

09/29/2025 FSOSP BOARD MEETING MINUTES

ROLL CALL: McCarty, Dye, Soliday, O'Connor, Schmid, Schuck, Tilton, Corben,

ABSENT: DeMoss,

GUESTS:

LOCATION: Mickle Center

CALL TO ORDER: 6:06 P.M.

CURRENT PAID MEMBERS: 69 + 1 new member

LAST MONTH'S MEETING ATTENDANCE: 23

-TREASURER'S REPORT-

BALANCE: \$17,483.95

-PAST EVENTS-

- Minutes went unread

CAR SHOW:

Was held September 14th

\$3635 total taken in, expenditures for food, trophies, etc. Still have monies out from cashbox at food table (T-Bone)

1 pig partial left over, decided to use for meetings.

Craig Lein won the 50/50 and donated it back to the club. \$365.

Secretary needs list of sponsors, contacts, vendors, and contacts, as well as anything else needed for the show for pre planning for spreadsheet. (Tilton, Corbin.)

-UPCOMING EVENTS-

BAGS TOURNEY:

- Bags tourney is October 11th, at Sulley's \$30 per team
- We will start promoting the parade and pre-party with flyers and such.
- 50/50 raffle, prize raffle, and bags of bucks.
- Signup is the day of only.

Christmas Party:

- 12/1 is the date at Chicago Speakeasy
- 66 total guests, everything else is the same as last year
- Menu: Prime Rib, Pork Chop, Mahi Mahi, Ribs/ Chicken, Alfredo, any side, plus salad bar
- \$40 per person pre-paid.

Pre-Paddy Party:

- Saturday before parade March 14th
- Everything pretty much the same as last year
- Need new ideas on how to make more money possibly using the parking lot and having outdoor stuff going on. Silent auction etc.

PARADE:

- Parade Raffle tickets are ready to sell.
- Marriott contract to be signed.
- City is paid
- Pre party is slated to be the same next year
- Chuck Long is out as Parade Marshall. Need new ideas.

SOCIAL MEDIA:

- All upcoming events are on Facebook
 - o Kelsey O'Connor has discussed the online scammer situation and how to avoid this in the future.
 - o Also, how to handle raffle ticket sales.
 - o From previous meeting: **DIRECTIVE- Do Not Respond if there are negative undertones to the comment. Consult the board first. If it is general info or praise, comment and build it up.**
 - o From previous meeting: Website needs updated and redesigned.

-OTHER BUSINESS-

- Monthly raffle at general meetings needs to have nicer prizes, the board is tasked with finding better stuff. T-Bone will be picking up new stuff, need more ideas on items.
- The board is going to start a member spotlight that will be both on Facebook and the Blarney. (standing item)
- Secretary is putting together a spreadsheet of sponsors and planning for the multiple fund raisers the club has; this will be published in the SOP and available to anyone in the club. This still needs done. T-Bone has his list in.
- The Secretary will be missing from the board meetings and regular meetings for the foreseeable future. (New Job) The board will get the minutes to him to publish and send out the Blarney Will also need new cooks.

DONATIONS:

- None

UPCOMING MEETINGS:

- General Meeting: October 13th
- Food – Pork Loin sandwiches, Baked Beans, Corn Bread, Dessert.
- Board Meeting: October 27th. 6:00 PM

MEETING ADJOURNED: 7:24 PM