10/26/2026 FSOSP BOARD MEETING MINUTES

ROLL CALL: McCarty, Dye, Soliday, DeMoss, O'Connor, Schuck, O'Leary,

ABSENT: Schmid, Corbin,

GUESTS: none

LOCATION: Mickle Center

CALL TO ORDER: 6:13 P.M.

CURRENT PAID MEMBERS: 55 paid and life members

LAST MONTH'S MEETING ATTENDANCE: 27

-TREASURER'S REPORT-

BALANCE: $18,1355.00 +/- **`Still need $2500 from Miller Pest Control.**
$407 from the bags tourney. **$3100 insurance due 12/1**
SOCIAL MEDIA:

New web site is in progress; All upcoming events are on Facebook

- **Start sponsor spotlights on Facebook.???**

-PAST EVENTS-

- Bags tourney went well with 3 less teams than last year.

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-

Parade and pre-paddy party:

- The board expressed that it would take $25,000 to move the parade date in the future.
- December 16th is the official meeting day with the city.
- Discussions about parade sponsors.
- Current rates - $100 family, $250 business, $1000 political organizations.
- Parade Marshall auction plus added items from sponsors and other items we collect.
- We are all set at the shop, they will also use their social media to promote the event.
- Need to start working on bands for that day.

-OTHER BUSINESS-

Christmas Party –

- First Monday in December
- Meal choices same meat options, any vegetable from menu and salad bar. No appetizers.
- Limited to the first 64 people
- $40 per person
- Start looking at having it later in the week rather than on a Monday.

MISC. –

- Discussion was made about cleanup and organization of the office. We will get totes or such and DeMoss will be taking the photo albums to digitize them.

Earlier this year, 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.

- The board brought up upcoming elections, President, Vice President, and Mr. Corben's spot on the board are all up for election
- There is a holiday parade scheduled for 11/28. The board decided to see if we can participate. (O'Connor got us registered and whatever is decided needs to be a holiday theme. Parade date is Saturday 11/28 staging at 9AM with parade starting at 10AM. Mention in the Blarney. All families are invited for the float.
- Member dues are coming up, mention in the Blarney.

DONATIONS: NA
MEMORIALS: NA

UPCOMING MEETINGS:

- General Meeting: November 9th
- Food – Chili, (Corbin & Jerry) Cornbread, (DeMoss) Cinnamon Rolls (Corbin)
- Board Meeting: November 30th 2026

MEETING ADJOURNED: 7:47 PM