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Carlisle Hometown Pride

Committee Meeting

August 22 at 5:30pm

Carlisle City Hall

195 N. 1st Street Carlisle, IA 50047

Attendance: Lorin Ditzler, Tony Rhinehart, Ronda Frost, Joe Jenkins, Lyn Jenkins, Amanda Peacock, Emily Nordyke, Logan Nolan, JeanAnne Kompsie, Paige Moorman, Amanda Rhinehart, Jeremy Olander, Lisa Olander, Gabby Breheny, Rebecca Carver, Brady Jackson, Morgan Stone

Absent: Jenny Sinclair, Steve Hammer, Amy Hammer, Matt Kompsie

Minutes

Motion by Joe Jenkins to approve the July 23 minutes. Motion seconded by Jeremy Olander and carries.

Nonprofit Status

T Rhinehart informed the committee that nonprofit status had officially been approved and an EIN provided. L Nolan informed members that bylaws need to be created before opening an account. Decisions that will need to be decided amongst officers include which officers will be named on the account and who will be allowed to sign checks.

Budget

Motion by Joe Jenkins to reimburse T Rhinehart for upfront costs of block party. Motion seconded by Paige Moorman and carries. E Nordyke will calculate block party profit after all expenses and inform members of this amount before the next meeting. Committee discussed the amount needed to be allocated to savings.

Playground

R Frost met with a National Playgrounds representative to discuss playground options. Members discussed how much of the current budget should be allocated for the playground. Members shared concern that a specific playground design had not yet been chosen. L Ditzler suggested the playground subcommittee meet before the next meeting. J Kompsie suggested that the subcommittee should create several phases of varying costs for the playground project and chose both a specific design and a monetary goal for each phase. R Frost volunteered to create a poll for members to vote on what percentage of block party profits to allocate to the playground. Committee agreed to begin the installation of the saucer swing.

Self Awareness Class

Committee will be hosting a self awareness class by Clay Garcia on Sept 12 at 6:30. The school has donated the use of the auditorium for the event. Other donations include \$50 from Great Western, \$50 from National Playground, and \$100 from the Teachers Association. P Moorman and E Nordyke volunteered to create a flyer. R Frost volunteered to distribute the flier to the school district to be entered into the Wildcat Weekly. G

Breheeny volunteered to inform local churches of the event. B Jackson suggested and volunteered to contact realtors to both request donations and invite to the event.

Fall Cleanup Day

The committee will be removing litter/weeds and repainting posts in North Park on September 16 12-3pm. T Rhinehart volunteered to purchase and gather supplies for this event.

Concessions

The committee will work the concession stand on Aug 31 4-8:30 for \$400 profit. A Rhinehart agreed to send a sign up email to new members and volunteers. Members were encouraged to find other volunteers. B Jackson suggested a tip jar for playground donations including signage of the concept.

Fun Run

Friends of the Park will be hosting a 5k at 9am on October 6. Lyn and Joe Jenkins mentioned that Friends of the Park may donate a percentage of the profits to the playground project. Members were allowed to sign up to volunteer to assist with the event.

Misc

Motion by Paige Moorman to reopen shirt fundraiser. Motion seconded and carries.

L Ditzler informed committee that Warren County Hometown Pride had offered to donate 2 signs. Committee agreed to accept the signs.

R Frost reminded members that the Methodist Church has a yard cleanup day in October.

Motion by Ronda Frost to adjourn the meeting. Motion seconded and carried.

Next meeting: September 26 at 5:30pm at city hall