Tri-County Beard & Mustache Society Meeting Minutes- October 18th, 2018

 TCBMS held a meeting October 18th, 2018 at Lapel Eagles, Lapel, IN. Start time 6:40pm.
-Members present were: Jeremiah Crafton, Melissa Crafton, Josh Eaks, Ashley Eaks, Chris Mershon, Jason Crouse, John Gilson, Karen Gilson, Ty Chittum, Brandi Chittum, Jordan Cook, Mandy Mershon

Previous minutes were read by Ashley and approved.

2. Treasurer's Report- As of today, bank balance is \$14,247.62. We paid out: 4.77 raffle supplies, 23.54 raffle supplies, 6.01 trophy blocks and baskets, 17.33 winex6 bottles for beards and brushes,12.78 goodwill-blank grey tshirts, 26.95 raffle ticket rollsx4. We took in (2.73) bank dividend, John Gilson standard online dues 28.83, Jen and Brad Anderson support dues 30.00, 284.00 cash deposit from Atlanta Earth Festival, 91.14 debit deposit from Atlanta Earth Festival.

3. Before beginning with regular meeting discussion, President Jeremiah Crafton discussed the new event proposal form with the club and further discussed the issues surrounding why this is being implemented. Any future questions regarding this can be directed to him. Reminder that we are an Indiana State charity 1st, beard club 2nd.

Beards & Brushes date was changed to October 21, due to scheduling conflict with the Eagles. Will update next meeting. We could use some finger foods donated if anyone is willing. We still have tickets.
Atlanta Earth Festival- totals discussed in treasury report. We didn't fare as well as last year, but we always have a great time. Thank you to those members who came to sit with us at the booth, it was greatly appreciated. We also met Terry and Lee from Matrix Beard Company who was set up there this year.
Ty is still going to push forward with the Trivia Night at Snappers. Adults only. He will get a date. This event was approved at the March meeting.

7. Fox 59 interview is this weekend. Josh, Jeremy and Melissa will appear. ?? _____ Made a motion for Ty's recruitment event requirement to be filled by the setting up of this interview with the news station. Josh, Jeremy 2nd. Majority vote yes. Approved.

8. We have yet to hear from the student that Ashely sent in our direction for assistance.

9. For the Christmas beard bash, we need to have 2 raffle baskets and/or items for the raffle table. The rest of the details can be found on the event page on FB. Mandy Mershon will donate one basket.

10. Jordan and Josh will gather more info regarding a disc golf charity event for 2019.

11. Josh Eaks made a motion to appoint Jeff Wren as head of committee for the Spring 2019 golf outing. Jeremy, Jordan 2nd. Majority vote yes. Approved.

NEW BUSINESS

- 1. New Member applications: Jacob Layman-standard, Brad Anderson and Jen Anderson-both support. Motion made by Jeremiah Crafton to approve all 3. Melissa, Chris 2nd. All 3 approved.
- The 2018 Great American Beard and Moustache Championships were fantastic. Melissa and Jeremiah represented TCBMS and Melissa brought home 2nd place, tied with first place, Natalie Johnston! RVA did a great job and raised over \$25,000 for the pink ink fund and the humane society.
- 3. We received some new donations for the raffle table- Signed Chicago Cubs photo (value\$200) Wilson Contrearas, Indy 11 donated two tickets. More should be coming in. We're up to over 40 items now.
- 4. Jeff and Marian Wren donated a trumpet to TCBMS. Jeremiah will take to Slick next time he goes.
- 5th Anniversary Competition dates were discussed. If MV keeps the Monsters Ball on the last weekend of October, we will need to move our date. The 5th of October was suggested (first weekend)

Being no further business, meeting was adjourned at 8:17pm