

Warrior to Citizen - Meeting Minutes 9/2209

Attendees: Annette Kuyper, Lisa Sammlar, Bev Ersfeld, Jean Lesetmoe, Barb Frank, Roberta Kruger, Joe Folz, Steve Kuyper, John Guist, Chaz Johnson, Paulette Olson, Karen Ogden, Scott Mills, Brad Kruger

Wall of Heroes: We still need volunteers to sign up to work a shift at the Haunted House 10/9 and 10/10. Sign up tab on the website. Scott Mills brought information about displays that we could consider purchasing since building a display would be expensive and hard to move from place to place because of the weight of the wood. The committee decided to purchase a display unit and attempt to spend somewhere between \$1200-1500 or possibly more if need be.
UPDATE: A display has been ordered with a carrying case. We will have it in time for the Haunted House.

T-Shirts: Our goal is to have our shirts available for the Haunted House. There was a problem with the artist's logo but that issue is being resolved.
UPDATE: Annette followed up with Steve Berger the artist to get the correct info to the Northfield t-shirt place.

Fall Community Training: October 20th at St. Michael's Catholic Church from 7-8:30p.m. Colonel Kevin Gerdes and John Kriesel will be the speakers. Karen Ogden will create the flyers for the event.

Roctoberfest: Joe Folz spoke about the Farmington Rotary and explained that all money raised goes directly back into the community. The Family Fun Event will be Oct. 3rd, at the Dakota County Fairgrounds from 2-11p.m. There is a vendor who needs some volunteers from the W2C group to help with his booth. 20% of the money will go to W2C, 20% to the Rotary and 60% to the vendor. Sign up on the W2C website. W2C will also be allowed to but information about us and our upcoming activities in the gift bags the Rotary is giving out at the event.

ACTION: Annette will work with Karen to ge the flyers to Joe by Monday

New Action Plans:

Patriotic Day – November 7th at Farmington High School. Desserts will be served with an Army Band giving a concert at 7p.m. Booths will be set up from 5:30-7p.m. and families will be encouraged to attend. Tickets must be pre-ordered for the concert. Volunteers will be needed to help at the W2C booth.

December Cookie Fundraiser – Kara Hildreth is organizing this fundraiser for W2C. The date will be December 6th at 1:00 at the TC Davis House. We may need some volunteers to help with the event.

March Family Night at the Farmington Police Dept. – We are looking at holding this event Tues. March 2nd with contest, snack and beverages and McGruff as well as a police dog and tour of the police department.

ACTION: Steve will check with Chief Lindquist to see if we can get this date on the calendar.

Mother's Luncheon – The date will be either May 1st or May 8th. Annette will put this event on next month's agenda to discuss a location.

Business Project – Businesses who support our military families will be given a wonderful decal for their business window. This support could be in the form of a discount, skill, buy one, get one free, etc. Annette and Ron (and anyone else who wants to) will serve on the committee to contact local Farmington businesses to see how they would like to earn one of these great decals.

Treasury Report – We have approximately \$7200 in our account.

Next Meeting Date:
October 27th, 6:30p.m.
Farmington City Hall

Changed meeting dates because of holidays:
Nov. 17th
Dec. 8th