

Strawberry Point Chamber Board Minutes–May 31, 2011

President Abbie Thompson called the meeting to order at 7:01 a.m. Additional board members present were Mike Tucker, Wally Rowcliffe, Lorna Sheckles, Vicki Rettinger, Brenda Landis and Larry Klostermann. Absent was Lisa Meyer. Also present were Chamber of Commerce Secretary Amanda Whittle and Mayor Dale Fox.

The minutes and treasurer's report were approved.

Old Business: Strawberry Days events were finalized. A motion was made by Lorna Sheckles to purchase package three from Kid Again Inflatables which includes the Tiger Bouncer and Full-Court Press for Friday and Saturday. Seconded by Vicki Rettinger, all ayes; motion carried. The chamber will host a volunteers/presentation of final Strawberry Days schedule on Monday, June 6th at City Hall. Finalizing set-up and other details were discussed. The chamber will get a money sandpit for the kids as well as look into a "kiss the pig" contest. The Chamber is still looking for volunteers to help any capacity. Contact Amanda at 933-4417 for a list of opportunities. Strawberry Point t-shirts are now for sale at Strawberry Point Drug, Backhome Country Cookin' and the Chamber office. Cost is \$10 and they come in pink, blue, green, and yellow.

New Business: No new business was discussed as the meeting focused on Strawberry Days.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:05 a.m. The next Chamber Board meeting will take place Monday, June 13th, at the Franklin Hotel. The chamber board would like to invite any chamber member to attend this or any other chamber board meeting. Hope to see you there!

Respectfully Submitted,

Signature _____ Date _____
Amanda Whittle, Secretary

Special Vote: On Friday, June 3, a vote was taken by e-mail to book All Star Attractions from Iowa City for \$2,500 to be paid by an anonymous community member. This community member will get reimbursed if the Chamber receives their deposit back from Candyland Amusements, and if not, the anonymous person has agreed to pay for the amusement rides from All Star Attractions. Voting yes to book All Star Attractions included Larry Klostermann, Lorna Sheckles, Brenda Landis, Mike Tucker, and Vicki Rettinger. All Star Attractions was booked on June 3, 2011 for \$2,500. All Star Attractions will bring a swinging pirate ship and a carousel.