Hollis Old Home Days
Wild Salamander 6:30 pm
26 August 2019

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

Voting Members Absent: None

Event Volunteer Attendees: Honi Glover; Donna Cormier; Jan Schwartz; Tara Happy; Anna Birch

Guest: Todd Croteau

Selectmen’s Representative Absent: Frank Cadwell

The Old Home Days was called to order by Holly at 6:33.

Welcome

Secretary
Anne Marie moved to accept the minutes of 5 August 2019 and Judy seconded the motion. Vote to accept was unanimous. The approved meeting minutes will be posted on the Hollis Town website.

Chair Status Update

Holly will be doing a final check on contract services. Nate and Holly have been working town permits for the event and parade.
Holly will follow up with the ATM company on final details.
Parking and Shuttle bus all set.
Todd Croteau discussed with Holly and the committee on our DPW requirements.
Holly asked about possible electrical upgrades for next year. Todd mentioned that the Recreation Department is also requesting upgrades and that we should work with them.

Treasurer: Barbara presented a draft income statement for review.
Subcommittee Reports:

OHD Exhibitors
- The committee reviewed six new vendor applications. Cindy made a motion to accept 5 of the new applications and Anne Marie seconded. Vote was unanimous to accept. The vote to reject the remaining application was 2 to accept and 5 to reject. Judy will notify all applicants.
- To date we have 82 booths applied for.

Website
- All set. Deleted reference to Cow Patty Bingo and the Apple pie contest.

Heritage Demonstrations
- Anne Marie has Sofia’s Traveling Zoo, Cooper, Blacksmith, Baskets by Alice Ogden, Carriage Shack Farm, Hollis Happy Hookers, Hollis Area Equestrians and Renaissance Farm Vaulting Club signed up as demonstrators.

Sponsorship – Completed! Another very successful year.

Artisan Market – All set. Full House.

Silent Auction – Donations coming in. Anna would like to purchase post cards to send out thank you notes to donors.

Entertainment – All set.

Publicity Victoria provided publicity input.
- The press release was submitted to the papers.
- The ads were submitted to the papers.
- I’ll submit the schedule to the papers tomorrow. If there have been any updates made to the schedule, I’ll need the new one sent to me by noon tomorrow.
- The postcard is on press. I’ll drop it off at the post office on September 4. That same day, I’ll drop off about 100 postcards at Wild Salamander.

Planning & Logistics:
- Holly, Laurie and Judy will lay out the field on the paper map. Meeting at Judy’s on 9 September at 9:00.

Parade – Application coming in slow so far. Jan will post some notices on Facebook looking for cars, tractors, marking groups, etc. Nate is still working the permit.

Balloon Rides – Tethered rides will be Saturday night only. Weather permitting may have rides Saturday morning.

OHD Booth- Need signup sheet for next meeting. Judy will prepare for next meeting. Tara will decorate the booth.
Volunteer Coordinator – Donna has volunteers to help set up and clean up. Boy scouts will raise the flag. School groups will be helping out this year.

Dance – All set.

Motion to adjourn was made by Anne Marie and seconded by Judy. Meeting was adjourned at 7:40. The next meeting is scheduled for 9 September 2019 at the Wild Salamander 6:30.

Respectfully submitted,

Judy Mahoney
OHD Secretary