INTERLOCHEN AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

MAY10, 2017 MEETING MINUTES

Attendance: Vice-President Bob Allard, Treasurer Elizabeth Koeppen, Secretary Harold Schmidt. Directors: Laurie Bouwman, Jane Deering, Barry Havens and Bonnie Woolsey. Excused: President Clint Klabunde and Brian McAlister.

Meeting called to order by Vice-President Bob Allard at 5:37 PM

**Minutes:** Motion by Bouwman, supported by Koeppen to accept minutes as mailed. Motion carried.

**Treasurer’s Report:** Not available from Accountant – Office Manager will forward to board members when available.

**Committee Reports:**

Family Fun Day – Chairman Koeppen presented current information available for progress for the event (see attached), which included mission statement and proposal for the day’s events.

The chamber did receive a $2000.00 allotment from Green Lake Township which will cover the Bouncy Houses, Karaoke and other larger expenses with some leftover for filling in where needed. There is an acute need for volunteers for day of the event. Office Manager to send out e-mails. Discussion.

Allard – Chef of the Day

MasterCraft Cabinets – Face Painting supplies

**Office Manger’s Report:** (see attached)

**Annual Dinner:** Bradley’s will be hosting this year. OM to send out e-mail with entrée choices and reminder for nominations for Member of the Year. June 20, 2017 5:30 PM.

**Business After Hours:** Hairold’s Hair Design will host final meeting until after summer season. June 24th.

**New Business:**

May 20, 2017 – Tom’s Food Markets will be hosting Annual Emergency Services Day – Deering encourages chamber members to attend this great day filled with useful safety information delivered in a fun way for families, displays and food.

**Old Business:**

DDA – Lots of work and studying being done to enhance our downtown area. Bouwman and Schmidt reported to the board regarding possibility of “Art Houses” for artists to display their work in small rental units which would enhance the art atmosphere of our area. Discussion.

Meeting adjourned at 6:16 PM.

These minutes are subject to approval at the next regular meeting, Wednesday, June 14, 2017 at 5:30 PM-Tom’s Food Market meeting room.

Respectfully submitted by:

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Gwen Stinson – Office Manager