

Glen Elder Community Club Meeting Minutes

Monday, 09-9-24, 7:00 PM

Attendees: Denise Jackson, Darel Stuart, Rhonda Gruwell, Jerri Senger, Annette Ybarra, Carrie Tritsch

Meeting was brought to order at 7:05 PM. The minutes were provided by Denise for all to review. The meeting began with an overview of the previous meeting's minutes and action items.

Jerri shared the invoice from Crazy Ed's Tents & Events for the rental of a 20' X 20' Tent. The estimate was \$651 for delivery, water barrels for weighting it down, and walls. Rhonda made a motion that we do not book the tent this year and look at other options and/or even purchase a lower priced tent for use this year in lieu of spending over \$600 for a rental. All agreed.

Rhonda recommended looking at Grant options for the purchase of a tent, light system and heaters for the Glen Elder Community Club for future use.

Shane Abram provided Jerri with an update on the Corn Hole Tournament including preregistration for this isn't necessary. Registration will be 2:00 – 2:30 PM for the event to start at 3:00 PM. Half of the entry fee will go to the Community Club. Darel advised as the MC for the event, he'd still like to have the participants' names for announcement purposes. Darel also recommended the Corn Hole Tournament be in his lot next to Stortz and the Senior Center and the City's two porta-potties set up behind the park. Darel had previously discussed with Nancy Stortz the possibility of providing hot chocolate, coffee, and popcorn at Stortz's or in the Gazebo.

Current Agenda for the Chili Cook-Off:

- 8:00 AM – Chili Cook-Off Registration at the Legion
- 9:00 AM – Meat Check & Cooking Begins
- 10:30 AM – 1:00 PM – Mazie's Bake Sale & Drinks Fundraiser for International School Trip
- 11:00 AM – 1:00 PM – Chili and Chili Dogs Lunch Fundraiser for Kids Shopping Event at the Legion
- 12:30 PM – Judging Begins
 - 12:30 PM – Salsa
 - 1:00 PM – Burger
 - 1:30 PM – Kids Appetizer
 - 2:00 PM – Traditional Chili
 - 2:30 PM – Hot 'N Spicy Chili
 - 3:00 PM – Anything Goes
- 2:00 – 2:30 PM Corn Hole Tournament Registration
- 3:00 PM Corn Hole Tournament Begins
- 4:00 PM – Winner Announcements
- 4:00 PM – Food Vendors – Big T's & Cattilac Grill
- 4:30 PM or following Winner Announcement – Dice Run sponsored by the Glen Elder Library
- 7:00 – 10:00 PM – Community Dance with entertainment by Pete Giles sponsored by Cunningham

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Items that need finalized for the Chili Cook-Off are:

- Location of the band
- Tent or cover for the band
- Patio Heaters
- Sending Registration Forms to prior Chili Cook-off participants and for handouts
- Advertisement Plan (Waconda Trader and other avenues of advertisement such as Community Calendar, Local Channel, City Website, Flyers, etc.) to ensure event awareness with the other events scheduled for the same day
- Sending Vendor Registration Form (\$15 early registration and \$20 registration the day of)

- Jerri or Alica to reach out to Dunstan for Trash Bins for the event

Rhonda made a motion to purchase \$100 in tickets for the Glen Elder Mural 50/50 Raffle. If the Community Club happens to win, the winnings minus the \$100 will be donated back to the Mural program. Denise seconded the motion. All agreed.

The next meeting will be Monday, 10/14/24 at 5:30 PM. Follow the Glen Elder Community Club on Facebook for updates and volunteers or donations needed and visit the Glen Elder Community website <https://www.glenelder.com/ge-community-club.html> for meeting notes, a copy of the donation form and a list of events for 2024.

Topics for the next meeting:

- Finalizing Chili Cook-Off planning
- Trunk-or-Treat October 31st
- Basket Fundraiser with Winners Announced Holiday Lighting

Meeting adjourned at 8:15 PM.