



Village of Fox River Grove

SPECIAL EVENTS MEETING
THURSDAY, JANUARY 10, 2019

I. CALL TO ORDER

Meeting called to order at 7:03 pm.

II. ROLL CALL

In attendance: Michele Holt, Elaina Komala, ~~Erin Jonas~~, ~~Elaina Komala~~, Paulette Nichols, Ken Wagner. Also in attendance: Village President Robert Nunamaker, Andrew Migdal.

Lauren Walker

III. PUBLIC COMMENT

None.

IV. MOTION TO APPROVE MINUTES

Ken Wagner made a motion to approve the minutes; seconded by Michele Holt. All in favor. The January 10, 2019 meeting minutes were approved.

V. TREE LIGHTING

It was decided to invite FRGMS Beta Club to run games and Viva Voce back to sing either inside or outside at the 2019 Tree Lighting. The train was canceled due to the rain and cold. Another decision was to pass out tickets for the face painting especially toward the end of the event so people don't continue to get in line as vendor is trying to finish.

VI. ROCK THE RIVER 2019 (AND FIREWORKS)

Event will be on July 6, 2019 and start at 3:00 p.m. There will be a longer fireworks finale and no lull in between the finale and the main fireworks display. Brandy Martel will sing the National Anthem. It was decided to distribute 500 pinwheels and possibly blow-up guitars to the kids as they enter. The face painter and balloon artist are booked to be there from 4:00 to 7:00 p.m. The Committee is working on scheduling bands to play from 4:30/5:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. and contacting SMS Sound (Steve Smith). More port-a-potties will be needed. The Lions Club will be holding a Bags tournament. Ken Wagner has volunteered to organize a volleyball tournament. It was decided to contact Pastor Karen to see if she'd like to organize "Kid Zone" activities. Other ideas discussed was a bouncy house and seeing if McHenry County K-9 officer could provide a demonstration.

Discussion held on the food vendors: pizza vendor (stone/brick oven); Jaycees – hot dogs and brats; Boy Scouts – pulled pork; Foxy's – nachos and Mexican cuisine; Masons – water/pop; AJz Kettlecorn – Michele Holt will contact; Rotary Club/Dairy Queen and Tropical Chill to be at the METRA station.

Village President Robert Nunamaker

Trustees Jennifer Curtiss / Jacob Fleischmann / Steve Knar / Andrew Migdal / Melissa Schladt / Patrick Wall

VII. CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION

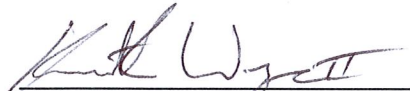
There will be a carnival at Lions Park on August 23-25. Parade will be on August 25th starting on Algonquin Road near the fire station and ending at Lions Park. The old-time baseball game will be on June 22, 2019 at ARS fields. There will be FRG historical trolley tours one Sunday in June, July and August.

VIII. OTHER BUSINESS – None

*Ken Wagner appointed Chairperson
Regina Petersdorff resigned*

IX. ADJOURNMENT

Meeting adjourned at 8:30 p.m. Next regular meeting is tentatively scheduled for February 11, 2019 at 6:30 p.m. instead of the regularly scheduled date of February 14, 2019 (Valentine's Day).


Ken Wagner, Chairperson


Paulette Nichols, Secretary

2-14-19
Date