

HYDE PARK COMMUNITY CIRCLE MEETING MINUTES
@ Lanpher Memorial Library
September 30, 2019

1. Ice Cream Social Loose Ends

- a. Thank Yous and Gift Certificates to Suzanne & Musicians for the Jedediah Hyde Ice Cream Social. – Deb will move forward with this. 3 musicians, Ted Lambert, Joe Ciccolo and Debbie Yacavone, will receive a \$30 gift card to Fork & Gavel and Suzanne will be given a \$30 gift card to B & B Nurseries. Deb will send these with a Thank You note for their contributions to the ice cream social.

2. Hyde Park Home Day Evaluation

- a. Use of Governor’s House Lawn – seemed to be a misunderstanding of how many vendors would be on the lawn. Suzanne thought it was only 4. The list we had was 5 on the left and 4 on the right. The vendors were shared with Suzanne prior to Home Day.
- b. Vendor evaluations – we reviewed the vendor evaluations. Mostly happy vendors who will return next year. Discussed some suggestions, ideas. There’s too much data to put it all in these minutes. Actual evals are available upon request.
- c. HPCC member evaluations – we discussed the comments submitted by our members. Again, actual evals are available upon request. Everett gave a report on the raffle which was a huge success. He much appreciated the help he received from Wiffy Brooks and Nikki Houston. Deb sent out Thank You emails to those Home Day participants for whom we have email addresses. She will send out Thank You emails to those who donated to the raffle and who sponsored the event.
- d. Traffic Control (Cones & Road Signs) – had some issues with the street block offs. Some people who needed to come in for the parade and/or event had trouble getting in (e.g., tractor/wagon). A group from the select board, sheriff’s office, HPCC, possibly a fire dept. rep should meet before we do this again to make sure everyone is in sync with the final decision and can support that throughout the day.
- e. Financial Report –

- 1. **Current balance in the checking account: \$7,543.77**

- 2.

Raffle Earnings		\$521
Sponsors		\$860
Total Home Day Earnings		\$1,381
Home Day Expenses	\$848.12	
Home Day Bottom Line		\$532.88

There are still some outstanding expenses (some supplies, advertisement) to be paid and recorded for the complete 2019 Home Day event.

- f. Marketing - Judy sent an article and picture to News & Citizen and hopefully it will be in an upcoming issue.
- 3. **Hyde Park Lighting Ceremony** – need a separate meeting to pull this off. Need to find out if we can use St. Teresa's, who will do what, etc. Should meet soon if we are to put on this event.
- 4. **Judy's Resignation** – Judy Clark has decided to step down from the HPCC at the end of this year. Her letter of resignation is attached. She will be greatly missed but has agreed to continue as a resource for HPCC and to volunteer for specific tasks. Judy expressed her appreciation to Deb Henderson for all of the work she did for Home Day 2019. Deb does a lot of work behind the scenes managing the databases and Judy wanted people to be aware of Deb's contributions.
- 5. **Schedule Next Meeting** – next meeting was scheduled for October 14, 5:30 pm at the library.