

Elizabeth Chamber of Commerce Meeting Minutes
May 28, 2020

The meeting was called to order by President, Merri Sevey, at 6:00 p.m.

The attendees were: Shellie Callan, Merri Sevey, Cheryl Rife, Judy Meyerhofer, Tammy Trebian, Linda Ganster, Karen and Brian Staron, Jodi Korte, Lara Walters, Pastor Mike Nesbit, Kristen Patterson, Michael Dittmar, Peg Francomb, Anna Pintozzi, and Lisa Walters.

The Secretary's Report was approved by Tammy, seconded by Judy. Motion carried.

The Treasurer's Report stated \$8,033.79 in the account. This was approved by Judy, seconded by Anna. Motion carried.

2020 Schedule of Events will be handed out soon. They are still being updated.

Spring Fling/Summer Jubilee is still scheduled for Saturday, June 6th. There will be no bounce houses, but there will be a petting zoo. Hwy 20 Brewery would like to have music. Artists & Artisans will have demos and sip and meet from 5:30 – 7:30 p.m. to meet artists. Garage sales are optional to individual homes. There will be no garage sale map this year.

Freedom Fest/Elizabeth Community Fair is scheduled for August 20 – 22. There was no mention of Garlic Fest.

Tourism and Accommodations will be posted on Facebook stating what business hours of operation will be.

Business Advocacy/Marketing will run ads for Spring Fling.

2020 Visitors Guide stated that the final proof was submitted. The booklets should be here in 2 weeks.

Membership Committee stated some dues still need to be paid. Please submit your dues payment if you haven't yet.

Village of Elizabeth stated that the liquor license, from the Village, will only be \$1.00 right now. Businesses are reminded that outdoor music has a 10:00 p.m. end time. The updated zoning criteria is almost ready. Picnic tables have been distributed to businesses for outdoor use. The sewer grant bid came in high, so bids may go out again. The sidewalk grant is in phase 1 engineering, and they stated that maybe the sidewalks and Main St. can all be done at once. The splash pad is still going to be installed. The Village cut the budget for this year.

OPEN FORUM

Cheryl stated to promote all the outdoor activities that we have to offer, while promoting "keep everyone safe" motto.

Mike Dittmar stated that the windows have gone in for the Dittmar Farms bed & breakfast rental home.

Senior Class of 2020 banners will be going up on the light poles Friday, weather pending.

Carrie Haas who owns Little Valley Organizers and Little Valley Vintage has her business in the basement of the former Planetary Studies building. She will offer "pop-ups" for anyone who would be interested.

Tammy made a motion to adjourn the meeting, Carrie seconded. Motion carried. The meeting ended at 6:45 p.m.

The next Chamber meeting will be June 25th at 6:00 p.m. in the Village Board Room.