Kensington Recreation Committee Meeting Minutes

Date: Wednesday, September 10, 2014

Time: Meeting start at 7:00 Location: Donna Carter Reality

Attendees: Jodi Lefebvre, Donna Carter, Leslie Del Sesto, Janet Bunnell, Sarah Hoffmaster, Jeff

Gleason, Jill Marshan

Guests: Carol Cray & Jean Waldron

Business Discussions:

1. We have two new Committee members, Jeff Gleason & Jill Marshan. Have they been sworn in?

- 2. Kensington Halloween Party and Haunted Hay Ride to be October 25, 2014. From 5:30 to 9.
- 3. Hayrides Donna reiterated that we really need 5 or 6 hay carts to accommodate the increase in people at this years event. Donna to discuss with Chris Batchelder.
- 4. Prices for hayrides Mr. Lewis suggested that there be no cost for the hayrides since he is paying for half of the fireworks cost.
- 5. Scary scenes Jeff Gleason has joined our team and is working on ideas for the scary scenes on the hay ride. He will coordinate with Carol and do a walk through at the Pinnacle and get started.
- 6. DJ to be hired. Jeff Gleason or his nephew.
- 7. Costume contest prizes (18) \$5 cash prizes. 3 per grade
- 8. Food we will need 15 boxes of munchkins (Janet to write letter to D.D.)

5 gallons of cider

hot chocolate & coffee full in our carafe

small bottles of water

apples & apple cider from the Farmstand (potentially)

apples picked by Sarah H, Jodi, & Leslie from a friends local farm

9. Volunteers needed:

2 volunteers per haycart (need to recite rules before starting hay ride & enforce them)

3 money collectors for hay cart rides

3 costume judges (from Farmstand)

2 food table

2 parking people

4 treat hunt (hay search) people

15 to 20 scarers (Jeff to coordinate)

5 clean up people

2 morning after clean up people

FD people to watch bonfire

- 10. Carol will contact Police
 Donna to contact Fire Department
- 11. Trash If we use containers provided and bag and pile together, Pinnacle will remove.
- 12. Pinnacle to build bonfire.
- 13. Assembly permit Carol to check to see if we need one.
- 14. Farmstand put out a save the date and then an invite via email. They will ask people to RSVP so that we can get their head count.
- 15. Flyers Jodi working with Ami Sanderson. Revisions to be made. It will be put out by 9/25.
- 16. Senior Social 11/4 which is voting day. This will give the seniors an opportunity to get out and vote and then go socialize after. Event will be also coordinated with the Library and held in the main floor social area.
- 17. Christmas Carol Stroll / Tree Lighting The recreation committee is planning on collaborating with the library, KCC, police, and fire to do a stroll / tree and building lighting on 11/30. We would start at the park and light the tree, do a haycart ride stopping along the way at the Library, Grange, FD, KES, Universals Church, Town Hall, and ending at the Congregational Church with refreshments! Jean W to advise that this date is ok with her committee.
- 18. Family Ski Trip Lisa Perault (Boswell) gathered a ton of information and pricing for a potential family ski trip. Different modes of transportation and options for mountain choices were compared. Donna to review the information and provide feedback.
- 19. Next meeting is our regularly scheduled meeting on Wednesday November 12, 2014 at 7PM at Donna Carter Realty.