

Ottawa Special Events Meeting

Minutes of July 11, 2024

Meeting called to order: 5:35 pm

Present: Mike Dougherty, Lucas Hennefent, Lloyd Chapman, Jani Eichelkraut, Wayne Eichelkraut, Candy Moore, Rich Crum, Dan Eilts, Abbie Kennedy, Ron Lambert, Randi Paquette, Jim Reilly, Robin Wilson

Absent: Cortney DeArco, Alaina Iverson

Guests: Harmony Burn (JJ's), Justine Larabee (Holiday Inn Express), Audrey Miller (Surf Internet)

Public Comment/Correspondence – None

Funding Requests:

1. ONYX Mix'd & Mingle – motion to approve \$1,000 for live music by Rich Crum, 2nd by Candy Moore

2. Family Fun Picnic – Youth Service Bureau – motion to approve \$300 for entertainment and prizes Lucas Hennefent, 2nd Abbie Kennedy

Minutes from June 6, 2024 approved by Randi Paquette, 2nd Mike Dougherty

Financial report received and approved with motion Rich Crum, 2nd Lloyd Chapman

New Business : Abbie Kennedy asked for help from the Special Events Committee for the Taylor Swift Dance Party August 4 at the Old Central School grounds. There will be a free swim Back to School Pool Party at the Ottawa Riordan Pool on August 11. Rich Crum said some help is needed at the Drinkin' With Lincoln Brew Fest on July 27 and July 28. A sign up sheet was passed around. Jim Reilly and Abbie Kennedy said the Ottawa Fall Fest and Parade will be Sunday, September 29. There were various other topics discussed under new business

Old Business: More Special Events T-shirts need to be ordered for new members. The next Jordan Block Jams is Friday, July 19th. Mike Dougherty said the Music In The Park is going well with around 600 people attending each Saturday night.

Meeting Adjourned 6:50 Next meeting, August 8, 2024

Respectively submitted by Dan Eilts