

Saxonburg Area Business Association

April 12, 2016 Meeting Minutes

Meeting was called to order at 9:09 with a welcome by SABA President Phil Wain

Officers' Reports:

President: (P. Wain) Thanks to the Borough for their support, and to Josh Novotny and Pat Rinebolt for their involvement and attending.

Treasurer: (J. Brewster) As of 4/11/2016, there was \$11,162.36 in the General Fund, \$1425 was in the Scholarship Fund.

Coffee was provided by the Saxonburg Coffee Company, and doughnuts were provided by the Main Street Bakeshop.

Member introductions: members introduced themselves and new members were welcomed.

Committee Reports:

Discover Saxonburg: (J. Ferree) The Discover Saxonburg: Mingles on Main will take place on the third Thursday evening of the month and will be merged with the Car Cruise. These will take place from May through September, with July's being a special Mayor's Table event. Concordia will bring interested residents to Saxonburg as part of a field trip, likely starting in May.

Scholarship: There are 18 applicants for 3 \$500 scholarships. These will be awarded in May.

Easter Egg Hunt: (J. Novotny) The Easter Egg Hunt was a success with about 200 children. Thanks to all for making donations. Between 2500 and 300 eggs were filled and hidden in Roebing Park.

Welcome Committee: (P. Wain) This committee is seeking more volunteers to get involved in asking past/old members to rejoin and to solicit/recruit new members.

Marketing: (F. Caesar) The visitors map is at the printer, and the new website will go live shortly.

New Business

Karen Boltz of the Salvation Army thanked those SABA members who volunteered their time to help families and individuals in need during the holiday season. These members were awarded with a certificate for ringing the bell at Friedman's.

Kathy Allen discussed the SABA Summer Picnic at Armstrong Farms. There will be a fishing contest and cow patty bingo. This will take place on 6/14/16 beginning at 5PM at Westminster Preserve. Proceeds from contests and games will benefit the SABA Scholarship Fund. Please bring a side dish. Event is BYOB.

Other announcements: BCTCB Toast to Tourism will take place on 5/5. Possibilities for new member spotlight were discussed.

Next Meeting: 9AM, Tuesday, May 10, 2016 at Centennial Hall, with space to be open at 8:15 for committee meetings.

Meeting adjourned at 9:44