

**SPECIAL EVENTS
MONTHLY MEETING MINUTES – MAY 21, 2015**

Present: Don Gillette, Joyce Kellogg, Jani Eichelkraut, Jim Reilly, Peggy Schneider, Mike Dougherty, and Nancy Stisser.

Absent: Phyllis Revell, Wayne Eichelkraut, Alaina Rivers and Heidy Eisert.

Minutes

The April minutes were read and approved on a motion by Joyce and second by Jani.

Old Business:

Committee Appointments: Nancy informed the committee that action might soon be taken to reappoint them. Nancy said terms are considered active until/unless an individual resigns or appointments are made. Technically, all terms have expired and the committee had questioned whether it would be reappointed in light of proposals by the council to realign events planning. At her request, all signified they were willing to be reappointed. All indications are that Special Events will remain a separate committee.

Music in the Park: The committee reviewed the schedule, which is as follows: July 11 (Gospel Night), The Kramers; July 18, The Downtowners; July 25 (Patriotic Night), The Legacy Girls; Aug. 8, Rockin' Fendershirts; Aug. 15, Class Act II; Aug. 22, The Incognitos; Aug. 29, Jim Markum Band. As before, rain location will be the 807 Building.

Cruise Night: Plans for the 17th annual event were reviewed.

New Business:

Budget: From revenues of \$363,000, the council has allocated SEC about \$44,000 for events to include: Cruise Night, Scarecrow Festival, Festival of Lights parade, Music in the Park, movie night, a local film festival, Ice Odyssey and Fourth of July. The budget also includes contingency funds.

Music in the Park sign: Don questioned how much a banner advertising the concerts might cost. He was directed by the committee to check with suppliers and report back. Banners would be placed at the corners of Washington Park the day of each concert reminding passersby of the event.

Adjournment

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 6:40 p.m. The next regular meeting is June 18, 2015.

Respectfully submitted by Peggy Schneider.