

Brooklyn Area Chamber of Commerce
Meeting Minutes January 15, 2018

President Levi Cutler called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. Members present were Brit Springer, Linda Kuhlman and Sheri Karns.

Discussion on the guide completion. There are 10 companies so far advertising in the guide. The cover pages are sold. Cutler will reach out to Three Brothers Pizza, Aquafix, BGS Designs and Capital City Culverts. Kuhlman will call TC Countertops. Kuhlman will call the owner of the new bakery.

Cutler asked for members to reach out to anyone they think would want to advertise. Suggestion was made to pull data from the UW Survey that was done and maybe put in the link to the survey and to reach out to the Fire/EMS, police department, Veterans, and do a write-up regarding parks and recreation areas. Springer will get the map. PTO and School will be contacted to put together a page. Springer will get photos for cover to Cutler. Cutler will need to get photos for the wildlife and historical society pages from McCallum and a list of members from McCallum. Content for ads is January 26.

Discussion also that Garage Sales are the weekend of May 18-20. It will be put in Village newsletter and Springer will put up on the Chamber website and Facebook.

Cutler suggested Chamber should be thinking of what to do in years to come, ways to get new members and get members involved. Possible ideas were to work with Springer on the Meet Your Neighbor meetings and open gym days for kids, work in conjunction with UBT events.

Recreation Committee was wondering if Chamber could move Santa Day to a week earlier to coincide with the tree lighting ceremony and movie night in December, possibly push time back. Chamber will reach out to Methodist Church as well.

Fourth of July event from Springer – she's working on possibly a silent auction and dance to raise donations and she's looking for a business to back it.

Cutler made a motion to approve the minutes from November 20, 2017 with the correction of Oregon PTO to Brooklyn PTO. Springer seconded. Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 6:56 p.m.