

**Pearl River Board of Trade Inc. DBA Pearl River Chamber of Commerce  
Pearl River Chamber Minutes for General Meeting  
January 10<sup>th</sup>, 2018, 7:00 pm – Southbound**

**Call to Order by Matt Reid**

**Roll Call – see below list of attendees**

**Report of the Treasurer:**

Checking acct: \$ 24,230 approx (town money pending)  
Cash on the Town: \$ 6,357

**Report of the Committees**

**Committee updates**

- **Membership:** 2017-2018 membership total is 115 total, 105 business, 10 residents.
- **Promotions and Events:**
  - Easter Egg Hunt: Sunday, March 25 at 1pm sharp. Raindate March 31. Antoinette to submit permit to use Central Ave Field. Matt made a motion for \$2500.
  - Movie Night in Summer: Matt Reid reserved large screen (32 foot) for movie (Night at the Museum) at Central Avenue Field on June 1, rain date June 2. Budget approved \$3000. Permit requested & reserved from Pearl River School District. Free admission. Setup 5pm, free popcorn (Linekin). Hilda Kogut offered to arrange a donation for potato chips – needs letter to request (Antoinette)
  - Pearl River Day 2018 – October 6. Antoinet to start permit process.
- **Beautification:**
  - Snowflake Challenge winners were awarded:
    - 1<sup>st</sup> Place: Faces by Carrie, Carrie Boecker received plaque and \$1000.
    - 2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Pearl River Florist, not present at meeting (\$500)
    - 3<sup>rd</sup> Place Pearl River Saloon, Bridget Killen received placque & \$250
    - People's Choice Award: Pearl River Saloon, Bridget Killen received \$250
- **Nomination Committee:** Matt Reid announced the nominees for 2018-19 officers and board members and inquired if there were any nominee requests from the floor. Elections to be at February 7<sup>th</sup> meeting.
  - Officers: Brian Campbell, President; Nellie Grossenbacher, Vice President; Michelle Worob, Treasurer; Annie Paratore, Secretary
  - Board Members: Matt Reid, Jeffrey Gibs, Pat Holt, Bridget Killen, Hilda Kogut, Susan Perzigian, Andy Tannariello, Neil Acer and Debbie Paciello.

**Motions:**

Matt Reid made a motion to approve \$2500 for the Easter Egg Hunt budget. Mark Griffith seconded.

- All in favor, no opposed

Matt Reid made a motion to approve the November meeting minutes. Michelle Worob seconded

- All in favor, no opposed

**Comments – Discussion**

**New Business:**

- Committees to be reviewed at February meeting
- Welcome New Chamber Members
- Donna Hughes reported American Cancer Society Relay for Life of Rockland kickoff is January 26 at Sons of Italy.
- Carrie Boecker, Faces by Carrie, offering buy one get one ½ off for anti aging facials. All Pearl River neighbors get \$20 off any facial, any time. Also, \$10 off one makeup application/lesson.
- 50/50 winner Adrienne Keatley donated her \$60 winnings to the Loughran family who lost their house in a fire recently (Pearl River Chamber donated \$500)

**Upcoming Meetings/Events:**

February 14 meeting to be rescheduled to February 7 due to Valentine's Day.

**Adjournment** Matt Reid adjourned meeting

**Attendees – January, 10, 2018 General Meeting:**

Matt Reid  
Brian Campbell  
Susan Perzigian  
Michelle Worob  
Donna Hughes  
Lisa Leote  
Eileen Cella  
Carrie Boecker  
Jane Murphy  
Debbie Paciello  
Mark Griffith  
Adrienne Keatley  
Hilda Kogut  
Jim Van Houten  
Bridget Killen  
Antoinette Flynn