

Present: Frank, Mary, Leah, Bridget, Helen, Paul

Treasury Report

All money from GNA was handed over to Frank (donations as well as receipts). We do not have a final count yet.

Good Neighbor Awards

How was the time change?

Usually have it in the Spring. It was the Tuesday after Election Day, day after Veteran's Day.

Seems like the timing worked out well. Did not hear from anyone that it conflicted with band concerts, etc.

Group picture was a great idea, we should do that every year.

Maybe next year, we can do a half page insert, in the program, that gives a bit of information (like two sentences) about the honorees (contact info, website).

In the future, maybe we budget for behind-the-scenes administrative support and hire out the invitations/programs. It was a lot of last minute stress and rush for Bridget and Mary and the committee - THANK YOU!!!

Also, maybe we should list ALL CFF financial supporters for the year (not just the event) in the program, since everyone who supports us financially kind of sponsors the event and it is a good time to recognize them.

Add soda, water into the contract for the future so that people don't pay for soda and water. Otherwise, we were impressed with the venue.

Certificates looked fabulous. We did not have enough name tags. More name tags for next time.

2020 County Bicentennial - County - plan for a bigger celebration of our place in history. We should do it next year though too if we have the person power in 2019.

Project Ahead

November 19th, 2019 - Potentially date for Good Neighbor Awards. Bridget or Mary (I'm sorry I can't remember) will try to reserve now with Go Comedy. This is the week after Veteran's Day, the week before Thanksgiving.

It was a good event.

Euchre Tournament

Pride is partnering with the Elks to have a Euchre Tournament in January

Paul is going to check with Loving Touch about a date in March to try to have our fundraiser/tournament there.

Civic Expo

Did not talk about at meeting - Update via email from Kat (feel better!).

"Quick update re: the Civic Org. Expo. I talked to Ed Burns at the Library about it, and he said it was Robbin [Redacted] idea. Robbin and Ed are the ones who put it together. He said that they had no current plans to do it again, but I told him that we would love to lend

support, especially promoting the event, if anyone puts something similar together. I left it at that. Let me know if I should do anything further on this.”

Next Meeting

Our next regularly scheduled meeting would be on New Year’s Day so the board elected to push the meeting back a week to **Tuesday, January 8th, 2019, 6:30pm at the Ferndale Public Library.**