WLCL Board & General Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, June 23, 2021 at 7:00 PM

Officers: Joe Tibus, Chuck Neville, Larry D'Angelo,

Directors: Dave Reid, Linda Smallwood (Reid), Joan Cooper,

Karen Pinagel, Larry Bruins, Paul Richards,

Absent: Denise Laflamme, Bill Maine, Walt Koziol, Scott Trudell, Stephanie Kammer, Frank Dyson

<u>Guests:</u> Robert Parrett, Wendy Tibus, Anthony Young, Kim Siegfried, Rob Cossin, Mike DelProposto Total Directors=15; Quorum=8

AGENDA:

- 1) Welcome
- 2) Review/approve May 2021 Meeting minutes
- 3) Financial Report
- 4) Membership Report
- 5) Pancake Breakfast
- 6) Merchandise Plan
- 7) Fishing Tournament
- 8) Weed Control
- 9) Fireworks
- 10) Boat Parade
- 11) Sail Boat Races
- 12) Home Tour
- 13) New Business
- 14) Adjourn

NOTES:

- 1. Start at 7:04 PM Welcome
- 2. Motion to accept minutes by Paul Richards, second by Joan Cooper. Motion passed unanimously
- 3. Financial Report (C. Neville)
 - a. June receipts totaled \$21,731; \$12,825 for memberships and donations, \$1,885 for Pancake Breakfast ticket sales and \$930 for drawing, \$5,670 for merchandise sales, \$421 for reimbursement of postage for newsletter mailing.
 - b. Spend was \$20,941 \$9,662.50 for fireworks show, \$6,151.12 for merchandise, \$2,946 for pancake breakfast food & decorations, \$1,579 for liability insurance premiums, \$180 for credit card fees, \$132 for PO Box rental and \$290 for fishing tournament
 - c. Cash Balance is \$51,897 up \$790 from the previous report
 - d. Jan-June 2021 receipts totaled \$37,462 vs \$22,734 last year for the same period. Memberships are 11% better donations are running 23% better than last year. The balance of the increase is pancake breakfast ticket sales and merchandise sales
 - e. Spend was \$24,453 vs \$13,986 last year. The increase is due to \$800 increase in fireworks costs\$6,151 spent for merchandise, \$3,146 spent for pancake breakfast.
 - f. Pancake breakfast netted \$754 + \$930 from drawing, Merchandise sales have already offset all but \$480 of the costs, year to date memberships & donations are only \$1,841 less than 2020 total year.
 - g. Motion to accept report by Joe Tibus second by Linda Smallwood, report unanimously approved.



- 4. Membership Drive Report (L. Smallwood)
 - a. 359 paid members (including 49 new members) which exceeds last year at this time. 259 of the members have made donations beyond the \$25 membership. We have 18 business members. Memberships and donations total is \$26,470 so far.
 - b. There are 115 members who paid last year that have not joined this year, so far.
 - c. A list of the 115 was requested by Joe Tibus.
 - d. Have ordered an additional 50 membership flags (minimum quantity)
- 5. Pancake Breakfast (C Neville on behalf of D. LaFlamme)
 - a. 376 people served, day went very smoothly, on-line presale of tickets was very helpful
 - b. Had several lake residents help with setup, serving food and check in desk
 - c. Eggs were a good addition, would want to continue that in the future
 - d. 41 families paid dues & donations and received nearly \$2,000 in business donations
 - e. Drawing for a metal sculpture of White Lake raised \$930 thanks to Cristi Harrington & Amy Trom sales ability.
- 6. Merchandise plan (C Neville on behalf of E. Millington)
 - a. Apparel preorder received Friday 6/18/21
 - b. People love the apparel, sold over \$3,500 at WLI on Sunday
 - c. On-line sales were \$2,545 through 6/21/21
 - d. Board discussed balancing filling on-line orders vs maintaining inventory to sell July 3rd and asked on-line orders be filled from inventory to avoid dissatisfaction with on-line ordering
- 7. Fishing Tournament on June 12th (S. Trudell Written Report)
 - a. 11 boats participated, 35-40 participants, 2 new members joined WLCL, many more under 13 participants than previously
 - b. 1st place Don, Brandon & Christian Brown, 2nd place Courtney Tryc, 3rd place Larry Sokolowski, Joe Van Wormer & Scott Trudell
 - c. Under 13 1st place Logan Brown, 2nd place Christian Brown
 - d. Spent \$290 for trophies, coffee & donuts & bait for kids
- 8. Weed Control status (C Neville on behalf of F Dyson)
 - a. Second treatment was made June 17th for milfoil, curly leaf pond weed and water lilies at cost of nearly \$19,000
 - b. Rain has been helpful with algae
- 9. Fireworks (K. Pinagel)
 - a. Certificate of Insurance provided to Seven Harbors
 - b. All items are complete for Highland Township permit
 - c. Will meet Jason of Gen X Pyrotechnics when barges are being loaded to see process and provide payment
 - d. Bid package nearly complete for shows for 2022 & beyond.
- 10. Boat Parade (L Bruins)
 - a. Theme will be Red, White and Blue
 - b. Requested a budget of \$500 for cash prizes due to late start to find sponsors
 - c. Mike & Eileen Kowall are on board for judges' boat (Chuck Neville)
 - d. Need boat to lead parade
 - e. Need boat numbers (1-15) and text number sign for boats for voting
 - f. Will send out email re boat parade theme, start time of 3pm at Mitchells, how to vote by text, and cash prizes for 1^{st} 3^{rd} place.

- 11. Sailboat Races (D. Reid)
 - a. 3 races held so far
 - b. Participation has been good
- 12. Home Tour Saturday July 24th July 25th Rain Date (W. Tibus)
 - a. 5 homes are committed, 7 of 10 pontoons are committed
 - b. Have pontoons for Friday VIP night to be hosted by Joe & Wendy Tibus
 - c. Will be sending email with pictures of homes on tour and when tickets will go on sale. Will ask groups to buy their tickets as a block. Need to remind people of rain date.
 - d. Tickets to be sold on-line, first come, first serve after merchandise orders have ended
 - e. Need to confirm home tour with WLI for dock usage & possible discount to home tour participants
 - f. Need to purchase snacks & beverages for guests. Have shoe covers & flags to mark docks
 - g. Bob Parrett and Anthony Young volunteered to host groups on their pontoons if needed.
- 13. New Business Request about marine sheriff interactions on the lake. David Reid to follow up with Marine Division Sergeant to see if we can get weekly reports. Also, to ask about drop-in patrols for lake to keep boaters guessing about when lake will be patrolled.
- 14. Adjournment
 - a. Joe Tibus moved to adjourn, Second by Chuck Neville. Motion unanimously approved. Adjourned at 8:45 PM.