



Hollis Old Home Days 2017
Hollis Social Library 7:00 pm
1 May 2017

Voting Members Attendees: Holly Babcock; Laurie Miller; Judy Mahoney; Barbara Kowalski; Anne Marie Tucciarone-Mahan

Voting Members Absent: None

Event Volunteer Attendees: Nate Michaels; Honi Glover; Anna Birch; Thelma Pollard; Donna Duffy; Sarah Sepetys;

The Old Home Days was called to order by Holly Babcock at 7:00 PM.

Approval of Minutes: Anne Marie moved to accept the minutes of 4/3/17. Barbara K seconded. Vote was 5-0. The meeting minutes will be posted on the Hollis Town website.

Chair Update: Holly discussed with the committee the need to add two more voting positions. She ask Nate Michaels to be the voting co-chair and Donna Duffy to be voting member for entertainment. Ann Marie made the motion to adopt two more voting members and Barbara K seconded. Vote was 5-0. Donna and Nate accepted and will go through the process dictated by the Town Selectmen.

Holly briefed that she had most of our contracts and/or agreements signed for. She will be contacting the lighting company. The committee agreed to stay with D & L Amusement Company. Holly mentioned that they hope to bring more rides this year.

Treasurer: Laurie presented the profit and Loss numbers for 2016.

OHD Exhibitors: Judy had sent the draft exhibitors application out to members to review before meeting. Application was discussed and minor changes were made. Judy will update the application, send out for electronic vote and have posted on the website. Judy will notify committee members when application is ready. She will also send out an email to previous participants. Judy will reach out to "Touched For Fire" to see if they will be applying come back as our pizza vendor. If not, Nate volunteered to help and look for other vendors.

Website: Judy mentioned she has been working with Iris. The website has been updated as much as possible. The site will be continually updated as input is received from the different positions.

Heritage Demonstrations: Barbara and Anne Marie are working Demonstrators. So far they have lined up the Cooper, the Potter and Blacksmith. They are talking to the owners of the petting zoo and the granite state disc dogs. Both can come back at the same price. They will confirm the Happy Hookers.

Sponsorship: Laurie will be working the sponsorship donations.

Silent Auction/Artisan Market: Anna and KC Morgan will be in charge of the Silent Auction and Artisan Market. Some discussion on the new configuration of the Lawrence barn that they will need to think about where and if they will be able to have a children's play area. Anna mentioned that she could use help in collecting donations for the Silent Auction.

Entertainment: Donna is working to line up entertainers. The town band and Johnny "O" are available. She will be working to contract for the "sound systems" Everyone was pleased with the sound system last year.

Over 90's: Thelma will work to ensure all the over 90's in town know they can have a free chicken dinner.

Balloon Rides: As in the past, Honi will coordinate the balloon rides with Re/Max.

Publicity: The committee discussed the pros and cons to the OHD postcard. Laurie mentioned that last year's supplier was not in business any longer. New supplier and cost will need to research. Nate and Sarah will work the issue. No vote was taken at this meeting to continue the postcard.

Motion to adjourn was made by Anna Marie, Barbara K seconded. Meeting was adjourned at 8:29. Next meeting is scheduled for 5 June at the Hollis Social Library.

Respectfully submitted,

Judy Mahoney, OHD Secretary

