



Blackduck Area Chamber of Commerce
Regular Meeting – Blackduck Golf Course
June 19, 2024

Meeting Call to Order: 12:07pm

Introductions: Max Gullette, John Winnett, Kyle Waterman, Bobbie Jo Kewitsch, Jake Lien, Misty Frenzel, Bernadette Aguilera, Annie Butler Ricks, Shirley Ferrell, Aileen Wallin, Andrea Kent, Will Sellon, Jennifer Parker, Tony Rossberg, Cian Verbridge

Approval of Minutes- May 15th, 2024 Moved and seconded to approve May's minutes, motion passed unanimously.

Approval of Treasurer's Report- May 2024 Moved and seconded to approve April's treasurer's report, motion passed unanimously.

Visitors-

Old Business:

1. Blackduck Chamber Marketing-
 - a. Kyle reported that memberships were updated, waiting on a picture and will update the site
 - b. Newsletter –Cian will be staying on, keep sending him information.
2. Welcome Wagon – Max will be reaching out to TNT Birch Pole Supply about joining the Chamber
3. Chamber Golf Scramble- Looking for help and additional hole sponsorships, please come and help if you are able!
4. Second City Wide Garage Sale- July 19th and 20th, Tara will take names and information again to create a map, last day to submit for being included is July 17th at noon!
5. July Crazy Days- Under control and with a good response from local businesses
6. Woodcarvers- Paige wasn't in attendance, move to next month for an update
7. Backwoods Bash- This will be the final year unless there's a new committee, 20th anniversary and the theme will be "Going out with a Bang" and there will be the full bash, pancake feed, 5k, Bingo, Parade, Bounce Houses, Fireworks, Cornhole, Music and more! Afternoon and evening activities would not continue after this year if there isn't someone new taking over the committee, the current committee is happy to help guide the new people!

New Business:

1. Boys and Girls Club- Will Sellon has been hired as the new Branch Director in Blackduck. He lives in Blackduck and was on the Blackduck City Council for 1.5 years, he's excited to be joining this new opportunity and what it will offer to the community. Nicci Ronchetti will serve as Grant Resource Coordinator, Andrea Kent reported they will also be posting a member services position as well as youth development professionals. Please send anyone who is looking for work and likes working with kids their way! They're looking to be kicking things off in August to be able to start working with kids in the new school year. They will be able to serve 90 kids K-8 to begin with this year.



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Upcoming Events-

- Chamber Golf Scramble- June 21st Registration at 11:00 am, Shotgun start 12:15 pm, Dinner starting at 5:00 pm
- Crazy Days- July 20th
- Second City Wide Garage Sale- July 19th and 20th

Adjournment – Meeting adjourned at 1:00 pm

Next meeting will be held July 17th at the Blackduck Golf Course

Blackduck Area Chamber of Commerce updates respectively submitted by Jennifer Parker on behalf of Tara Klaers.