

Historic Appomattox Railroad Festival – June 9, 2010 – Meeting Minutes

A Historic Appomattox Railroad Festival meeting was held on June 9, 2010 at 6:00 p.m. at the Town of Appomattox Building on 210 Linden Street, Appomattox, VA 24522.

Members Present: Rick Butler, Josie Butler, Debbie Baine, Will Simmons and Rhonda Guill.

Will called the meeting to order.

A motion was made by Rick, seconded by Josie to approve minutes from last meeting. All voted ay. Motion carried.

Treasures Report - \$29,875.00

Report of Committees

- Arts and Crafts – Rhonda reported we have 22 vendor/26 spaces sold and 5 non-profit vendors with 6 spaces sold.
- Concessions – Rhonda reported we have 20 Vendors/27 spaces sold.
- Parade – Rick said he would find a back up Grand Marshall if Leland Melvin could not attend.
- Recreation – Will reported he is trying to get hot air balloon rides. Rhonda reported we have a quote from Five Blessing Farm for Pony Rides. The price is \$200.00 per hour and the kids ride for free or they will charge for each pony ride and the festival pays nothing. We decided to talk to Vickie Dean and Bonnie Tiltson to get prices from them before making a decision.
- Good Ole Days – 1 Vendor
- Music – Will and Rhonda will schedule a meeting with Ken before next meeting to discuss music budget and schedule.
- Exhibits and Displays – Will reported the Museum of Confederacy has confirmed. All exhibitors from last year have confirmed and will be attending.
- Logistics – We decided to have the Teddy Bear Parade route added to the map this year.
- Antique Car Show – Nothing to report.
- Fireworks – Nothing to report.
- Fireman's Competition – Nothing to report.
- Street Dance – Rhonda reported Donna Nash has booked Out of Spite for \$1,00.00. She will get the contract to Will and Roxanne to sign.
- Sponsors – Rhonda reported we now have 9 sponsors totaling \$2,950.00.
- Teddy Bear Parade – Debbie reported she would like to have preregistration this year and cut off registration a minimum of 10 minutes prior to start of parade. Rick suggested have a coloring contest of Smoky Bear and give stuffed Smoky Bears as prizes. Debbie asked to have Morton Lane closed at start of parade for safety reasons, Rhonda said she would talk to Wilson Staples and ask him to have an officer block the road. Debbie said if Wee Cycle was not sponsoring trophies this year the Girl Scout Troop would do it.

Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned. The next HARF meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, July 7, 2010 at 6:00 p.m. at the Town of Appomattox Building on 210 Linden Street, Appomattox, VA 24522.