500 tickets

Wild willy's food truck 12-1am

It was decided to extend the May 21 deadline for registration packages to June 1.

Ambassador – Alice McDowell made a motion seconded by Margaret Vincent that the Ambassador be given a registration package for the weekend of the Reunion. CARRIED.

Decorating – Lila – advertise bows on website

Get roll of gold

Has money for some bows

Maybe get some rails to decorate for Ambassador Competition.

Put bows at town signs

See about getting table cloth rolls cut in half – check with Ken at Blyth Printing

Beard Growing – discussed plaques and awards – will look further

Art & Photography – new posters are being hung up and put in to mail boxes

There will be weekly updates on the website for it and for the history book

Calendars – sell as souvenirs

Motion made by Margaret Vincent and seconded by Lila Rintoul that calendars be used as prizes

in contests.

Publicity – mores items are pre-scheduled on face book and twitter

Work on getting pay features in place

Signs should be ready any day.

Sponsorships are trickling in – want all in by May 15.

Start advertising Sponsorships in April

Met with Jen – start liners next week

Blackburn advertising package that was arranged in 2016 and add the Live Auction package

Rural Voice – 11,000 subscriptions

-deadline for May would be the following week after the meeting

Ad prices were reviewed

Motion by Linda Logan and seconded by Sylvia Nonkes-Verburg that ¼ page colour ads be taken for May and June.

CARRIED.

Topics for the May ad are to be the registration packages, Ambassador competition, Save the Date and the Parade.

When pamphlets are ready go through the appropriate procedures to obtain approval to have them distributed through the school.

Posters and Pamphlets are being worked on.

Put parade route and parking in the pamphlet

Parade – the route in 1992 was 2.28 km by finishing the parade at Jordan the route will be 2.0 km

Staging area is the hay field across from Europarts.

Letter has been sent to Huron County

Talked to Public Works - Steven Lund

Working on registration form

Need hard copies and look at drop off sites in Wingham, Belgrave and Blyth (possibly Co-op. Citizen and Township Office)

Parking – can park in Ron Cook's, Meiers is probably out, talk to Morris-Turnberry

Have talked to Co-op

Decided not to have shuttles.

See about a designated drop off zone.

Jamie will send in a request to Morris-Turnberry for temporary handicapped parking on

Brandon Street, if a drop off area could be arranged and about the possibility of using their lot

for parking

See about four parking spaces along the street in front of the Community Centre

Golf Tournament - Steve is attending the General Meeting of the Golf Course where there will be

discussion of it closing

There are 7 teams currently registered.

Ambassador – 1 confirmed and 1 considering it

There are other messages out

Hopeful

Would like to have 5

Has sashes picked out

Janice Robinson will come and help out

Dawn Dow keen to help

Day Lily - Motion by Linda Logan and seconded by Neil Vincent that 2 lilies be donated and planted at the Community Centre.

School Reunion – East Wawanosh School – would like to have a list of Principals – Kim will help with list

with the intent of inviting them to the Reunion

Any schools that have had reunions have information

The North Huron Museum has some history

There are some old hockey teams that are planning to meet at the Reunion.

Other – Signs – have a publicity photo op to get photos for the papers and on the website

Photo will be at start of next meeting.

Motion by Ray Hallahan and seconded by Linda Logan to order 4 more signs and add "Belgrave" to them.

CARRIED.

Hope to have the signs up before the next meeting

Pipe Band – if do not get a Pipe Band confirmed consider trying to get a single piper

Motion by Chris Michie and seconded by Marvin Cook to ask if the Bruce Power funds that were

approved could be reallocated from fireworks to general funds.

CARRIED.

Each Committee have their own list and activities needing volunteers

Meggan has sent a volunteer letter to the school.

Chairs let Kim know activities that the Ambassador is wanted at so she can set up a schedule for the Ambassador.

Next meeting is April 25. Please wear Committee shirts to it.

Following proposed dates of May 9, 23, June 6 and 20.

Motion to adjourn made by Ray Hallahan and seconded by Heather Shiell.

CARRIED.

FINANCIALS

Balance as of March 31, 2017 \$17,938.94
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Outstanding cheque Karli June Purcell \$ 200.00

\$17,738.94

Money to deposit \$ 2,541.73

\$20,280.67

Calendars

Income \$5220.

Expenses \$5372.05

\$- 152.05

Bills to be Approved

A & G Graphics (T-shirts)	\$3195.75
The Workshop (Sweat shirts)	\$1464,48
Sylvia Nonkes-Verburg (history book)	\$ 186.92
The Citizen	\$ 128.13
MARCC Apparel (ornaments)	\$1269.21