

Tri-County Beard & Mustache Society
Meeting Minutes- February 20th, 2020

TCBMS held a meeting February 20th, 2020 at Lapel Eagles, Lapel, IN. Start time 5:55pm.
-Members present were: Jeremiah Crafton, Melissa Crafton, Jordan Cook, Amber Ruddick, Sherri Neese, Lee Leiter, Jeff Wren, Marian Wren, Chris Mershon, & Cortney Smith

Previous minutes were read by Amber and approved by Jeremy & Melissa

Treasurer's Report- As of today, bank balance is \$18,775.86. We took in: \$50 for BH 2020 Sponsor. \$50 Ladies Aux. \$200 from Men's Eagles. \$31.31 from Kroger Deposit. \$80.00 from Network for Good. \$30 from Face Book Donation & \$4.70 bank dividend. We paid out: \$44.22 to Walmart for supplies (Paper, ink, address labels, return labels), \$1.17 in PayPal dues (PLEASE pay friends and family from now on) \$9.63 Dollar Tree (table cloths) \$1.25 for share drafts, \$101.30 for Aldi trip for food pantry.

We still need to pay for our Hoodies, regal shirts and sponsor shirts

**Bethany and Ryan Welch still owe \$150.00 for the beverage tub we auctioned off at the end of competition.

Treasure Report was read by Melissa and Abraham & Mary Todd Lincoln approved

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

- Bentleys Buddies Competition-Saturday, May 2nd, in greenfield, IN at Strike Force lanes- more details to come in the next few months. (Cleared to have Banquet room for Competition)
- Each club member who hasn't already received one, will receive the magnet/bottle opener keychain until we run out. Approved. **STILL SOME LEFT
- iPad purchase for use at festivals for sales instead of our phones. **STILL LOOKING
- Hoodies: Still taking an order after the first of the year when we order sponsor shirts. Need to put it online. Member price will be \$30 for Small through XL. 2X and 3x are \$35.
- Tri-County Family Campout- August 1, 2020. Event Page has been Created & Invites sent to Members. **STILL NEED TO VOTE FOR OUTSIDERS**
- Golf Outing planning has begun. Possible Date: June 7th Committee: Jeremy Crafton & Chris Mershon
- Chris Mershon proposed now we have a student at Eastern Hancock Middle School; as a club we should go and support this him at public band functions/concerts. **Need permission from Parent.
- We want to start researching local community centers and see if posting information will help students who are not seeking music adventures through schools. **Any leads on locations send info to Amber or Melissa
- Disc Golf Outing planning has begun. Possible Date: August 29th Committee: Jordan Cook & Justin Schadler
- Pallet Painting planning has begun. Confirmed: April 18th 1-5 (Bar Bingo after 6pm @ Eagles) Committee: Amber Ruddick 3 Designs to Select From: •Piano w/ words, Personalized Ring, Indiana Home **Still looking for extra pallets (split apart into slats) or extra paint/paint brushes.

New Business

- HAPPY BIRTHDAY ABRAHAM!! (2-20)
- Our First TCBMS Family Dinner was January 31st @ The Journey in Castleton. We had a large group attend, so much food and fun for all. Vote on continuing family dinners quarterly (APPROVED)
- Once again, we are needing a new storage unit to house our music equipment. The current location has raised the rent to an amount twice as much. **NEED VOLUNTEERS** to move all equipment to new location.
- Thank you letters are pouring in from Schools and students we have helped with our \$100 music money!! Each are heartfelt and encouraging what we do as a charity. If you would like to see/read them Melissa has copies of all received.
- We have multiple Small/Medium size T-shirts in the old style. We would like to give those to the children as prizes at Bentley's Buddies Competition. (APPROVED)

• February 15th- Love is in the Hair-Mercer County, OH. Great turn out by TCBMS!! Melissa Crafton was a Judge, Jordan placed 2nd in Whaler, Jeremy placed 3rd in Full Beard, Jen placed 2nd in Creative & Brad placed 3rd in Styled Mustache. Fun had by all, still waiting on totals raised for this Charity.

*****Collecting all Member's Birthday's and Wedding Anniversary's. Please submit dates to Amber.

2020 COMPETITIONS/EVENTS WE KNOW OF SO FAR (that are near(ish))

March 7th- Beards for Brains and Bridges- Kokomo, IN

April 4th- Bearded Hero 5- Ft. Wayne, IN

May 2nd- Bentley's Buddies Competition- Kid Friendly!! Greenfield, IN

June 6th- KZoo Whisker Crew Competition- Kalamazoo, MI

Members that have Dues upcoming:

- MARCH: none

Being no further business, meeting was officially adjourned at 6:32pm