

## **02/23/2026 FSOSP BOARD MEETING MINUTES**

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

**ABSENT:** Dye,

**GUESTS:** Connor O'Leary

**LOCATION:** Mickle Center

**CALL TO ORDER:** 6:06 P.M.

**CURRENT PAID MEMBERS:**34

**LAST MONTH'S MEETING ATTENDANCE:** 33

### **-TREASURER'S REPORT-**

**BALANCE:** \$15,217.86 + \$1,000. From Local 347 and \$2,000. From the realtor from last year \$1400. In parade entries so far,

#### **SOCIAL MEDIA:**

- All upcoming events are on Facebook
  - From previous meeting: Website needs updated and redesigned. This will be investigated for price feasibility and access.
  - 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.
  - **Start sponsor spotlights on Facebook.**
- Still in the middle of investigating web site design and hosting, but it does not compare to our current cost.

### **-PAST EVENTS-**

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

### **-UPCOMING EVENTS-**

#### **Deer Classic:**

- March 6-8 T-Bone handling details.
- Everything set up we will be selling hog raffle tickets at this event.

### **Pre-Paddy Party:**

- Saturday before parade March 14<sup>th</sup> 2-6?
- Everything is pretty much set up and ready to go.
- Everything pretty much the same as last year
- 2 food trucks maybe more. Food vendors to pay \$100
- Auctioning off Parade Marshall spot, auctioneer has volunteered this will be done during a band break. (Roughly about 4 PM.)
- Band is Fat Tuesday - \$750 plus their tip jar.
- Goodwill donation at the door.
- Flag raising at party

### **PARADE:**

- **Parade Raffle tickets NEED SOLD**
- Marriott all set.
- City is paid
- Parade route is the same Bonnies is all set still need road use permit.
- Parade meetings have started and will conclude next week.
- Pre party is slated to be the same next year
- Parade Marshall. (Auction at pre-paddy party.)
- Jimmy Daughenbaugh is Irishman of the year.
- Queen Eleanor Reynolds
- Foy dancers and band are set
- Need to check with Beaverdale shop on spot for that day at the Marriott
- Street painting is 3/15

### **Disc Golf Tourney:**

- April 25<sup>th</sup>
- Secretary to check with members on cooking that day.

### **Golf Tourney:**

- Slated for June 13<sup>th</sup>
- Entries and sponsor prices to remain the same.
- Connor O'Leary to assist with this

### **Busch Light Carnival:**

- Mid July sometime plans being made. (Most likely July 12<sup>th</sup>.)

### **Bags Tourney:**

- October 3, 10, or 17, one of those 3 dates

## **-OTHER BUSINESS-**

Last month, T-Bone discussed putting together a membership drive that would involve inviting prospective guests to the Mickle Center for an afternoon. We could have members cook up some chili and sides, and set up a presentation. DeMoss discussed the possibility of having an open house style event at various bars and misc. that have sponsored the sons in the past. Both ideas are being explored.

Baconfest is cancelled this year.

T-Bone bought new plugs for the office.

The board toured other offices to look at ideas for possibly expanding, it was decided to stay where we are.

We will clean and organize the office.

### **DONATIONS:**

- None

### **MEMORIALS**

- McCarthy's son

### **UPCOMING MEETINGS:**

- General Meeting: March 9th
- Food – None at the Marriott banquet room.
- Board Meeting: March 30th, 2026

**MEETING ADJOURNED: 7:49 PM**