



of East Palestine, Ohio

Minutes – October 17, 2011, 7pm

Welcome to Members, New Members and Guests – brought to order at 7:02pm

I - Old Business Updates-

- A. Chamber Office-needs interior work: studs/drywall/paint etc.-contact Joyce or CH McCutcheon or Don
- B. Flower Pots- Taking orders / Memorial Brick Sales forms available
- C. Farmer's Market-Continues thru the end of October, Thursdays from 3pm-6pm
- D. Turkey Trot-Comcast News Maker Filming scheduled for Friday, need Charity Finalized: Potential Charities: Toys for Tots and DARE
- E. Punt, Pass and Kick sectional competition October 15th-one EP participant moving on
- F. Veteran's and Park Mural Update-no progress on Veterans', Park Mural more than ½ completed
- G. Nathan Foster haunted Park-going well, continues on Saturdays in Oct & Halloween night
- H. Information Sheet for Candidates-Welcome to Candidates running for School Board, City Council and Mayor of EP. Endia volunteered to take photos of each candidate at the end of the meeting for the info form. Present at tonight's meeting were: Fran Figley, City Council; Linda Rhodes, City Council; Chris Wischerman, Mayor; Sandy Wales, City Council; Endia Wisser, City Council; Doug Lammert, School Board; Chuck McGuire, City Council; Brian Moore, School Board; John Hersh, School Board; Margo Zuch, Mayor.
- I. Candidates in the December Chamber Board election: Jason Whitehead and Joyce McCutcheon. Julie Young will not be running for re-election.

II - New Business

- A. Car Cruise in August-Nostalgia Truck Haulers club asked Chamber to over the event
- B. Christmas Craft Show-update: Bonnie needs volunteers for setting up Friday, Nov 11th in the evening and Saturday, all day.
- C. Marketing Group-? No discussion
- D. Member Suggestions-Input-Involvement:
Ozer Ministries is having an Open House during the Home Tours, raffling off a 19" flat screen TV

III – Spotlight on Three- Members needed to promote their business

If there are any thoughts or suggestions that you would like to bring to floor of a Chamber Meeting, please notify one of the Chamber Directors to be added to the agenda for the next meeting.

Meeting adjourned at 7:34pm.

Mission Statement

Working to support a business community that is prosperous, creates opportunities and enhances the economic quality of life in East Palestine, Unity and Negley.

We are committed to actions and programs that will assist long-term economic development and job growth within the business communities.

We value business education, innovation and the continued pursuit of excellence in business management, operations and service.