**Friendly Sons of St. Patrick**

**Spring 2013 Members: Pres. Bob O'Hern, Treas. Tim Schuck, Vice Pres. Mike O'Connell, Secretary Ed Kelly,**

**Bill McCarthy, Mike Murphy, Jim O'Donnell, Tony Schmid, Bree Young**

**FSOSP Board Meeting for Mon., July 29, 2013**

**Location** Mickle Center, 1620 Pleasant, Des Moines, IA, 50314 (515) 277-SONS

**Call to Order**  6:13 p.m. **Roll Call** A quorum was present. Missing: O'Hern, Murphy, O'Donnell

**Treasurer's Report**  Approved...overall balance $31,300

**Members Input/Forum** Jerry Grady attended to assist with upcoming Irish Open disc golf event plans.

**Discussion & Reports**

\*Aug. 3 Irish Open: 10 volunteers signed up to help. There will be a shelter house in use this year. T-Bone will cook hot dogs. About 70 players are expected; 80 discs are printed.

\*Two Rivers Feile on Aug. 3 is to be attended by McCarthy, who will man a table with merch & raffle tickets. A banner will be dropped off on Friday night and the event is 10-4 at Vets Auditorium.

\*O'Connell will contact Rhoades to obtain a banner advertising bike ride raffle tickets (along with merch) to be sold at the Aug. 23 Gaelic Storm concert.

\*Plans for the Sept. 21 bike ride include O'Connell acquiring bandanas ($470 for 600) and decorated water bottles. O'Connell will contact the board with prices. Volunteers are needed and will sign up at the August meeting.

\*Oct. 6 picnic will be held at the Raccoon River Park, Coneflower A shelter from 1-5 p.m. All will bring a side dish to share, to go with hot dogs and burgers that are provided.

\*New Sully's owners, Bill and Amy Boggs, are added to the "Friends" list and will be invited to the August meeting.

\*Donations: 1) Lt. Gonzalez med expenses: club will collect donations at the next meeting and match them (up to $500).

2) Mosaic: $500 donation still on hold until Murphy finalizes the couch purchase.

3) $1000 to CMA is approved, but will be held until October.

4) Tom Ward memorial of $50 to Melrose's Mt. Calvary Cemetery.

\*Young will bring beer to the August meeting.

\*Board members shared the duty of personalizing invites to all "Friends of the Friends" to be mailed for the August meeting. That meeting is also planned as a collection time for food pantry items.

**Adjournment** 8:12 p.m.

**Next Meeting: Mon., Aug. 26, 2013**