

**Shamrock Club Agenda
September 20, 2017 @ Shenanigans**

Attending: Eric, Liz O, Jess B, Mark B, Linda P, Lisa, Pat & Tracy M, Kyle, Linda B, Tom N, Jim and Deb K, Kathleen R, Kris, John H, Jim & Sue C, Pat & Char B, Kelly S, Ron, Barrie & Mary M, Vicky H, Bill O, Collin S, Grace, Dennis.

August Minutes: Question was raised regarding amount raised from logger game of \$1200, John did not have amounts with him, will update in next meeting. Kathleen moved to approved, Mark second. All in favor. Carried.

Treasurer's Report: Liz reports amount in Irish garden checking \$500.08. \$15938.00 in checking account. John moved to approve, Mark second. All in favor, carried.

Membership Report: Linda reports 2 new members from Coulee celtic cup challenge, 179 total members. Membership renewal is needed in September.

2017 Calendar Update: Board meeting on 8/31 approved calendar to be put on website, Tom has put this on the website. Will be emailed out to group. There is a link on the webpage for the Irish calendar, Pat will add the link to the emails that are sent and members can access, Barrie will be sending the calendar out with the blarney to the members that do not have emails.

Steppin out in Pink September 9th Linda reports a very successful walk, made a total of \$2308 so far with still some money coming in from the Shamrockers. 11 people signed up to walk.

JD Golf Memorial update/COULEE CELTIC CUP CHALLENGE September 10th. John gave update- JD's brother and sister were able to attend, went smoothly, band Patina played, Silent auction alone raised \$1000, total of 32 golfers. Still have some outstanding bills and money coming in however total was just over \$10000. After bills and amount to Liz, plan to pay shamrock club \$100, rest be for seed money for next year. Winning team was Pat Stevens will present trophy at Irishfest meeting. Check presented to Liz of \$8000. John moved to approve, Tom second. All in favor, carried.

Applefest Parade: Char gave update. Attended President's reception and coronation. Applefest very welcoming and excited to have Shamrock club attending. Parade went well with the trailer. Went through 40 lbs of candy.

Oktoberfest Parades Torchlight and Maple Leaf status and update, Pat B gave update- will be using same trailer for torch light as in past. Pat has 24 feet green LED to add to lights from last year. Rod will be pulling. Bantry will carry banner and walk with Shamrock club. Tom Nolan has the 2nd battery, Pat B will pick up. Pam has been coordinating for both parades. Line up numbers given to Pam, Pat will send out. Will have 2 trailers for Maple Leaf: the pre decorated float and the 2nd trailer will use the 16 ft trailer with hay bales from Applefest parade. Band is set for the parade. Line up is 8am for maple leaf, Pat will send out the times and #s for line up for torch light and maple leaf. Kelly can be clancey for torch leaf but not maple leaf.

Rotary Lights Sharon coordinates no current updates. Sharon will sign up at their October meeting and will give a contact person as Sharon will not be in town during that time. Mark can pull float, need trailer, need contact person for arrangements Pat will get all information out regarding time etc.

Irish Gardens: update: Liz unable to follow up yet. Discussion Bill states he went through and states it looks like someone has done work on this, bricks have been raised up, some dirt in letter that may need to be brushed off however Barrie and Mary state looks the same, Liz will follow up.

Promotions Committee:

Kelly states no new meeting, pub jig is the next thing coming and will have more to come.

Sponsoring a student that is taking Irish dance: Follow up and status, Pam not present, check to Amanda's has not been presented to dancer yet however they may either change who this is given to or split being a dancer that just had a tragedy.

Old / New Business

Fall Picnic update from Barrie and Mary: Oct 14 starting around 2pm until ?? hoping to have fire going, they will provide chili, corn bread and brats, people to bring side dishes or desserts or any dish to pass, bring your own refreshments, will have some door prizes not raising money addresses and direction will be sent out

St Patrick's day dinner March 10 tentative date, nothing confirmed yet. Kathleen unable to coordinate however can assist. John and Kelly stated they will help organize, no location picked.

Polka party Oct 1: Tracy working with Oktoberfest, Northside grounds, don't need button and it is free. 1230-1 polka lesson then will go until 330 with live band, beverages and food for purchase. For all ages, don't need a partner, will be a contest with awesome trophy.

Oktoberfest needs help selling bev tickets at northside grounds they would give \$500 if fill schedule . 19 slots all weekend, and 8-10 people friday night serving german dinner 5-7,\$200 for Friday. Ron also has 4-5 openings at southside for youth group at church they get \$750 for that, bantry has committed to selling buttons each day. Group decided not able to commit as a group, however if anyone wants to sign up to contact Kate at Oktoberfest office to sign up, Pat will send out information.

Christmas party- Sue will still organize, Freighthouse reservation made, date Wed Dec 6 at 530 cocktails, 630 dinner, more information to come.

Adjourn: John moved to adjourn, Mark second. All in favor. Carried.