

REMER AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
MONTHLY MEETING MINUTES
June 9, 2015

OFFICERS PRESENT: Bob Stoeckel, Scott Kesti and Kim Archer

MEMBERS PRESENT: Alicia Burgers, Shane Dugan, Su Ugstad, Dan Russell, Pat O'Neil, Walt Scollard and Kathy Marnik

- Meeting called to order at 5:00 pm by President, Bob Stoeckel
- Additions and approval of agenda
- Motion to accept agenda

M/S/P D Russell/ P O'Neil/Passed

- Meeting minutes from the last meeting were looked over
- Motion to accept minutes

M/S/P S Ugstad/S Dugan/Passed

FINANCIAL REPORT:

- Julie was sick; no report submitted

LIBRARY REPORT:

- No-one present from the Library; no report submitted

OLD BUSINESS:

1. 2015 Insurance Update – Bob:
 - The insurance should drop about \$200 a year as long as the Caboose is safe with better steps and railing.
2. Chamber website blog – Su:
 - She has gotten a couple information sheets; but she still needs more
 - She would like more old Remer pictures sent to her; throw back Thursday is a hit
 - We have 152 “likes” on Facebook
3. 4th of July Picnic & Bingo – Bob:
 - Need Volunteers
 - Come Eat and Play Bingo!
4. Summer Ideas – Scott:
 - Crazy Daze Sale on Saturday June 20
 - Library Open House
 - Garbage Pickup Day
 - Dave DeLost will be calling businesses for their ad
5. Caboose Update – Scott:
 - Pete is back painting – doing an awesome job!
 - Scott will be installing the lockers, etc. after Pete is finished
 - Need volunteers to help Scott
 - Lake Country Power – \$1,500 donation to finish the Caboose!!
 - Waiting on the Electrical piece to see how much money is left after everything else is finished
 - Grand Opening will be Harvest Festival
6. Kids Day Update – Cheire:
 - Unfortunately Cheire was not able to attend – no kids day this year – but we are hoping to plan this for next year
7. Fall Has It All – Alicia:
 - Brochure and Posters are being printed
8. Garage Sale Update – Alicia:

- There were only five (5) people signed up this year
- 14 last year
- Try again next year

- Motion to accept Old Business:

M/S/P P O'Neil/D Russell/Passed

NEW BUSINESS:

1. Fishing Report – Kathy Marnik from Timber Trails Resort:
 - Kathy would like to do a weekly fishing report for “Explore MN” Website
 - Anybody can submit a report – must be submitted by Wednesday each week
 - Kathy will do the rest
 - Su will post the information on the Chamber website also
 - Send your information to: kathy@timbertrailsresort.com
 - Information needed: Where (city/town & lake), What's biting, What bait was used and Your pictures are welcome
2. Decorating Committee:
 - Brackets and flags are in, but not up
 - Lake Country Power put the stuff on the poles for Christmas Decoration
 - Pat O'Neil donated a trailer and Al donated a barrel for watering the planters around town, Pat needs to pick up a spigot and he is ready to go!

Be sure and give a Huge Thank You to the following:

- **Sara Holter** for cleaning up the outside of the Depot- look great!
- **Holter Mowing Services** for the great job they are doing mowing and keeping it looking so nice!
- **Lake Country Power** for cutting down the dead tree, preparing the light poles for Christmas, the Wonderful, multiple donations to finish the Caboose and the donation for Fire Works for this Harvest Festival
- **Jerry and Angie** for cutting up the dead tree and removing it!

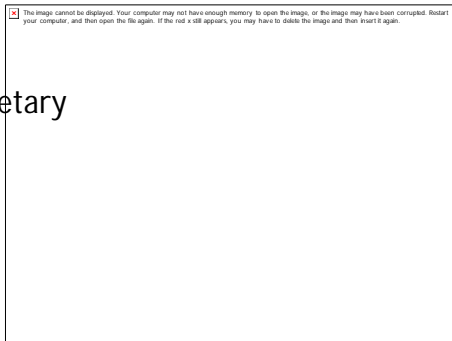
We are truly Blessed in Remer MN

- Motion to Adjourn:

M/S/P S Ugstad/A Burgers/Passed

**NEXT MEETING 5 pm:
July 14th
At The Depot**

Submitted by:
Kim Archer
Chamber Secretary



**HAVE A SAFE AND HAPPY FOURTH
OF JULY!**