**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 Tues., May 28, 2013 [\*Memorial Day delay]**

**Location** Exile Brewing, top floor

**Call to Order**  6:19 p.m. **Roll Call** A quorum was present. Missing: Young

**Treasurer's Report**  Approved...overall balance $35,000

Note made that overall events inflow is up 7K, but expenses are up 22K

**Members Input/Forum** No non-board owners attended.

**Discussion & Reports**

**\*McCarthy was all aglow over his newly acquired grill**... $400 from Sam's Club (6 ft. with EIGHT burners!!)

**\* Leprechaun Open** is scheduled for Sat., June 1:

54 golfers have signed up. Pat & Mike O'Connell are handling the trophies, with Fogarty doing the raffle prizes and winner gift cards. Dinner is at 5 p.m. and is open to non-golfers this year.

**\* O'Donnell Open** is scheduled for Friday, June 28:

160 golfers are allowed & the slots are full.

**\*Disc Golf Open** is scheduled for Aug. 3 at Grand View Park:

$25 fee receives a collector putter. 35 played last year & hopes are to hit 45 this year. Registration at 9:30

**\*The proposed bus trip to Waterloo's Irish Fest will be cancelled** due to lack of interest.

**\*Fall Bike Ride** needs more sponsors and raffle tickets will be started at the end of July.

**\*Fall Picnic:**

Will be tried one more time on a Sunday in early October at the Raccoon River Park shelter. Low turnout/interest will maybe lead to cancelling this in the future.

**\*Proposed outing with the Cubs:**

Again, a low turnout has made this questionable. O'Hern will look into connecting with the Mentor, IA program and our possibly sponsoring them and Murphy will look for a possible Sunday date in July or August.

**\*Club Plaques:**

G. Heddinger will provide easels to display the plaques at our meetings and we will explore the possibility of having them hung permanently in the Mickle meeting room.

**\*Menu for the next meeting** will be "Hawaiian" themed with pork chops & extras.

**\*Donations requests:**

Thank you note from Best Buddies (recently given $1000) was shared at the table. The board will donate $500 to St. Vincent De Paul for a freezer and have Murphy look into the most practical way to provide Mosaic with $500 of their needs. Also, the club will sponsor a hole in the June 22 Fairway for Fathers golf outing for $250.

The board decided against donating to Larry Kelley's IA run event as it doesn't fit our guidelines.

Funds requests from Wildwood Hills Ranch, Camp Sunnyside (regatta), and Children and Family Urban ministries (golf tourney) were also denied.

**\*Donation from Exile Brew:**

R.J. Tursi, manager of Exile Brew, gave the club a check for $500 as a St. Pat's event donation.

**Adjournment** 7:49 p.m. (a record?)

**Next Meeting: Mon., June 24, 2013**