

St. Clare of Assis Men's Club Meeting Minutes: October 2, 2017

In attendance: 4 Officers, 45 Members and 0 Priest.

Meeting came to order at 7:44 p.m.

The President Ivan Croghan opened with a prayer and the Pledge of Allegiance followed.

One new member, Bob Climt.

The minutes from the September meeting were read by Secretary Engelbart. A motion to accept the minutes was made by, you guessed it, the unrelenting mover of motions, Bill Cannon. The motion was seconded by the group. The motion carried unanimously.

The Treasurer's Report was provided by Treasurer Guntli. A motion to accept was made by Mr. Cannon. The motion was seconded by Curt Meyer. The motion carried unanimously.

Command staff from the Metro West Fire Protection District paid our Men's Club a visit. Battalion Chief and parish member, Joe Haefer, discussed Proposition V which will be on the ballot on November 7. Chief Mike Krause also spoke and provided details and asked for support. (Thereafter, Joe became a dues paying member).

Old Business

Santa Boxes for the Troops: We have four parish members over the seas. Items to donate were discussed. Bring items to the November meeting and Lou Pavia will mail them out over Thanksgiving. This is a great way to thank those serving our country and letting them know we are thinking of them over the holidays. Newberry mentioned that we could donate 50/50 to help pay for and collect items.

Icemaker in Cafeteria: Appropriations Committee returned the decision to give the okay to spend up to \$2,000 and split 50/50 with the SCA Athletic Department to buy a new icemaker. No purchase has been decided upon, but the funds are approved and a vote will be taken when exact details of a purchase are known.

40 Days for Life: Pray to end abortion and that those contemplating abortion will have a change of heart. Parish's time to pray is October 11 from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. A sign-up sheet was sent around.

Winter Event for Men's Club: Themes discussed. Event will be on January 27.

New Business:

Golf Tournament: Russ said save the date of May 19th.

Oktoberfest: Presale of 50/50 raffle tickets is up to \$3,820. Curt Meyer thanked the chairman. The event was discussed. It is Friday night, October 6th. Pray for good weather.

Knights of Columbus Tootsie Roll Drive: Bill Cannon spoke that the Knights will be raising funds and awareness for those with intellectual disabilities.

Miscellaneous Announcements:

Men's Club Christmas Party: Mark your calendars for December 14, 6 p.m. to 11 p.m. -- to be held at Clancy's Pub off of Kehrs Mill.

Thank You Notes: None.

Protecting God's Children Class: Every member needs this class to participate in volunteer events. Men's Club is only to give its roster to the rectory and complies with this request. The rectory enforces attendance and participation as the Men's Club is not provided a list of those members who have completed the class.

Website: update your information on the website, request agenda items for the next meeting, or read those super-entertaining, fun-filled, Old Meeting Minutes.

Next meeting: Monday, November 6, 2017 at 7:30 p.m.

Clean up your table and assist and VOLUNTEER IN THE KITCHEN.

Monthly raffle drawing: 50/50 winner was Terry Councilor; Rico Red winner: Bill Deemer; Callahan Swill winner: Greg Guntli.

Special prayer intentions were made and a closing prayer was led by Terry.

Meeting adjourned at 8:46 p.m.

God Bless This Men's Club
Josh Engelbart, Secretary
St. Clare of Assisi Men's Club