

Sabetha Chamber of Commerce

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April 16, 2018 Agenda

BOARD MEETING – The meeting was called to order by the Chamber’s president, Dayra Menold, those present were: Brandy Meyer, Julie Burenheide, Cindy Alderfer, Brendon Garrett, Marlene Bosworth, Robert Wahwasuck and Gina Murchison.

Call to Order:

Approve the Minutes:

Julie Burenheide made the motion to accept the minutes as read and Cindy Alderfer seconded the motion. The minutes were approved and filed.

Accept the Financial Reports:

Cindy Alderfer made the motion to accept the financial reports and Marlene Bosworth seconded the motion. The financial reports were filed.

Kansas National Guard:

Gina Murchison had the pleasure of being invited to an event the Kansas National Guard sponsored on March 28th at the Highland Community College. It was a Blackhawk Orientation Flight Program where they discussed the history and current opportunities within the Kansas National Guard.

Membership:

The Sabetha Chamber would like to welcome one new member, the Twister Car Club.

Unfinished Business:

By-Laws:

We need 85 votes to approve the changes to the By-Laws. We have 36.

Chamber Brochure:

The brochure is almost finished....all we need is a few more photos.

Chamber Phone:

The Chamber has upgraded our cell phone to a smart phone. We can be reached at the same phone number 785-285-2139.

New Business:

City Wide Clean-Up:

City Wide Clean-Up is April 25. Volunteers will be around to collect non-hazardous items that the trash collectors normally don't take. We ask that these items be placed near the curb by 8:00 am. Please set aside anything containing metal or batteries. We do not take motors, construction material and everyday trash. For large items like appliances and large furniture please call the City Dispatch (284-2158) to schedule a pick up. Please have all food items emptied out of the appliances. This service is provided by the City of Sabetha, SHS Seniors, Sabetha Chamber of Commerce and many other businesses & volunteers that donate their time and supplies.

1. Landfills have been notified.
2. SBS is cooking and donating the meal for lunch
3. Garrett Country Mart and Casey's are donating breakfast.
4. We still need trucks and trailers

2018 Chamber Golf Tournament:

The 13th Annual Chamber Golf Tournament will take place on May 18th at the Sabetha Golf Club. Registration starts at 8:30 am and the tournament begins at 9:30. The proceeds from the tournament always go towards the improvement of Sabetha. Past purchases include Christmas decorations & lights and the Downtown PA system. We are currently saving for a new community website and are going to refurbish the old owl sign from 1960.

Angela McGuire/Sabetha Chamber Scholarship:

We are awarding two \$1000 scholarships. The applications have been reviewed and the top choices are: Brandon Brownlee and Sonja Menold. We have an invitation to the academic banquet. The reception is on April 27 from 6:30-7:00 pm in the SHS Commons. During this time we are encouraged to visit with the seniors and discuss their future plans.

Rodeo Theme:

The theme for 2018 is "Ridin' for the Red, White & Blue!"

SEDC Annual Meeting:

We are invited to the annual meeting on May 4th at the Glacial Hills Resource Center. Lunch is served from 11:30-12:00 and the business meeting at noon.

Grains for Hope Academy:

Grains for Hope Alumni is sponsoring an academy for students age 14-18. The

event will be June 25-29 from 9 am to noon at the Glacial Hills Business Resource Center located at 913 Dakota Street. The Grains for Hope Alumni Mentors will be teaching the student how to develop good employee skills. The application is available at sabethachamber.com.

Announcements

The Sabetha Chamber has changed the monthly board meetings to the second Monday of each month.

The next meeting will be May 13th at noon. We meet in the small commission room at City Hall. Everyone is invitedwe encourage new, fresh ideas!!

Meeting Adjourned
Gina Murchison Director