

August 8, 2023

Meeting Time: 12:00 p.m.
Meeting Place: Rossville Town Park Pavilion
Lunch Provided By: Rod & Bev Miller
Members Present: 14 members present

1. Rod Miller called the meeting to order. Rod and Bev Miller were thanked for providing the light lunch. Minutes from the previous meeting were approved as presented.
2. Treasurer's Report:
Checking Acct: \$14423.64

New Business:

1. Brad Verhey, representing the Troop 337, was asking for suggestions for Eagle Scout projects for the upcoming year.
2. Mandy Murray reported the coupon book is ready to be proofed. They should be available for sale by the end of the month.

Summer's End Festival Committees:

- Advertising—Rita Betts stated the advertising signs have been ordered. She is still waiting on a quote for four banners to be placed at the entrances to town advertising the festival that can be used from year to year.
- Booths—Jessica Heater stated the health department is enforcing permit requirements for those that are selling food products. The Bubble Party and Touch A Fleet is good to go.
- Car Show—Roger Gregory stated pre-registrations are coming in for the car show. He is still looking for some trophy sponsors. If you can help, please contact Roger.
- Church Service—Doug Ticen stated the Presbyterian Church is finalizing plans.
- Lil Miss/Mister/Cutest Baby—Bev Miller is gathering prizes for the contestants. Pat Day will MC the event.
- Entertainment—No report
- Hornet Hustle—It is being considered running the 5K north on St Rd 39 since the road is closed to only local traffic.
- Parade—Pat McIlrath stated the parade entries are starting to come in, but a majority will come in the day of the parade. The 2022-2023 Girl's Basketball team will be the Grand Marshal since it has been over 30 years since they have had a sectional win.
- Fireworks—Phil Ramsey questioned if RBA wanted to spend \$6000.00 this year. After discussion, it was decided to increase the amount to \$6000.00. Donations of \$409.20 have been received in the canisters.
- Parking—Brad Verhey stated they will be assisting with parking. They will need the bucket and aprons.
- Trash Pick-up—Boy Scouts will be assisting with pickup. There have been additional trash boxes and bags ordered.
- Cake Walk—The cake walk will be held on the end of the pavilion after the Lil Miss/Mister/Cutest Baby contest. Several donations will be needed.
- Porta pots/hand washing stations—They will be delivered on 8/24 and picked up on 8/28.
- Roll off—Waste Management will supply a 20 yr roll off at no charge. Pat McIlrath will contact to make sure it is still scheduled.

- Ambulance Service—Jenny Whitcomb will not be available Summer’s End Festival weekend, but will have volunteers scheduled unless they are called out.
- Movie Night—“Up” movie will be shown. Milner Community Healthcare has allowed RBA to use their copy write to show the movie. Depending on the weather, it will be either shown on the pavilion stage or inside the pavilion after the cake walk.

There being no further business to come before the group, the meeting was adjourned to Tuesday, August 22, 2023 at 12:00 p.m. at the Rossville Town Park Pavilion. Freddie Rodkey has volunteered to provide the meal.

Respectfully submitted,
Rod Miller, Co-President
Pat McIlrath, Secretary