

Meeting called to order at 7:35 pm.

Members attending: Kim Moyer-Bercaw, Tim Wasser, Donald Bercaw, Tammy Snyder, Barbara Keim, Rich Miller , Donna Miller, Don Snyder

Last meeting's minutes read by Kim. Approved as read by Tammy, 2nd by Barb.

Treasurer's report: Beginning balance - \$4,616.55
Deposit - \$2,042.50
Checks written - \$1,538.14
Ending balance - \$5,121.91

Kim makes a motion, Tim 2nd to accept treasurer's report, pending audit.

Bills:

Reading Eagle - \$250 for Berksfest

Lancaster Farming - \$227.76

Upper Bern Amusement permit - \$25

Liquor Licence - \$90

\$125 – Small Games of chance license

Tim made motion, Kim 2nd to pay bills.

Old business:

Security – KRE (Jared, Hamburg) We still need figures for traffic control

IAFE conference – very educational. We got some good ideas for sponsorship. Harry (PSACF) mentioned that the reimbursement issue shouldn't be happening as soon as they planned.

Dept. of Ag's Reading should be at our opening ceremonies.

Vendors: Still looking for more

Sponsorship: Don and Tammy went out to more businesses for more sponsorship

Advertising – We need to keep working on Facebook posts and event news.

Billboard – Tim will talk to Roadside America again about the sign.
Rich put his sign up. Are we getting one to put up?

All of the stuff is out of Joe/Rob's barn.

Tents – Smith Brothers - \$838 for 30'x 50' – the big yellow one
It doesn't look like the building will be done in time for the fair, which means we will need another LARGE tent for the exhibits.

Premium book - \$1222 for 750 at Gillespie, Kim makes a motion to get 500 copies, Tammy 2nd, but let's check with Miami flyers first.

Coloring contest – Kim will pull it off the web and get permission from the superintendent to disburse to the schools.

Portapotties and hand washing – Nuway can do 7 portapotties and 3 hand washing facilities

EMS and Fire – Donna will contact Central Medical and the Shartlesville Fire Company

Tim and Don met with the Strausstown Fire Company to see about them having a Bingo tent in turn for some volunteers

Chainsaw carver – we're back to getting the wood. Maybe we could get some sponsored.

Horse pulls – Tim will call Chris again to see how that's coming

New business:

Don will look at getting a new seal made.

Photographers – Robin and John Kohler are still going to do the photography.

Judges – Kim will work on judges.

Tim made out some 3 day passes.

Don would like to complete a capitol improvements application for tables and chairs for next year.

We need to get more tables and chairs for exhibits and vendors this year.

Insurance – Rich and Donna are willing to help fill out the 15 page insurance form from Allied Insurance.

Next meeting April 27th, 2017. – We should start having them every 2 weeks.

Motion to adjourn meeting at 9:05 by Tim, 2nd by Kim.