Garland Days Committee Minutes from the 7/23/24 meeting and volunteer meeting

Present: Yolanda Burrill, Lynn Dumont, Danielle Fogg, Amy Allen, Alyson Nightingale, Josie Rock, Anne Marquis, Nova Watson, Susan Packard Peasley, Heidi Thieman, Susie Kresina, Rachael Freudenberger, Amanda Haskell, Cheryl Hebert

The meeting was called to order at 6:01 pm by Lynn Dumont

Susan Packard-Peasley was voted in unanimously

Volunteer Meeting:

- We had a huge turnout of volunteers and by going through the schedule one by one we had people sign up for events and times they would be willing to help. We filled the schedule and plan on having floater volunteers that can jump in somewhere if needed or be available if people have questions. Committee members will be wearing staff t-shirts and volunteers for the day will have a ribbon of some sort so people will know who they can go to with questions/concerns. We have a full schedule of events for the day.
- Veronica submitted a list of (temporary) tattoo booth supplies totaling \$73.19.
 Yolanda made a motion to approve the cost of the supplies, seconded by Amy and approved by all.
- Josie has completed the "anti-clown" stickers for kids/adults that don't want the clown to approach them.
- Danielle will find more kids prizes for games and the different supplies needed for the games (ring toss rings, ducks for duck pond game etc)
- Need to make up jars for the select board's pie in the face contest. Lynn will ask Danielle about leaving them at the store. Nova had the idea of making who gets to "pie" the winners a contest as well the day of Garland Days.

A motion was made by Amy to approve the 7/9 meeting minutes, seconded by Josie and approved by all. Yolanda made a motion to approve the treasurer's report showing a balance of \$8,493.93, seconded by Amy and approved by all.

Old Business

Ad book is almost ready to go to the printer. Yolanda has one more ad to collect money for. Decided we would do a dedication page.

New Business

- We have 9 different vendors that have sent in applications and payment and have sent out several applications this week.
- Phil said he will make the trip the day of Garland Days to get the piglets for us. Yolanda has a trailer he can use. We still need to decide what we are going to use as a fence for the area, which has to be 55'x55'. Still have a few piglets left to be sponsored, Nova will ask someone she knows about it and suggested asking the select board if they would want to split the cost of sponsoring one.
- Because of scheduling conflicts, meeting days will change to Thursdays, and starting August 8th, will be held weekly.
- Will make up some handicap parking signs to put on the fence for Garland Days.
- Danielle thinks she has a grain tote that we can put the balls in to store the balls for the ball pit.
- Amy found someone who dresses up as different things for different events (Santa, transformer etc) for free and she will get in contact with him and see if Garland Days is something he would want to do.
- Will get the signs out of the ticket building and see about cleaning them and re-doing the date so we can use it. Lynn will talk to Danielle at the store and ask about getting a sign from their pepsi distributor.
- Asked volunteers about making pies for the pie social Friday night and had an amazing number of people that said they will make a pie or two!

Lynn made a motion to close the meeting at 8:14 pm, seconded by Amy and approved by all.