

MINUTES East Wawanosh 150th Anniversary

July 19, 2016

Present: Reunion Chair Jamie McCallum, Treasurer Shawn Cottrill, Secretary Joan Vincent, Katie Cottrill, Elaine Snell, Heather Shiell, Linda Logan, Sylvia Nonkes, Melanie Pletch, Mike Cottrill, Margaret Vincent, Jonathan VanCamp, Donelda Cottrill, Melissa Scott, Ray Hallahan, Lila Rintoul, Alex Blair, Vicky Bremner, Neil Vincent

Committee Photo Taken

Welcome: Chair Jamie McCallum welcomed everyone to the meeting

Motion to approve June 7, 2016 Minutes made by Ray Hallahan and seconded by Vicky Bremner.

CARRIED.

Financial Update: Shawn gave financial report. It was reported that the History Book has been approved for a Huron Heritage Grant.

The Auction item donated by CKNX for an ad package was discussed to decide if the Committee are interested in using it. The purchaser, Neil Vincent is willing to give it to the Committee for half of the price he paid for it. If the Committee purchases it, Neil will hold it until closer to the Reunion and the arrangement will be explained to CKNX.

Motion to purchase the advertising package for half what was paid for it in the auction (\$525. Of \$1050.) made by Heather Shiell and seconded by Linda Logan.

CARRIED.

There are outstanding bills to Mike, Katie and Shawn Cottrill for Kick Off expenses.

The Belgrave Kinsmen gave all the money to the Committee and the Reunion Committee paid the expenses.

Motion to pay the bills was made by Neil Vincent and seconded by Melissa Scott.

CARRIED.

Motion to approve Financial Report made by Melanie Pletch and seconded by Sylvia Nonkes.

CARRIED..

Motion to approve the draft logo made by Melissa Scott and seconded by Mike Cottrill.

CARRIED.

Several versions of slogans were discussed.

Motion to approve East Wawanosh 150th 2017 Anniversary was made by Sylvia Nonkes and seconded by Melanie Pletch.

CARRIED.

Motion made by Melissa Scott and seconded by Sylvia Nonkes that Committee members all have shirts with new logo.

CARRIED.

Get design etc. into stitch format and have numbers and costing for new shirts, stenciling etc.

Motion by Margaret Vincent and seconded by Jonathan VanCamp to get stencils, pre-printing etc. for Souvenirs. CARRIED.

Proceed with the magnetic signs now that the new logo is decided on. Participate in Howick Parade on Saturday, July 30 at 11 am proceeding from Fordwich ball park to the Howick Arena. Mike will take car and Jamie is available.

July 20 Vicky Bremner and Neil Vincent will go to Michael Falconer;s to look at Day Lilies and bring information back to the next meeting.

Tentative Reunion Agenda

Have the pageant in May not on the Friday of the Reunion.

Teeswater Pipe Band is interested in participating in the Parade.

Consider Wild Willie's food truck – Bruce Vincent

Ball Tournament

Ring Toss, Holey Board, Kids' Activities on both Saturday and Sunday.

Committee Chairs put up draft time frames and give to Joan

Kids Activities – get sponsored by businesses.

Beer Sponsors –Molson interested in

Get sponsors for certain events and set up sponsorship levels.

Jam Session on the Saturday in the beer tent – Alex Blair will Chair the Event.

Church Service – see if Doug Walker can come to next meeting. Have coffee & treats? Breakfast and/or lunch? Leave until next meeting.

Ball Tournament on Saturday and Championships on Sunday.

Blyth Supper at 4:30 on Sunday night.

Fundraising – Mike look into Fish Fry with Sue Doig. See about take out option, Avoid the Belgrave Community Centre Wing Night that is at the end of November and avoid the Fowl Supper maybe around the end of October – leave timing to Sue. Sell advance tickets.

Consider having another raffle with the draw at the Reunion. Ray will bring more information to the next meeting

Comments on 2016 event and Thank you to all involved.

History Book = meeting the week before. Working on fundraising calendar. Starting to get submissions of history and pictures.

Motion to submit a Canada 150th application was made by Margaret Vincent and seconded by Melanie Pletch. CARRIED.

Motion to submit a letter to North Huron requesting a letter of support for the Canada 150 application was made by Linda Logan and seconded by Jonathan VanCamp. CARRIED.

Information about the Ontario150 Grant initiatives and requirements was presented.

Motion was made by Lila Rintoul and seconded by Sylvia Nonkes that an application be submitted for an Ontario 150 Grant. CARRIED.

School Reunion Chair is vacant. Thank Ralph for his work. Ray Hallahan will talk to Jim Hallahan when he gets home in mid-August. If there are suggestions of other names, bring them forward.

Information was presented regarding Century Farm signs.

Motion to order same souvenirs as before with the new logo was made by Melissa Scott and seconded by Margaret Vincent. CARRIED.

Motion by Shawn Cottrill and seconded by Ray Hallahan that the Souvenir Committee spend up to \$8000. As they see fit.

CARRIED.

Current merchandise will be sold if people want it.

Matt Beck has the cheques that he needs for the deposits.

Kids Activities – location

- Outdoor movie – needs to be requested by December.
- 1-4 pm
- Pet Agility near Blyth, dog show
- Races
- Touch the Truck, Police Car, Kerr;s, Ambulance?
- Put ideas together and bring back.

Bar – Public opinion is to stay away from non-traditional .

Motion by Margaret Vincent and seconded by Heather Shiell that Mike bind a deal with Molson. CARRIED.

Food Chair – no report

Decorating – What want decorated?

Lamp posts

Make up and sell bows

Blue, green & gold with white

Bring samples to next meeting

Getting prices

Huron Bay – Janice Peters – colours for plants and shrubs

Store bows in arena

Previously small bows were \$6. Large bows were \$10. And can also do wreaths.

See about entrance signs to Belgrave.

Entertainment – TC price has gone up to \$800 That is fine.

Parade was covered earlier

Art and Photography – nothing

Publicity and Ad – get permission could have sponsorship on entrance signs. Neil Vincent will check about permission, 4 month notice for County. Get a general template for the signs. Put up beginning of April so ask County in January.

Other – Budget

Draft – increase security, TC, food

Add \$500. For judges and prizes

Church Service put in \$500 for honourarium and special music.

Price of meal if do sandwiches

Decoration \$4-5000.

Children;s Activity add more money

Committee Chairs submit more information before next meeting.

Next meeting – Tuesday, August 23, 2016 at 7 pm at the Belgrave Community Centre.

Motion to adjourn made by Heather Shiell and seconded by Neil Vincent. CARRIED.