

**Town of Boscawen
Old Home Day
Boscawen Municipal Complex
Meeting Minutes
Monday, March 18, 2024, at 6:00 PM**

Present: Polly Dawson - Chair, Gary Tillman, Beverly Lacoy, & Kim Kenney

Excused: Matthew Burdick—Ex-Officio

Chair Polly Dawson opened the public meeting at 6:00pm.

Roll call completed by Chair Dawson.

Minutes: Chair Dawson clarified in the 12.18.23 OHD draft minutes that Ms. Kenney was responsible for the prizes and Chair Dawson was getting the money for the raffles.

Chair Dawson motioned to approve the 12.18.23 OHD draft minutes as amended. Seconded by Mr. Gary Tillman. All in favor. None opposed.

Chair Dawson motioned to approve the 02.21.24 OHD draft minutes as presented. Seconded by Mr. Tillman. All in favor. None opposed.

Financial Report: The committee reviewed the financial report through 03.18.24. Discussion ensued.

Mr. Tillman motioned to approve the Financial Report as presented through 03.18.24. Seconded by Chair Dawson. All in favor. None opposed.

Regular Business: Chair Dawson noted the Town Wide Yard Sale will be held Saturday, May 18th. from 8AM to 2PM at the Town Municipal Office. The rain date will be Sunday, May 19th. Ms. Beverly Lacoy's friend will be running the Bake Sale. Mr. Tillman said Ex-Officio Matt Burdick also secured the Teenie Wienies food truck for breakfast and lunch. To have a spot in the Yard Sale, people must sign up by Friday, May 10th. Ms. Kenney suggested checking with the town to ensure they do not need approval to use the tables. The Yard Sale flyer has been posted on the Town website.

Chair Dawson brought up the discussion on the parade theme for this year. Twiggs Art Gallery decided on a pig theme, 'Swanky Swine', for this year's cut outs. Chair Dawson suggested mirroring the pig theme for the OHD parade.

Chair Dawson motioned to approve the Swanky Swine pig theme for the OHD parade to mirror the Twiggs Art Gallery cutout theme. Seconded by Ms. Kenney. All in favor. None opposed.

New Business: Ms. Kenney has been in contact with Vertical Entertainment to plan the entertainment for OHD this year. She noted last year the arts and crafts were a big hit. She planned on setting up more craft activities for this year. They may do a rock-climbing wall in place of the bungee jumping. Ms. Kenney also reached out to the golf teams from last year, and 12 out of 19 teams have secured a spot. She will send out registration forms in June and collect the money in August.

Mr. Tillman noted he will not be available during OHD week. He will be taking a 3-week vacation with his wife to celebrate their 50th anniversary. Chair Dawson noted they will need to find another volunteer to help with OHD week.

Chair Dawson noted they will need to follow up with Ex-Officio Matt Burdick on securing food trucks for Old Home Day. She mentioned that a dessert food truck reached out to her, but she has not heard back since.

Ms. Kenney mentioned there was a bee issue last year by the entrance at OHD. She suggested they could spray prior to the event. Discussion ensued. The Committee will make sure they have bee repellent spray during the event.

Next meeting:

Monday, April 15, 2024 @ 6:00PM.

Chair Dawson motioned to adjourn at 6:22 pm. Seconded by Mr. Tillman. All in favor. None opposed.

Respectfully submitted by Hannah Gardner