

NCABA Regular Monthly Meeting
Wednesday, April 23, 2008

The meeting was called to order by President Jeff Lantzy at 4:15. Those in attendance included Jeff Lantzy (Jeff Lantzy Insurance), Tim Whited (Al's Tires), Fran Filkins (Health South), Chuck Contres (Long-Contres Funeral Home), Sam Taranto(DSC and Spangler Legion), Christina Shoemaker (Allegheny Chesapeake), Suzanne McCombie (Mainline Newspapers), Lynn Watt (Home Nursing Agency), Erin Gabany (South Fork Welcome Home).

The minutes were reviewed. Ammendment Lynn Watt (Home Nursing Agency) did attend last meeting.

Tim Whited made a motion to accept the minutes; Chuck Contres second the motion.
All were in favor.

Financial Report

Barb Kirby was unable to attend and give the financial report.

Membership Report

110 current members

Any new inquiring members can email ncaba@live.com

Members Expo

13,000 copies of flyers to go out. They will be inserted into the Gazette, Star Courier, Mainliner, and Mountaineer- Herald.

The cutoff for businesses to get their name advertised in the paper the deadline is April 30,2008.

Susanne McCombie will put in a story about the Expo in the Star Courier.

The after-hours mixer is just appetizers. There will be no alcohol. The President will address the no alcohol issue with the committee and the name of "mixer". Lynn Watts makes a motion for Jeff to address using the title "mixer" for the event.

Job Expo

The date set is Thursday June 12, 2008. It has been confirmed to be held at Penn Highlands Campus in Ebensburg.

Economic

Health and Wealth Gala with Miners Medical Center

Fran to meet with Sharon to get the letters out.

Rock Run aka RODP

Meeting on April, 24 in Mahaffey to plan what they are going to do for the Main Street Program.

They would like to develop literature collateral piece

May need NCABA to help funding. Anything with profit will not be on a map. We need to support that.

NCABA members were invited to a breakfast on April 30th at 8:30 at Miners Rest in Patton. Gary Haluska and Sam Valenty sponsoring.

They are going to review liability clauses. Fran and Al will be attending.

Scholarship

May have to rethink the process of giving the scholarship to the high school students who writes an essay partly due to lack of response from the students.

May look at students going to Penn Highlands and present scholarship to them.

Lynn Watts motioned to give scholarship to a Penn Highlands student. Erin Gabany to second motion. Fran Filkins will contact David Volpe regarding this to select a student going to PH for \$500 for 1 year from: Northern Cambria, Glendale, Bishop Carroll, Cambria Heights, Purchase Line, Penns Manor, and Harmony. All are in favor.

Golf

July 3rd and September 12, 2008 are the dates set for the 9 hole scramble at Cambrian Hills. Flyers are made and will be sent out.

Old Business

Job Expo will possibly need funds to purchase necessary supplies. LifeStyle Support Services may be a possible sponsor.

New Business

Fran wants to be able to sign the checkbook. We need 2 signatures for each check. Fran would also like to have a mail key. Erin Gabany made a motion to get her on the checkbook as well as a mail key. Lynn Watts second the motion. All were in favor

Dr. Chris Paronish will be having an open house at his office for Cosmetic Facial Products. Everyone welcome.

Christina Shoemaker - Dr. Steve show will air on ABC 23 at 6pm on Saturday. He is from NCABA member Allegheny and Chesapeake Therapy services.

Kim Mason started Million Shirt Mom for each T-Shirt sold \$5 goes to charity.

With no further business Tim Whited made motion to adjourn. Lynn Watts to second. All were in favor.