

Tri-County Beard & Mustache Society
Meeting Minutes- March 15th, 2018

1. TCBMS held a meeting March 15th, 2018 at Montgomery Steakhouse in Spiceland, Indiana (Henry County), start time 6:32pm
-Members present were: Jeremiah Crafton, Melissa Crafton, Josh Eaks, Ashley Eaks, Ty Chittum, Brandi Chittum, Chris Mershon, Mandy Mershon, John Gilson, Karen Gilson, Michael Utt, Frank Utt, Shanna Utt Guests: Jenna Buckner, Lane Crafton, Willow Eaks, Remi Utt
Previous minutes were read by Ashley and approved.
2. Treasurer's Report- As of today, bank balance is \$9599.00. We purchased a felt letterboard (21.39), essential oils (37.40), carrier oils (35.80), gallon of sweet almond oil (41.24), coconut oil (9.98), and paid the Lapel Village Fair Booth Fee (\$75.00). We took in 1.94 band dividend, 80.00 staches and sweets ticket sale (x4 tickets), brandi chittum upgrade to standard membership fee (15), brad Anderson shirt (15) and \$5 donation. Need to purchase tablecloth roll for painting event, paper products, juice boxes.
3. Sponsor Shirts- Still have a few to dispurse and a few need to still be paid for. There are still a few available in various sizes (no small in the newest blue).
4. Golf Outing: 5/20/18. We're still waiting to confirm this date- no one has been available at the office. We still need a rain date/or back up date. Fall outing date will be revisited. Will need volunteers!
5. 4th Annual Comp is Saturday October 27th, 2017 at the Lapel Eagles- more details to come.
6. Kids only competition will be July 14th, 2018 during the Lapel Village Fair. Start gathering items for raffle table, craft table (no glitter), etc. Eagles said they would open the facility for a "public day". Jeremy to attend town hall meeting to see about plot of land on 9th and John st for cornhole, and/or getting the street blocked off for Saturday only. Music throughout the day. Schedules/signups/detail will be discussed at the next meeting. Plan is craft table 12-3, comp at 5 or 530pm- Music from 3pm to ? Depends on how many musician we have come out. We'll also have Kings Island Tickets to raffle off. \$1 for 1 ticket or \$5 for 6.
7. The Sweets and Staches event will be Saturday, April 28th, from 12-2pm at the Eagles. Age 8 and under need supervision at all times. We'll need donations of sweets (finger foods please! Cupcakes, cookies, granola bars, etc, and juiceboxes. \$20 ticket. You may come and supervise, but if you want to paint, you'll have to purchase a ticket. Donation bucket at sweets table.
8. We applied to the WBMA and NACBMA. No word yet on approval.
9. Ty said paintball is off the table for now for his event (cost, interest, etc)

NEW BUSINESS

1. Mershons have some donations for raffle table- pet basket and a bracelet. Mandy will make cookies for the Sweets and Staches event.
2. Ty suggested a new event- Trivia night- possibly at the FOP in greenfield or Ros Bar? Ty will bring more information at a later meeting.
3. Frank Utt suggested we look into the Hartford City Civil War days to set up a booth or have a competition. The dates are May 11-13.
4. Atlanta Earth Festival is September 22 and 23 (sat/sun). Set up is Friday the 21st. \$140 fee. Melissa makes motion to attend again this year, one of our most profitable festivals for the organization. Jeremy, Josh, Chris 2nd.
5. Melissa will have tickets for Sweets and Staches at next meeting and will make the event public online.
6. Sam Kellermeyer and Trent have committed to volunteer their musical abilities for both the village fair and the beard comp in October.
7. Drew from the Tone Lab Society band has agreed to play our beard competition, possibly the village fair.

8. Jeremy and Melissa added some fragrance to a batch of mustache wax. Motion made by Jeremy to see if they sell well at this years festivals (approved- unanimous) and if we should add them to our regular rotation (to be determined)
9. Motion made by Melissa to help with bearded hero 3, either a basket for the raffle table with merch, or as a category sponsor (\$50). Josh 2nd, but made an additional motion to do both. Approved-unanimous.
10. Lapel High school Band- needs a trailer to haul instruments and equipment for marching band. Jeremy/Melissa will reach out and see what amount they are in need of.

Being no further business, meeting was adjourned at 7:48pm