

Sept 26, 2016

The Keytesville Chamber of Commerce met on Monday, September 26 at The Café. Members present were: Cecelia Sehlke, Nathan Asbury, Rhonda Hughes, Janet Weaver, Susan Littleton, Shirley Morris and Megan Fox.

No minutes were approved due to the absence of Dora Palmer. Susan reported a balance of \$1757.03. The 50/50 Ticket Sales were \$746.00 with the winner being Steve Atkinson who donated a share back to the Chamber. An outstanding bill was presented to the treasurer to pay Amanda Webb for the upkeep of the website site and computer needs.

Sehlke offered an apology about the meeting date saying she assumed that since September 5 was a holiday that it was not counted toward our "third Monday" meeting. She also stated that our numbers are dwindling in attendance and would like to see all paid members try to make some meetings.

Rhonda Friesz our volunteer had not been contacted yet for her story (but as I am writing this the interview has happened and story and picture have been sent to the Chariton County Journal). Sehlke is still trying to schedule with Cliff Thornberg.

The main focus of the meeting turned to the October Activity to be sponsored by the Chamber. It was unanimously decided after discussion and planning that the Chamber will sponsor a Trunk or Treating for ages Pre School up through 6th grade. The treating will be at Sterling Price Park from 5 to 6:30 p.m. on Saturday October 29. At the fire house refreshments of hot chocolate, hotdogs and pizza will be provided by the Chamber. The Lions Club will begin running a hay wagon around the town at 6:30 p.m. The members will decorate the park sometime that week and hope more bring decorations and time to do the job. We will send fliers home with the students at the school and place fliers around town as well.

The next meeting is set for October 17 at The Café.

Meeting Adjourned.

Approved Oct. 17, 2016
Cecelia Sehlke, president