

WINNSBORO AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

MONTHLY BOARD MEETING

AUG 11, 2022

MINUTES

- Meeting called to order at 1:13 pm by President Johnny Wetzel
- Prayer by Mack Jordan
- In attendance
  - Kristie Amason, Johnny Wetzel, Jr., Sharron Wetzel, Judy Peacock, David Peacock, Paula Rogers, Francell Burnett, Mack Jordan, Guest Casey Buck with Oaklea Mansion & Mr. Ramos with Average Joe. Both were extended the invitation to speak or join us as a director.
  
- OLD BUSINESS
  - Minutes for July 13 & 20<sup>th</sup> 2022 meetings presented. Paula Rogers approved; Mack Jordan seconded. All approved.
  - Financial Report passed out. Mack Jordan approved; Paula Rogers seconded. All approved.
  - Car show updates: HAWKS VIPs have agreed to help from 7am -2pm on Saturday. Paula to order trophies and t-shirts. Johnny will be going to TX Co Ford to ask for a donation and to Foxworth to inspect a raffle item for storage until time or event. Hope Family Church has offered to donate use of bounce house. As a group we agreed to set it upon Franklin St. Average Joe will give a certificate for a car detail. Wetzel's Heat and Air \$250. Clements \$100. Paula Rogers \$100. We agreed to thank our sponsors on the marquee for that weekend. We will have a 50/50 raffle and the square game. Average Joe will set up to sell drinks and magnets. We will be able to take cred card payments on site now.
  - All finalized with the file for the State of Texas
  - Main Street Meeting in August was cancelled.
  - Kristie to update the Community Chronicle each month to change our ad.
  
- NEW BUSINESS
  - Gun Show – Sept 23-25. Kristie to book the civic center at \$275 a day. Check with the city if this will be our time to have that fee waived. Johnny and Paula to attend the City Council meeting Sept 13<sup>th</sup> to discuss/ask for this if the won't for Kristie. HAWKS will provide security – Chamber will give a \$250 donation to their scholarship fund. Will charge \$40 a table for vendors. \$5 Military entry fee; \$7 regular entrance. Set up on Friday. Show from 9-5 on Sat; 9-2 on sun. Serve free coffee & donuts for vendors only. Lunch will be offered for a fee – Stew on Saturday – (Francell – ground beef; Johnny – beef, chicken); Pizza on Sunday (Paula to pick up at 11)
  - Discussed the pros and cons of an ambassador's club. We decided at this time to not have one.
  - Millennium Shopper contacted Kristie and she presented it to us if we would like to advertise for the gun & car show for a \$450 fee. We voted nay.
  - We voted all ayes to have Kristie do a Facebook boost on the gun and car show for up to \$100 each.
  - Gave Kristie the go ahead to announce in the newspaper for two weeks in advance of the road closure for the car show.

- Kristie to speak with Brenda Buck with the Main Street Program to determine if we or them are going to spearhead the downtown Truck or Treat.
- Dawn Petty called asking if the Senior Center could have an open house on Sept 15. Determined if they join the chamber and if they will be doing it as a Non-Profit for \$25 and we could do it.

- ADJOURNED MEETING 2:45 PM

Respectfully submitted:

Sharron Wetzel, Secretary

Johnny Wetzel, Jr  
President 2022

Judy Peacock  
VP 2022

Paula Rogers  
Treasurer 2022