

Iron County Memorial Building Restoration Committee Minutes

October 13, 2014

Present: Bill Thomas, Joe Walesewicz, Dorothy Walesewicz, Kathy Koski, Joe Pinardi, Pat DiLuna, Marie Swartz, Rick Swartz, Laverne Morello, Fran Mrozinski, Bill Gerlock, Joe Rimkus, Ginny Ralston, Karen Tenlen, Leola Maslanka

Bill Thomas opened the meeting at 5:30

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Pat affirmed that the meeting notice was properly posted.

Pat read the minutes from the meeting of September 22, 2014. Motion made, seconded and minutes approved.

COMMUNICATIONS: Joe Walesewicz had a notice from Heat Surge about a special deal on table top heaters. We need heat for the bowling alley bar room. After discussion the committee decided to get estimates for baseboard heating.

TREASURERS REPORT : Joe reported that we have \$4,155.03 in the checkbook. All bills and taxes are paid through September. Quickbooks is up and running well.

We were informed that we can't use the Aging Unit's dumpster anymore to get rid of trash. After considering use of the dumpsters at Ricelli Park and Cary Park during the summer months, Joe was told we can use the dumpster at the Catholic Church. We could also use the orange Hurley bags for large amounts of garbage after weddings etc. as there is no extra charge for large amounts. The bags cost \$1.40 each.

ACTIVITIES REPORT Appreciation will be sent to Harma Landscaping for all of the lawn work they have done. A thank you and a \$25.00 gift certificate from Scotti Pecotte will be sent to them. (They have an event coming up.) Bill Thomas was also thanked for providing us with 5 cans of paint for the cannon. Action must be taken on the cannon as the wooden part of the wheels are rotting. Since many children are attracted to that cannon at every wedding, it is necessary to get it repaired. Mr. Pinardi said he would get someone down to look at the situation. Two volunteers worked on it and Dorothy will put an article in the Miner thanking them. Larry Peterson is also putting an article in the paper regarding the history of the cannon.

Zona Wick has offered us five or six old tables the Health Department must replace.

There is a big bowling party on October 23rd for Enbridge Energy. They want a bunch of pizzas ready by 6 PM. We need a pizza oven for such events. Dorothy will call someone at Tombstone Pizza, a company which refurbishes old pizza ovens for resale.

Scotti's fundraiser for the committee is on October 26th. He is serving a chicken dinner with noodles and trimmings. Service from 1 PM till 4 PM. Dorothy will contact the Miner regarding tickets for \$10.00, \$5.00 and free for under 5 years old. The bar will be open. We will need help setting up for the dinner.

HALLOWEEN PARTY Friday, Oct. 31st. 4 to 6 is trick or treating. We will open at 5 PM especially if the weather is nasty. The City will donate \$ for the cost of the food, which Kathy Koski is taking care of---The party for the older children is still dependent upon the status of the football and cross country teams. We will plan to have music from 7 to 10 for all the folks who don't go to the games if there are play-offs.

Dorothy has met with the All-School Reunion committee and they have made all of their plans for holding the reunion at Sharon's Coffee House. Therefore the Memorial Building is free that last weekend in July for the Range Art Association Annual Show.

Bill Gerlock and Joe Rimkus will do some research regarding the acoustics in the hall. Bill is an experienced carpenter. He will do some research and check out the panels done at the Community Church. A further discussion took place regarding the floor but no decisions were made. It is an expensive job and there are many options.

Joe Walesewicz brought us up to date on reservations in 2015. There are :

2 fund raisers: February 7th by the 4th of July Fireworks Committee
February 14 by White Thunder

1 Graduation party on May 23rd

Every Saturday in June and August are booked
2 possible bookings in September.

Our next meeting will be on November 10th at 5:30 upstairs at the Memorial Building.

Motion to adjourn at 6:30.

Respectfully submitted. Pat DiLuna