

Official Minutes of the Chaffee Chamber of Commerce  
May 9th, 2007

President, Pete Dooley, called meeting to order at 6:00 PM at the State Farm office who sponsored the dinner. Thanks! Minutes were accepted as read with a motion by H.B. Rice (with a minor correction). Members introduced themselves.

Treasurer's report was given by Linda Yarbrow. Starting Balance was \$3057.48. There were deposits of \$310.00 for 1 \$35.00 membership and 275.00 for Tywappity Trail sponsorships. Checks were written to Rice, Speth, Summers for the Industrial Relationships Fee for \$45.00, Whitakers for gloves for tree planting \$4.98 and One Stop for the Scholarship Meeting \$14.93. Ending balance is \$3302.57. H.B. Rice made a motion to accept the treasurer's report, seconded and motion passed. We have a CD for \$11,558.31 that matured on May 8<sup>th</sup> at First Commercial bank.

Centennial Fund report: No report but last report was \$7155.78 in the checking account. \$9458.31 in the 1 yr CD.

Secretary's report: The following were attendance: Pete Dooley, President, Brandon Pylate, Vice President, Linda Yarbrow, Treasurer, Alan Pendergrass, Secretary, Rhonda Wessel, H.B. Rice, Leslie Horman, Andrea Dirnberger, Retta Mohorc, Scott Horman, Jason Fraiser, and Chris Carlton who just opened a Chiropractic office in Scott City.

Old Business:

Ribbon Cuttings: Pete Dooley will check with Tranquil Waters, Larry's. Salvation Army still not open. Raquel Kinder opening a tanning salon, Tammy's Salon and Retta Mohorc will check with them. Mary Ayers opening tanning salon and Pete Dooley will check with them.

NEW BUSINESS:

Twappity Trails: Set for June 2<sup>nd</sup>. HB Rice passed out the sign up forms. There are 3 levels of sponsorship, \$75, \$125 and \$250. Please contact HB Rice at 573-887-3555 if you would like to help sponsor this event. This event is our biggest fundraiser and is used to pay the scholarship. We need help at be at the pavilion at 8:00am. Linda Yarbrow and Rhonda Wessel will help with registration. Alan Pendergrass will help pass out shirts. Ron Senciboy helps with parking. Neil Glass will help with the bus. H.B. Rice will order new shirts and hopefully we'll have a new color. We normally would have a meeting before to help clean out the pavilion but H.B. Rice will contact a few to help clean. Next meeting will be the NORMAL 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday but still be at the Tywappity Lake Pavilion. Scott Horman will mark course in the morning to make sure that nothing is knocked down overnight. Cape Roadrunners will also help.

Chamber CD: Linda Yarbrow made a motion to put the maturing \$11,558.31 into a 1 Year CD with State Farm Bank. The motion was seconded and passed.

Rhonda Wessel made a motion to pay \$567.00 to the Missouri Rural Service (handled by H.B. Rice) for our Insurance and Commercial Package which includes our property and other liability insurance. Motion was seconded and passed.

Scholarship: Scholarship committee met and selected the 2007 recipient, Mallory Estes. Scholarship winner will help present medals at Tywappity Trails.

Business of the Year: Alan Pendergrass asked about restarting the tradition of awarding a Business of the Year. There was discussion as to how it was done in the past which included dressing up and having a dinner and also to present at an event like German Days. Idea tabled.

City Wide Yard Sale: Retta Mohorc suggested that the Chamber sponsor a City Wide Yard Sale. This could be a fundraiser as we could charge an amount to people to list their address as well as corporate ads. Might do together with a City Wide Clean up. The City will be having two City Wide Clean Ups through the year. Alan Pendergrass said he would check with the Scott City Chamber and see when they we planning on doing their Sale. Also the 100 mile Yard Sale is over Memorial Day weekend.

German Days: German Days will be August 3-4 (we think).

Pamphlet at City Hall: The pamphlet that was designed earlier to let newcomers know about different services and churches and so on is now out and the City asked if we would want to redesign the pamphlet. It was thought that Kevin Teegardan might have designed this the last time. Alan Pendergrass will check with Kevin and see if we can update it and produce more.

Tax Bureau/Missouri Tax Id form: Needs to be filled out and returned by 9/08.

Rosemary Latham: She has had a very bad car accident and is still recuperating. The Chamber sent flowers and we all have her in our prayers.

Next meeting on June 13 at a NEW TIME 5:30 PM at Tywappity Lake Pavilion.

Motion was made to adjourn was made by H.B. Rice and seconded. Motion passed.