

Castle Rock Chamber of Commerce
Minutes, June 11, 2009

President Coni Bush called the meeting to order at 8:30 a.m.

Members present: Tina Linch, Coni Bush, Myron Nelson, Sharon Traub, Henry Karnofski, Steve Lafady, Yvonne Knuth, Carolyn Kennington, Mike and Carla Vorse, Dave Vorse, and guest Meagan Albright, scholarship recipient

Scholarship—Myron introduced Meagan Albright. Meagan will attend the University of Washington and study physics and astronomy. Her goal is to work in a space observatory. Meagan thanked the Chamber of Commerce for our good wishes and her scholarship. Lacy Seidl will attend at a later date.

Secretary's Report—approved as printed.

Treasurer's Report—approved as printed.

City Directories—Mike has them printed and he and Carla will pass them out later today to the businesses in Castle Rock.

Banners—The new banners are up and already we have four businesses that have paid to have their business advertised on a 20 x 30 banner below the big banner. The cost is \$100. for a year. There are a total of 24 slots available.

STP Breakfast—Henry expressed concern about the county planning to have a portion of Westside Highway, from Four Corners to Green Acres, under construction at the time of the STP race. This could affect the number of bikers who would use the high school on the 12th. By our next meeting, July 9th, we should have a better idea about the situation.

Logger's Dinner—Carl Wirkkala's Band has been reserved. Myron was asked to check on the large containers for the punch. There is still a question about the wash station. Set up time will be 1 p.m. or sooner. We will get the tables from the Baptist Church and the American Legion. The school district will furnish the chairs. The dinner will be \$8. and \$5. The dinner will be served starting at 5 pm. Mike will check on the chicken. Myron will ask Georgia to sell tickets again.

Castle Rock Fair—Yvonne stated the fair will be July 16, 17 and 18. The theme this year is "Go for the Green". The parade is on the 16th, 6:30 p.m. Tom and Marsha Quigley will be the Grand Marshals. The log cabin cannot be used. Antiques will share space in the Forestry Building. The flood did extensive damage to the fairgrounds and the buildings.

I Topped the Rock—It was moved and passed that the Chamber of Commerce pay for the cost of two Honey Buckets and a wash station at a cost of \$258.

Voter's Forum—It was moved and passed that the Chamber of Commerce sponsor a "Meet the Candidates" night at the Senior Center in July. At our next meeting, July 9th, the format, flyers, etc. will be finalized. Carolyn and Mike will be working on details.

Announcements—Coni reported that The Daily News wanted the Chamber to advertise at a cost of \$320. The request was turned down by the members.

Meeting Adjourned at 9:40 a.m.

The next meeting will be July 9th, 8:30 a.m., at the senior center, 222 2nd Avenue. Please attend. Your input is very important. The coffee pot will be on.