

Mattawan Business Association
Lunch Meeting at Tavern 12:00pm
January 9, 2019

Call to order 12:00

Attendance: Angie Eubank, Linda Fruin, Joe Torre, Jenny Huyck, Kathy Diederickson, Amelia Lietzau

Approval of the Agenda: Motion Joe, Support Linda, motion carries.

Approval of the minutes from December 2018: Motion Linda, Support Joe, motion carries

Treasurers Report: The fall dinner profited \$437.24. Total net loss for the year \$651.66. Discussed PayPal fees for memberships and fall dinner. Motion Jenny, Support Amelia, motion carries.

New Business:

- Rugs-Brzustowicz Grooming in early February Other new businesses to contact: New groomer behind Mattawan Pet Supplies (Jenny will contact), Urban Basement, New Chiropractor in McGillen's Crossing. Keiser insurance, W&W, Tri-Mation.
- New memberships for 2019: 11 paid so far.
- Website update with new members: update cost online/new members/updates to Jason ASAP
- Involvement with CRL (formerly MPI research). Amelia contacted them and is waiting for a reply.

Save the Dates

- Easter Egg Hunt: April 13th: Meeting scheduled with Carol from Lion's Club for January 18th at 8am. Motion by Amelia for \$50 towards a Flashes ad and \$20 for a Facebook ad. Support Joe, motion carries. We will be asking local businesses to donate stuffed plastic eggs (suggesting 50 eggs) since we don't have many empty eggs left to stuff this year. Linda will look into donating bags. Amelia will check with Kiddie U about donating use of bounce house. Jenny will bring the photo booth.
- Pumpkin Trail: October 12th
- Tailgate: Early Fall TBD
- Fall Appreciation Dinner: November 7th
- Santa in the Park: TBD
- Art Hop? Joe will reach out for details before we decide on involvement. Possible dates April 26 or May 10

Meeting Time/Day: We will aim for the 2nd Wednesday of the month at noon.

Current Events Report and Responsibilities

- Easter Egg Hunt and Carnival-see above
- BY LAW COMMITTEE/MEETING-Jan 15th at Linda Fruin's home 7pm
- Santa in the Park-see above
- Coffee Groups/Business Networking
- Tailgate Expo/Homecoming Event
- Pumpkin Trail
- Fall Appreciation Dinner-discussed inviting Paw Paw Chamber of Commerce

- Home Owner Welcome-bags need to be updated and a bag committee needs to be formed.

Feedback and Ideas and Value to Members: MBA card “Thanks for doing business with us” to offer discounts from other members to our customers, Kathy will work on this idea.

NEXT MEETING: February 13th at noon at Tavern on McGillen

Adjournment: 12:53 Motion Joe, Support Linda, motion carries.