



# Village of Fox River Grove

## **SPECIAL EVENTS COMMITTEE MEETING THURSDAY, AUGUST 13, 2015 7:00 PM**

### **I. CALL TO ORDER**

Committee Secretary Regina Petersdorff called the meeting to order at 7:02pm.

### **II. ROLL CALL**

Members present: Matt Figas, Michele Holt, Paulette Nichols, Regina Petersdorff, Karen Sersen, Ken Wagner, Kirsten Wall

Also present: Jennifer Menz, Angrew Migdal

### **III. MOTION TO APPROVE MINUTES**

A motion was made by Regina Petersdorff to approve and open to the public the minutes from the Special Events Committee meeting on July 9, 2015. A roll call vote was taken. Voting aye - Matt Figas, Michele Holt, Paulette Nichols, Karen Sersen, Ken Wagner, Kirsten Wall. Voting nay - None. Motion approved.

### **IV. PUBLIC**

No Public present.

### **V. FIREWORKS 2015 RECAP**

- A. RTR t-shirts sold: 8 at \$5 each for a total of \$40. Have several dozen leftover (blue).
- B. Next year's RTR t-shirts? Put sponsors only on volunteer t-shirts. For sale t-shirts should be a neutral color and have only village logo on front and RTR logo with band names on back.
- C. Next year's event? Committee should be more involved in the planning. Work on how to get people there earlier to enjoy more than just the fireworks. Help out more at event itself.

### **VI. FRG LIVING FOR THE WEEKEND FACEBOOK PAGE**

- A. Is there a link to Facebook page on Village website? If not, maybe there should be?
- B. It is believed other Facebook page (Village of Fox River Grove) is run by a former Village employee, Sarah? Jennifer Curtiss will contact to find out. Is it possible to merge the two Facebook pages for a total number of combined Likes? If not, just transfer admin duties?

### **VII. CGYP CAR SHOW**

- A. Not sponsored by Chamber. Made up of Chamber members.
- B. Tinman's to have 1/2 price burgers on car show days. Kona Ice to be present.



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- C. SEC to possibly do a weekly car show on Tuesdays next summer May - September. Keep an eye on how CGYP Car Show does.

## **VIII. HAUNTED FOREST**

Saturday, October 24 (3-6 Kid Stuff, 6-7 Not-So-Scary, 7-10 Scary)

- A. Halloween treats and hot chocolate provided/sold by Flour Shoppe
- B. Shuttle bus
- C. Signage - banners?
- D. Scary music
- E. Balloon artist
- F. Face painter
- G. Costume contest
- H. Pumpkin decorating
- I. Games
- J. Hay ride
- K. Bonfire
- L. Movie night?

## **IX. TREE LIGHTING**

Saturday, December 5

- A. No location change, at ARS like usual
- B. Try to get CGHS Swing Choir again, big hit last year
- C. Do Santa in library or near front desk instead of in gym?
- D. CGHS Art Department has agreed to redo/paint backdrop

## **X. OTHER BUSINESS**

- A. Fire Department to do ice skating rink at Kids Court again this winter. Matt Figas working on using Visquene to help keep ice frozen.

## **XI. ADJOURNEMENT**

A motion to adjourn the meeting at 8:37pm was made by Regina Petersdorff and seconded by Kirsten Wall. A voice vote was taken. Voting aye - All. Voting nay - None. Motion approved.

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Kirsten Wall, Chairperson

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Date

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Regina Petersdorff, Secretary

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Date