

March 11, 2014

EBA Meeting Minutes

Present: Shawna Lovelette, Sandy Lovelette, Sandra Ferland, Judy Searles, Dawn Paradis, Kathy Marn, Chris Damato, Avis Anderson, Rachel Lamoureaux and Sarah Tougas

The Treasurer's Report was accepted as presented.

The basic computer class hosted by EBA currently has 5 members.

Easter in Enosburg will be held on Lincoln Park at 10:00 a.m. on April 19. The EBA will need volunteers to help clean up the park prior to the Easter Egg Hunt. The committee made a motion to approve a budget of \$350.00. Shawna suggested that we purchase 2000 eggs. Peoples Trust Company will purchase the goodies to be handed out the by Easter Bunny. Shawna will look into having Success by Six there to hand out books. It was suggested that volunteers meet at Hull Insurance to help stuff the 2000 eggs.

Welcome Bags were discussed. Nine bags are ready to go. Mrs. Eppley and Mrs. Miller will deliver the "Welcome Bags." They will deliver in the Village area first due to the weather. Sandra Ferland addressed the committee and suggested that we purchase large thermal shopping bags with zippers to use as our Welcome Bags. The bags can be embossed. Sandy thought it would be nice to have the bags embossed with "Welcome to our Town – EBA." The committee voted and approved to order 300 bags. The bags could also be sold as Harvest Fest at a minimum cost.

EBA needs to contact Jason Doe and pick a date to clean up the debris from the ice storm in December. It was mentioned that the Cold Hollow Students would be able to help out with community service, but are not available during school vacation. Time availability will be limited due to other commitments, such as sugaring.

Chris Damato will speak to Seth Hungerford to see if the building trades class can build a spot to house our popcorn maker and additional supplies.

Dawn Paradis indicated the website is updated. We currently have 44 members. She asked that everyone take a look at it to make sure your business information is correct.

Sandra Ferland clarified that the EBA made a onetime donation toward the cost of insurance for the Farmer's Market. The Farmer's Market has since got their own insurance.

Chris Damato indicated that the Cold Hollow will be starting up their gardening co-op for a fee. It will be Tuesday nights from 5 to 7. There will be a gardening expert, seed swaping etc.

Motion to adjourn 8:52 a.m.

Next EBA Meeting scheduled for April 8th at 8:00 a.m. at the Somerset Inn.

Respectfully submitted,

Sarah Tougas, Secretary