

## 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Committee Minutes

December 7, 2017

Call to Order: 7:05 p.m.

Present: Steve Gottlieb, Steve McMahon, Dennis Bianchi, Bob Theriault, Dave Theriault, Diane Theriault, Katherine Matousek, Fred Cote (Thompson, CT), Kristen Shaw, Scott, Grizey, Phyllis Wilson, Mark Wilson, Sue Jansen

Minutes accepted.

Ad Book: Katherine Matousek will take over as Jen Reeser resigned. Needs letter from Chief, President, Committee. David Wray (Plainville) putting book together. Katherine will review all materials given to her regarding book. Put flyer in Avon Town Newsletter. Deadline for ads is February 2, 2018. Book to be out April 28.

Merchandise: Harvey Resigned. Bob T. and PJ now handling merchandise. Went to CT Sportswear on Sandscreen in Avon and they will get back with pricing. Mugs, hats, will be for sale. Will give price on rescue knives. T-shirts. How many of each size? Will order Gray (changed from Royal Blue). Navy blue polo shirts will be given to every member at January Corporation Meeting. Bob and PJ will make final decisions on shirts.

Convention: Steve McMahon: Contract signed for carnival and food trucks. Town manager and President signed. Thanks to Diane Delap and Diane Theriault for helping with mailing invitations. Invitations will go out 1<sup>st</sup> week of January, some out of state.

January 17, Irregulars Dinner will contact Maggie Light to see if she will cook for it and also for dinner in September

Dave & Steve M. went to neighbors on Thompson Rd. Most people receptive.

Schedule of events through September attached.

Talked to Mr. Thompson about possibilities for fireworks location.

Traffic – Fire Police Association. Will reach out to Cert team through emergency manager.

Will have police presence from surrounding towns.

Band from Worcester sent an invitation (requested by Fred Cote and voted at previous meeting).

Open House – no report.

Hartford County- Will ask PJ to take over. Luncheon to be at Co. 1.

5K – No report.

Puppet Show – No report

Library: Sue, Maggie and Phyllis will handle photos for January/February display at Library and also check on January 13 event to see if we are all set. Dave received an email from library. Speakers for January event: Chiefs have been asked to speak, as well as Jamie and Dennis.

Facebook page:

Carol & Kristen will take care of publicity and work on facebook page with Dave.

Other business: We have spent \$7556 so far. Polo shirts cost about \$3,000.

Next meeting: January 11, 2018 at 7:00 p.m. Co. 1

Adjourned: 8:20 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Diane Theriault

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