

The Rotary Clubs Of Gainesville Foundation, Inc.
Board Meeting Minutes
July 31st, 2014

THE RGCF met on July 31st, 2014, at John Brunner's Residence. Present were: Chairperson Susan Spain, 2014 Feast Master Jason Shank, Wes Eubank, Charlie Palmer, Buddy Crevasse, Robert Wigglesworth, Greg Young, Chad King, John Brunner, Ruth Brunner, Pam (Eastside), Kirk Smith and Ernie Turbyfill.

Feast Master Jason Shank called the meeting to order at 7:11 PM. Topics of discussion were:

- I. The board approved the minutes from the last meeting.
- II. The 10 year contract with Coca-Cola has expired. We are attempting to meet with Coca-Cola to see if they are interested in renewing the contract. Greg Young agreed to contact the Coke representative to give last years plaque and discuss new potential contract.
- III. Clean up for the festival was discussed. It was agreed we would have three consecutive Saturdays before the festival and the Saturday after the festival.
- IV. Sheriff Explorer's were discussed and that we need more explorers and better supervision of them. We need to assign one person to oversee the clean up by the explorers the night of the festival.
- V. The parking lot improvement was discussed and the scope of work was reviewed. Scherer Construction is to perform the work.
- VI. Parking attendants are needed. We discussed using the Sheriff Explorers or possibly using the Young Marines or Boy Scouts. We need at least 15 youth helpers.
- VII. Gainesville Ice and Burkhart (Beer provider) were discussed for their coordination. Greg Young agreed to help, again, with contacting them and organizing deliveries.
- VIII. The VIP tent was discussed and possible tweaks to making it better; location, food service, security, number of VIP's, the tent, etc. Further discussion to be done.
- IX. Verify that Tom Collett will again provide the PA system. Aim speakers away from VIP tent.
- X. Discussed ways to get all club members to buy their 5 tickets. That alone would make the festival a money maker. How do we put peer pressure on the members to buy their tickets?
- XI. Who will the entertainment band be. Further discussion is needed.
- XII. Add to the recipient application; How will applicant help us advertise the event. Both internally in the club and externally to the public.
- XIII. Robert Wigglesworth agreed to handle the EMT's and Waste Management.

8:12PM Meeting Adjourned