

LUNENBURG 300TH ANNIVERSARY COMMITTEE MINUTES

NOVEMBER 27, 2023 Sudolnik Room, Lunenburg Library

Members Present: Michelle Belleza, Laura Brzozoski, Cathy Clarke, Kathy Comeau, Lois Filiau, Lou Franco, Dawn Johnson, Debbie Lincoln, Pete Lincoln, Tony Sculimbrene, Bill Tyler
Members Absent: Chris Sullivan

A motion was entertained to approve the minutes of 9/18 by Tony, seconded by Michelle, passed unanimously.

Discussion of Committee Charge #7

As a body the Committee shall: 7. Encourage through effective communication and outreach maximum inclusion, attendance, and participation by the townspeople in events and celebrations.

Chris Sullivan had sent a letter to the Chair outlining his preferred interests for events, along with reservations about the parade tentatively scheduled for 9/10/28.

Laura put forth a motion, seconded by Bill to keep the Parade date at 9/10/28, separate from the school's Homecoming. It passed unanimously.

Suggestions for several new major town events were:

- Lunenburg Knight Club, with different eras of music and a VIP room
- Birthday with cake and fireworks, date Friday July 28 for fireworks and July 29 for cake rain date for fireworks
- Are You Smarter Than A Senior (or Townie?) - Lunenburg Trivia
- 2027 Photo Contest for 2028 Calendar with special dates on calendar
- Countdown Cakes to the Birthday Party
- Logo Contest for Committee - $112 = 300$

Interest in heading events:

Community Harvest Feasts (Farm to Table suppers/lunches on Memorial Drive)

Chris, Michelle, Cathy, Laura,

Woo Sox Night

Chris

Events at Parks

Chris

Historical Society Monthly Programs

Bill, Pete

Time Capsule

Bill, Kathy

Stroll/Main Street Tours

Bill, Cathy, Pete

Halloween Cemetery Walk

Bill, Lois, Pete, Cathy, Kathy

Birthday Party/Fireworks/Cake

Michelle, Laura

Lunenburg Knight Club

Michelle, Dawn, Cathy

Town Fair (arts and crafts, petting zoo, games, poetry and writing contests, raffles, music)

Lois, Dawn, Laura, Kathy

Garden Tours

Lois, Dawn, Cathy

Sports Fortnight

Dawn

Pageant/Talent Show

Dawn, Laura, Debbie

Cow Chip Poker

Laura, Debbie, Kathy

Bonfire

Laura, Kathy

Parade

Laura, Debbie, Cathy, Kathy

First Knight

Pete, Debbie

Other Activities: Old Home Days, Town Picnic

Kathy would be available for any events involving animals.

Tony indicated his only interest is in updating the Red Book, although he would be available to help on events.

Other suggestions:

Create a calendar of events and get on the Town Calendar

Use the town's electronic sign

Send out snail mailings

Craft on online survey, get email addresses

Blue Rose fundraiser at any town event

Use 112 = 300 to pique interest (Lunenburg being the 112th municipality to incorporate of the current 351)

Next meeting: February 26th 7:00 Sudolnik Room at the Library

Approved 2/26/24

Deborah Lincoln, Clerk