

MINUTES East Wawanosh 150th Anniversary

October 26, 2016

Present: Reunion Chair Jamie McCallum, Secretary Joan Vincent, Elaine Snell, Jonathan VanCamp, Ray Hallahan, Vicky Bremner, Alice McDowell, Melanie Pletch, Linda Logan, Heather Shiell, Sylvia Nonkes

Regrets: Matt Beck, Connie Goodall, Margaret Vincent, Neil Vincent

Welcome: Chair Jamie McCallum welcomed everyone to the meeting

Motion to approve September 21, 2016 minutes made by Jonathan VanCamp and seconded by Linda Logan. CARRIED.

Financials – Canada 150 application has been submitted.

Joan listed the recent bills that were paid

The Citizen \$147.58 (ads)

Blyth Printing \$ 173.12 (vehicle magnets and raffle tickets)

Earth Angel \$1695.00 (down payment on hats)

Joan listed the bills received to be paid

Sylvia Nonkes \$628.13 (reimbursed for Photographer mileage and Citizen ad)

Melanie Pletch \$135.04 (reimbursed for Advance Times ad)

Blyth Printing \$98.20 (Fish Fry tickets and posters)

Vicky Bremner \$111.19 (reimbursed for Citizen Thank You ad)

Motion to pay the bills was made by Heather Shiell and seconded by Melanie Pletch. CARRIED.

Motion for Joan Vincent to be the Treasurer was made by Linda Logan and seconded by Elaine Snell. CARRIED.

Fund Raising – Ray Hallahan

Fish Fry – Tickets are all out

If run out of Adult tickets, print ADULT on the Children's tickets as there are extra Children's tickets.

Alice talked to Sue Doig about the schedule for helpers. There needs to be someone at the door to sell and collect tickets, someone to prepare take out, 2 or 3 to bring food from the kitchen, 3 to serve at the buffet and people to clean the tables.

Fries were being discussed at the Kinsmen meeting at the same time as the Reunion meeting.

Alice passed around a signup sheet for working at the Fish Fry. It was set up with two shifts, 5 – 6:15 and 6:15 – 7:30

It was discussed who would be getting the takeout containers and be responsible for the condiments.

Linda Logan will order 13 cases of vanilla ice cream from Horton's Dairy and see about the price for chocolate milk. She will also get the condiments, coffee, cream and sugar and 5 cases of water. She will be updated on the ticket sales.

Raffle – Ray has arranged for pork and lamb for the raffle and is working on arranging for the beef.

Hockey Game – Wait and see about ice.

Matt reported back with the information that he had found out about the Lil Mudder type event at Lucknow. The consensus from the information was that it does not cost a lot to run but does take a lot of work. It was decided that it would take too much time and was too different for the Reunion events.

Day Lilies – There was a picture and article about the Day Lilies in the Citizen. There have been a lot of orders. Have pictures of it on display for the Fish Fry.

History Book - The deadline for submitting information has been passed. There were many submissions easily over 200. Reading and proofreading is starting. The Committee is working on grouping articles and pictures. They then plan to do a mock up. The Committee will soon be meeting with the Designer.

The Calendar is being printed. A list will be made of the businesses and where the Calendar will be available and put the list on the website. A sample copy was displayed.

The History Committee are hoping to do gift certificates for the book but have to figure out a price yet.

Souvenirs – the hats are ordered but it is unsure whether they will be available for the Fish Fry.

The colour for the logo for the shirts did not come through properly so it will have to be re-done. The sample logo is a larger logo with a lot of stitching so will cost \$15. May try a smaller logo. The previous logo was \$10. The shirts are in and will be done by the Fish Fry. Will try to

make the logo a little smaller.

Maintenance – Matt's only report was about the Lil Mudder event which was included earlier.

Children's Activities, Bar, Food, Decorating, Entertainment, Beard Growing – no report

Art and Photography – Advertised in the calendar. Consider option of receiving digitally and posting on website

Publicity and Sponsorship – Make a list of events or items that we are looking for sponsors for.

Sponsorship Packages were printed and distributed after the meeting. A list is being compiled of who has packages and which businesses they are contacting.

Alice suggested a Sips and Nibbles type event (showcase event for chefs, wineries etc.) It could potentially tie into an Ambassador event. Kim Walker will coordinate the Ambassador event and Patti Cronin will help. Dawn Dow and Janice Robinson will be contacted as former Princesses. Guidelines, descriptions etc. will have further planning and thought put into them and ideas for the spring event. Aim to include participation in the Miss Midwest Competition.

Registration – Pre-registration

Alice is working on registration package ideas. Suggesting weekend packages, dinner packages and dance packages. She had asked Kim Edgar about bracelets. Get the package list set up so that packages can be purchased at Christmas. Consider Children's packages and have individual event tickets and possibly day packages.

Alice will look into pricing for a nice pewter ornament of the logo to be included in pre-packages and/or with pre-ordered history books. Email the information and promote at the Fish Fry.

Start a list of volunteers to help with the Reunion.

Parade – Neil will check with Don Pattison

Car Show – Joan will check with Roy and Marion Taylor

Golf Tournament – Jamie will check some possibilities

Auburn Lions – Joan will contact Auburn Lions

The next meeting will be in late November (possibly Nov. 23 or 30) and then have the next one in January.

Send info to members when have a date set.

Motion to adjourn made by Jonathan VanCamp and seconded by Ray Hallahan.

CARRIED.