

## Blossburg Visions in Business & Entertainment Minutes of the Monthly Meeting March 26, 2014

Location: The Kiwanis Building

## **Administrative/Organization Information**

- Minutes Approved
- Treasurer's Report General Checking: \$11466.76. Grants account: Currently being used for the United Fund donations. Received \$4070.35 for the electric panel, \$13000 for the streetscape project.

## **Projects**

- Kiwanis Building Renovations The work bee was a success, but there's still a little more to do. We completed the ceiling tile painting and wall painting. The floors will be cleaned and waxed next week.
- Rebranding Campaign We'll be meeting with The Anderson Group on March 27<sup>th</sup> at 6 p.m. at the Kiwanis Building to get an introduction to "branding", what the process would look like, what information we need to put together, and what it might cost.
- Community Yard Sale We're receiving listings for the yard sale map. The maps will be available at the Brick Restaurant along with free coffee. We'll also get the map in the Penny Saver and Gazette. The yard sale will be April 26<sup>th</sup> from 8 am to 2 pm. E-Recycling event on April 29<sup>th</sup> from 5 to 8 pm.
- Coal Festival Some ideas that were brought up were to have a "Gem Mining" booth which can be setup as a fund raiser and is low cost to do. Volunteers would be needed. We would also have information about vibe an informational packet or post cards with V.I.B.E. information.
- Fall Festival We're moving the Fall Festival to the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday this. The date will be October 12<sup>th</sup>. Some ideas for new features were: Live Action Pac-Man, Pie Throwing contest. We could use a change-up this year. We'll have a June meeting downtown to get set the layout and brainstorm.
- Small Town Christmas We need to start planning earlier. It's too hectic to start planning and execution after the Fall Festival. We'll reserve Santa again this year.
- Small Town Christmas Judging will be on Dec. 17<sup>th</sup>. We'll meet at 6 p.m. for snacks at the Kiwanis Building. Judging was completed in 2013 and prizes are going out (a little late).
- Stree Scape The current trees are coming down Sunday at 7 am. We're currently looking for donations to raise the expected \$30,000 needed for the project.
- Community Garden Work bee will be moved to later in April due to the continuing cold weather. The garden could use additional storage space.
- Electric Panel Waiting for the weather to break for work to begin.
- Princess House open house auction The idea was brought up about a princess house open house auction as a fundraiser that V.I.B.E. could host.

News & Views: Deadline 5 pm, Saturdays – <a href="mailto:news@blossburg.org">news@blossburg.org</a> Calendar and Community Sign: <a href="mailto:news@blossburg.org">news@blossburg.org</a>

The next meeting will be April 23, 6:30 pm at the Community Building (Kiwanis Building).

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