

VCCT Board Meeting 3/23/16

Meeting called to order at Amy's Office at 7:00pm. Members present: Carrie Johnson, Will Mingus, Debby Katzman, Amy Frank, Susan Young, Doug Kroupa, Sally Sawicki, Carol Weidmann, Kimberly Ekes, Dianne Jenner, & Ken Manning.

Treasurer's Report

February

\$1596.50

Check = \$414

= \$4308.46

CDs \$6221; \$6200

no change in CDs

March

Deposits \$2475

Checks-\$1483.68

Interest-30 cents

CDs unchanged #1-\$6355.58; #2-\$6221.40

Escanaba Recap = +\$1334; -\$1843; Total = (\$509.25)

Total attendance was 140.

Old Business

Women's Club –

The encore performance of “Rough and Ready Teddy” only has 5 online reservations. Unfortunately, a real number is needed for the food and if there are not 25, it must be canceled.

Could we move it to the VIP room?

Fundraiser –

[Discussion] How do we get the salsa? It is in the light booth at this time. Should we have order forms?

No, it would be hard to track which salsa are left. Everyone should take 2 of each and sell them.

Railroad Days Event -

July 9th They ask if a few 'hobos' could come mix and mingle during the celebration. Kimberly and Ken will be the lead hobos – anyone who would like to help out, contact them.

RACE Anniversary Event -

Not much information yet.

Resources -

The sound and lights have been returned and are all fixed. The LEDs worked for “Robin Hood...”.

Doug and Ken looked at everything in the big shed and is alright (no water damage). The little shed will be looked at in nicer weather.

“Joseph...” -

Because of the money going into the show, we need to make it as professional as possible. We will purchase the soundtrack for the performance for \$1500. Dianne will look at the cost from the actual website. Will needs the seat layout quickly to start selling. Susan offered to make buttons to wear as advertising, and possible sell?

Box Office -

Will calls are an issue will sell out shows. We should do away with it all together. [VOTE PASSED]

The call line needs to send a check and then will get the ticket.

As a membership bonus, you can order tickets early.

Should we have a parent rate? Maybe something to be used only one night?

Nominating Committee for new board vote at May meeting will be Sally, Doug, Renee Page and Chris Johnson.

We have the rights to “Exit Laughing”.

Received a thank you from From the Heart.

We have a photo and article in the Masonic Publication.

The caroling group wants to go even bigger with more planning in the Winter.

Ashley's gone from Hickory Grove, and her assistant has taken over. We need the contract signed still now that she's left.

Kyle Arreguin's dad with ALM wants to know why he never was asked or a letter to become member. We need to check the list for mailings.

Fundraiser – Could we get sponsors for the shows?

Membership -

Ticket booth needs 1 or 2 extra people trained on the system. The house manager should ask the ticket people for each night, don't just assume. There should now be a box office board position.

Could we come up with a small reorganization of the board to help it move the group forward.

Doug has done his part for the AT&T deal.

Newsletter -

Anything for it, please email Will. We should do an email and media blast the day tickets go on sale.

The May meeting will be at Spring Lake. Everyone bring something to eat and VCCT will bring the drinks.

Meeting ended at 8:43pm

Next Meeting will be at Amy's Office- April 27.