Moville Chamber of Commerce Minutes February 13, 2023

Rev. Harold Werley gave the prayer before the meal.

Jeremy Rogers called the business meeting to order and thanked Yellow Rose catering for serving the meal.

Guest Introductions: Sam Jones w/CC Properties (own Moville properties) and Jeff Wagner, new owner of The Record

Old Business:

- Treasurer's Report: Jeannie Krueger reported a balance of \$9559.26 in the treasury.
- Minutes: See Lisa Fouts or visitmoville.com for past minutes

• School News: Mr. Glackin reported that there are 4 wrestlers qualified for the state wrestling meet. In speech news, Grace Dice was selected for All-State Speech and there are 10 qualified for State Individual Speech at this time. District individual speech will be held at Woodbury Central on February 25. Jazz Band has competed in several contests this winter. E-Sports is becoming increasingly more popular and the topic has come up at WC. The school hired Jim Fisher as Assistant Transportation Director. Jackson Reblitz was named the Chamber Student of the Month.

• Moville News: Mayor Jim Fisher reported city crews are busy with maintenance and snow removal and the city council has finalized the budget.

• MCDAI: The 3rd duplex on Meredith Lane is still under construction. Trivia Night is coming up on March 18. MCDAI is looking into doing a study about turning the current medical clinic into a daycare facility.

• Galentine's event: 170+ women attended the event and Main Street was very busy.

• Moville Museum Launch Party: \$2,145 in donations were received and event helped increase awareness about a future museum.. Thanks to all the door prize donors.

• Sewed In Retreat: 90+ participants and their monetary and non-perishable donations were given to the Siouxland Food Bank and the Community Basket.

New Business:

• Jeremy and Bree Rogers have created a Chamber Facebook page to help in sharing information and promoting our local businesses.

• An informal monthly coffee was mentioned to provide opportunities for each business to host the Chamber members to show/discuss their business.

Guest Speaker: Jeff Wagner with Iowa Information Media Group spoke about the purchase of The Record and encouraged everyone to actively communicate news with Record staff.

Next meeting: Crankshaft at noon on March 13, 2023 (Invite a Farmer Lunch) Members are encouraged to invite farmers to join the chamber for this lunch meeting.

Today's meal/attendance: 29