

White Lake Citizens League

Celebrating 55 years of service to White Lake residents

White Lake Citizens League Meeting Minutes 2019

Date: 22MAY19

Officers: Sean Whelan, Bill Maine, Chuck Neville

<u>Directors:</u> Gary Webb(Proxy), Dave Reid, Linda Smallwood (Reid), Scott Trudell, Larry D'Angelo, Walt Koziol, Frank Dyson, Lenny Wojewoda,

<u>Guests:</u> Carol Webb, Joan Cooper, Ken Jankowski, Denise Laflamme, Tom DeSantis, David Fitz, Elizabeth Millington, John Millington, Brett Overall, George Lowe, Manj Lowe, Bob Parrett, Janice D'Angelo

Absent:

Total Directors=11; Quorum =6

AGENDA

- Welcome
- Marine Patrols on White Lake (D. Reid) (O. C. Sheriff Sgt. Brent Jex)
- Financial Report (C. Neville)
- Membership Drive (L. Smallwood)
- \circ 2019 Activities (reports if needed)
 - Memorial Day Pancake Breakfast (D. LaFlamme)
 - Bowling Tournament wrap-up (D. LaFlamme)
 - Home Tour (C. Neville)
 - Fishing Tournament (S. Trudell)
 - Sailboat Races (M. Bartolo)
 - Boat Parade (L. Wojewoda)
 - Independence Day Fireworks (S. Whelan)
- Business Support Drive (L Wojewoda)
- Merchandise Sales (A' Dyling)
- o <u>Annual Elections</u>

Notes:

- 1) Welcome
- 2) Marine Patrols on White Lake (D. Reid) (O. C. Sheriff Sgt. Brent Jex)
 - a. New boat this year expected to splash tomorrow
 - b. There is a log book of all warnings by the Sheriff during the year
 - c. Lots of complaints about wakeboats at all lake.
 - i The same rules apply to wakeboats as applies to all boats
 - ii The driver is responsible for damages caused by the boats wake
 - d. Top concern about enforcing the counter clockwise navigation
 - e. Q& A Session from the audience.

- 3) Meeting Minutes.
 - a. Approved as written. Motion by Scott, seconded by Larry. Unanimously passed.
- 4) Financial Report (C. Neville)
 - a. Receipts this month totaled \$8,786.31
 - b. Expenses this month totaled \$1,183.55
 - c. Year to date Receipts total \$12,085.90
 - d. Year to date Expenses total \$4,315.26
 - e. Last week there was a review of the 2018 WLCL financials with Treasurer Chuck and Joan, Dave, & John.
 - i Merchandise wasn't clear regarding exactly how much inventory is left over unsold.
 - 1 Would require a final count of unsold product. Sean & Chuck will count final inventory. (see 14 below)
 - 2 Need to improve financial tracking of this program for 2019.
 - f. Unanimously approved as presented. Moved by Walt, seconded by David.
- 5) Membership Drive (L. Smallwood)
 - a. Goal for 2019 is to be at 400. Last years was 369.
 - b. Have 149 as of today. This is a great head start.
 - c. Pancake breakfast we usually get 50-60 more members
 - d. Plus 112 member donations
 - e. Still seeking block captains around the lake.
- 6) Memorial Day Pancake Breakfast (D. LaFlamme)
 - a. Chris Cakes will show up at 7:30am
 - b. Doors open at 8:30am
 - c. Clean up volunteers will be sequestered around 11:20/11:30 to clean up before noon when WLI opens to the public.
 - d. 583 paid last year
- 7) Bowling Tournament wrap-up (D. LaFlamme)
 - a. Great event enjoyed by all whom attended. Profit was about \$900
 - b. Next year we will sell tickets in advance.
 - c. Next year will be earlier in the season while the weather is still cold.
- 8) Home Tour (C. Neville)
 - a. Date remains Saturday July 20 2019
 - b. Zero houses committed so far.
- 9) Fishing Tournament (S. Trudell)
 - a. Sat June 8
 - b. Scott will be absent but has a volunteer to run it
 - c. More trophies this year & gift certificates for kids
 - d. Discussion and recommendation to make the rule be "minimum one WLCL member required per boat"
- 10) Sailboat Races (M. Bartolo)
 - a. Will begin next week

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- b. Hope the water warms up
- c. See M Bartolo if you want to sail but don't have a means to sail
- 11) Boat Parade (L. Wojewoda)
 - a. Lenny ordered Merchandise for 2019
 - b. Theme is "Wakestock"
- 12) Independence Day Fireworks (S. Whelan)
 - i Permit paid and approved for the 2019 show.
 - ii Jason has requested that we pay the 2019 payment (\$13,125) & 2020 deposit (\$4125) in advance. No plans for early payment ahead of the contract dates approved.
 - iii 2020 Date hold (\$1,500) and 2021 date hold (\$1,500) paid last year
 - iv Sean to ask to Jason to attend the 2019 show
 - v Contracted through GenX through 2021
 - vi Sean still needs to get a certificate of insurance for Seven Harbors.
 - vii Show date is 6/29/19 (rain delay 6/30)
 - viii \$18,750 show in 2019
 - ix Permit fee paid and filed with Highland Twp.
- 13) Business Support Drive (L Wojewoda)
 - a. No update
- 14) Merchandise Sales (A' Dyling)
 - a. Lenny is taking over 2019 Merchandise sales and has ordered Wakestock logo'd materials
 - b. **2018 Inventory count after meeting was** 95 pieces remaining with a value of \$2,460 at full sales value. This corresponds to the recorded sales of \$5131 and represents a modest profit.
- 15) Weed Control
 - a. Hybrid Milfoil problem this year. Can't use SONAR this year.
 - b. Treatments will be expensive via Procelocore
 - i There is a 3 year guarantee
 - ii Frank will try to get into the next special assessment to effectively treat the milfoil
 - iii The SAD is 2019-2021 and does not cover major new expenses like Procelocore
 - 1 Chuck and Frank will work on a plan to see whether or not we can afford a treatment soon.

16) New Business

- a. Chill at the Mill new playscape area between Highland post office and library
 - 1 Saturday June 1 10am-2pm

17) Annual Elections

- a. 6 Director positions voted in
 - a Lenny Wojewoda
 - b Dave Reid
 - c Walt Koziol
 - d Gary Webb
 - e Scott Trudell
 - f Denise Laflamme (NEW!)

- b. <u>President Bill Maine</u>
- c. <u>Vice-president- Sean Whelan</u>
- d. <u>Treasurer Chuck Neville</u>
- e. <u>Secretary-Open</u>
- 18) Adjourn
- a. Motion by Gary (proxy) seconded by David. Unanimously passed.

Sean Whelan- WLCL Secretary