

Oct. 8, 2018 Menville Chamber Minutes

Meeting called to order: 12:35 PM

Thank You to Pro Start for the Meal: Stuffed Baked Potato Bar

Today's Meal Attendance: 32

Guest Introductions: Chris Countryman introduced Tisha Kamm, who is working in his office.

Treasurers Report: \$8,399.70 after today's meals

School News: Doug Glackin and Student of the Month not in attendance today.

Menville News: City crew is finishing up on some projects, but will have to put off doing the hole down by Casey's till next spring as it is getting too late and the contractor is a month behind due to weather. They will do temporary filling of the hole to get thru the winter. Logan & Robert Drive projects are complete. They are working on Meredith Lane.

MCDAI: Stee Maxwell not available today so Pam Clark reported that they are still trying to get someone into the grocery store, but the person that had shown interest earlier this year has not been keeping in touch with them. The housing project is going forward and the After the Bell program has enough people involved that they say it is going well.

Siouxland Big Give is 10-9-2018 (tomorrow) and it is a 1 day promotion for anyone to go on line and make donations to their favorite nonprofit organization. MCDAI is on the site so please go online and make a donation. The Sioux City Hy-Vee stores will also have a container that you can make your donation.

Fall Fest in Old Town was a big success and Sam Thomas updated us on that. They raised around \$4,000 this year and the funds will go to bring acts and entertainment to Old Town during the Woodbury County Fair. A big THANK YOU to the community and business that supported this event.

NEW BUSINESS: Oct 30, Woodbury Central School is putting on a Career Fair. Please contact Mrs. Walker at the school for more info.

Halloween Parade is Oct. 31st @ 5:30 and starts at the Senior Center. Security National Bank will provide the workers for the Hot Dog Supper. Dr Shrunck made the motion for Menville Chamber to give \$400 for the meal and \$100 for candy for this event.

We talked about Thanksgiving and putting out containers at business for people to sign up and win Menville Bucks. Jeannie Krueger & Sam Thomas will spearhead this and make sure all the businesses that want containers will have them and then pick them back up and get Menville Bucks for the winners that will be drawn from collected containers. Pam Clark made the motion to donate \$400 in Menville

Bucks for this and Jeannie Krueger 2nd that motion. Sam & Jeannie will decide what denominations to hand out.

There is a Volleyball spaghetti fundraiser 10-11-18 at the school. Tickets are \$5.00

Santa Day this year will be Dec. 8th at the Community Center. Details to follow but start thinking about that.

Speakers today: Sam Thomas & Megan Cross speaking about the Farmers Market 2018. They say it started out pretty good as people were curious about it, but didn't take long for it to drop off when it got hot. Vendors very discouraged but hung in there. Attendance picked up, of course, when Wiatel gave away free hotdogs and the live music towards the end was nice also. It seemed like most were willing to give it a try again next year but looking for any ideas as to what people are looking for and what would bring more people to this. Try to maybe offer other family friendly things to bring people down for a night out, instead of just coming for some tomatoes or cucumbers when your neighbor is more than likely giving you some for free!!!