

Bellevue Area Tourism & Visitors Bureau Monthly Meeting

September 30, 2015 Bellevue Community Center

The meeting was called to order by President Ray Parker at 7:00p.m.

Present were: Rose Dick, Patti Gray, Carol Marten, Greg Marten, Ray Parker, Ron Smith, Marc Weisenberger

Minutes of the August 20, 2015 meeting were accepted by the President as printed.

Treasurer's Report: Balance was \$ 2,299.31. Marc Weisenberger moved and Patti Gray seconded to accept the treasurer's report. Motion carried. Rose Dick, treasurer, presented the budget. Marc Weisenberger moved and Patti Gray seconded to accept. Motion carried. Rose then presented the financial statement. Ray Parker moved and Marc Weisenberger seconded to accept. Motion carried.

Election of Officers: Marc Weisenberger made a motion to have the same slate of officers return for another term. Patti Gray seconded. Motion carried.

Marketing Director Report: Carol Marten reported website "hits" are up from 2014 and she thinks it's because of our website's listing with **Lake Erie Shores & Islands**. **BCDF** badge will be honoring The Bellevue Hospital's 100 anniversary in 2016. We have two full pages in the Sandusky County Visitors Guide. Seventy-two letters of renewal have been mailed.

Old Business:

New Business:

Member Reports:

Art @ 106

Bellevue Society for the Arts- -

BierkellerPub/Meilenstein Hall & Catering-

Committee to Grow Bellevue-

Community Center/Rec Dept. Marc Weisenberger reported that construction for the Bike Trail is scheduled for the spring, finishing by fall. Dog Park has had donations from Selective Fund, Recycling and Eagles. It will have membership and proof of vaccinations will need to be shown. They have received a grant for restrooms at Central Park. Concrete has been poured and grass has been over seeded at Ride Park. Jungle Junction should be opened in January or February.

Harpster-Davenport Guest House

Historic Lyme Village-Ray Parker reported that Victorian Christmas, December 4, 5 and 6, is almost completely sold out. Taste of Christmas will be December 27 and 28.

Hunter's Needs-

OhioTravelDiscounts.com-

MR & NKP Railroad Museum-

Seneca Caverns-

Sorrowful Mother Shrine- Rose Dick reported that they had a good summer of ethnic Sundays. Bishop Thomas was there to celebrate a Mass for the Precious Blood's anniversary.

Respectfully submitted,

Patti Gray, Secretary

Next meeting is Thursday, November 19, at the Community Center at 7:00 p.m.