

St Clare of Assisi Men's Club Minutes, November 4, 2013

In attendance--50 Members, 3 Priests and 3 officers

Meeting Called to order – 8:11pm

Opening prayer lead by Fr. Christopher followed by the Pledge of Allegiance

Minutes from the Sept 30, 2013 meeting read – motion to accept 1st by Bill Cannon- 2nd Curt Meyer and carried.

Treasury report read by President Mansfield – Motion to accept 1st Mike Pool 2nd Bill Cannon and passed

OLD BUSINESS

-Oktoberfest 2013-We had great weather thanks to the Lou Pavia Sr. asking the nuns for prayers. A good time was had by all. Early results show a \$9500 profit. Good job everyone who helped out and to Chairman Meara. Only downside we need more people to volunteer and share the workload.

-Special Needs Mass thanks to the volunteers who helped out cooking and working for the Special needs mass.

NEW BUSINESS

- **Patty Short Party**-There will be another fundraising party for the Men's Club. The party will be hosted and paid for again by Bill Cannon's very generous daughter at her historic central west end mansion. Cost is \$50/ person Patty picks up the tab so all proceeds go to the club. We did not have a full house last year so there is talk that it may be shared with other organizations like the Knights. If it is shared the proceeds will be shared too. Let's not lose this wonderful fundraiser. Bring your wife and friends and enjoy a grand evening at a historic site in St. Louis.

- PTO- PTO has asked if we can provide backup beer for the Trivia Night. We told them yes and that we would donate any beer used for their event.

-Christmas Party-Will be held at Clancy's again, Thursday, December 12, 2013 beginning at 4pm. Please bring an unwrapped toy for the tots and a door prize for the drawing later. Bring cash for the 50/50.

- Santa Breakfast- Santa's usual Helper will be out of town for our Breakfast on December 8th this year. We need a volunteer to step into his shoes (and Suit). Please contact Matt Mansfield or Vic Panus if you are able to help out. Cooks will arrive at 5:30 am for breakfast preparation. If you can't make it that early just show up when you can and lend a hand please.

- Josh Englebart's wife is Chairing Trivia night and needs a few good men to set up the stage the night before at 6pm November 15th. Several members volunteered. Please show up and help those guys out if you can.

- Tootsie Rolls- The Men's club Bought 6 boxes of Tootsie Rolls from the Knights to donate to the troops.

Pay your dues please.

New Member/s – None tonight

The next men's club meeting will be December 2, 2013

Poker Night – Not in November

50/50 – \$100 won by Mike Creamer, Rico Red won by Mike Pool, Callahan Swill won by Ed

Special prayer intentions were heard and Mike led the closing prayer.

God Bless us,

Bob Hymes