The Cromwell Area Community Club meeting was called to order on April 20, 2017 at 6:35 p.m. by President Deb Switzer at the Cardinal Court Café. Members present were Derek N., Brandon E., Cherie' N., Mayor Sharon Z., Bill Z., Jennie H., Walt C., Lynn O., Tracey G., Brenda N., Rob S., Deb S., Ann M., and Guests Barb Burton, and Barb and John Peterson. Minutes of the March meeting were read. Rob made a motion to accept the minutes and Derek second the motion. All in favor, motion carried.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Brenda- January, February and March financial reports were handed out. Summer Fest profit of \$1700. Cherie' was paid \$31.93 for food and \$192.30 for pompoms. Motion to approve the treasurer's report by Bill and second by Tracey. All in favor, motion carried.

MEMBERSHIP UPDATE: Total paid members-35, unpaid 16 members. Cherie' will send out reminders to the unpaid members. Ann questioned the way new members are recruited. Perhaps posters could be used stating where the money raised goes towards. Took over the original Harvest Fest then formed CACC- sponsoring activities for the community of all ages, beautification of the city of Cromwell and community, donate to organizations. Deb asked if anyone is interested in the position of membership coordinator.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Gardening/Beautification Committee-

Gazebo project

Gazebo will cost approximately \$4100

Publicity drive- flyers made

Donations received \$90 so far, plus \$100 from Jeff and Becky Mowers, \$20 from Madelyn Adelscruber. We are to keep track of all memorial

Derek will have a Face Book drive

Need more donations before actual project is started

Perhaps a chili or spaghetti kick off

Fun day with a pledge drive

Needing a small group to plan fundraising drive. Tracey, Derek and

Brandon to report back at next meeting.

CACC to adopt the park near the bank as caretakers

Jennie suggested to have money first before begin project

Brandon made a motion and Ann second the motion. All in favor.

Motion carried.

Christmas tree lighting

Lights come off? Derek will call Cary Korpela of what can be done

Flower pots

Tracey was asking for amount to spend on flowers. Decided on \$250 Brandon asking about the exact location of pots be permanent, and will Work with Tom J.

Web/Site/Face Book Page: Derek В.

Working the site as needed, the sunset pictures received many hits

MAYOR'S UPDATE: Sharon- researching trading the muni with the city hall, update on street

Repair with lighting, sidewalk, hopefully future projects

OLD BUSINESS:

Report of Pavilion Playground Committee- Derek, Cherie', Mayor Sharon and Tom J. walked the park and spoke about the taking down of the wire fence by the mud pit and pavilion and horse shoe pit area

Perhaps sell wire fence-buyer to take down and purchase

Mud pit down AFTER pit is filled

Raffle prizes and permits;

Lynn has purchased gun for \$415 as 1st prize, 2nd prize-Cromwell Self Serve will match \$75 With CACC, 3rd prize-meat bundle from Wright Coop.

Need to order tickets-agreed 1500 tickets. In fall of 2016, we sold 1200, Deb stressed for everyone has to sell, Tracey will have tickets at her shop

Drawing will be Saturday, June 24th 10:00 p.m. at the muni

Parade-

Rod Walli has set up parade entrance t Envall's, cross Hwy 73,- need traffic control at that point, Rod will write up everything needed

Lynn will put ad in paper or should we mail out requests from previous years or just put ad in newspaper

Brenda will mail out parade entries

Grand Marshals? Cherie' suggested to ask Oscar and Carole Eliason- Cherie' will ask

- D. Summer Fest Plans
 - Dance at bar-"Canyon Creek" band Manager Krista asking if food vendors can be at bar, need to charge vendors
 - Kids Pedal Tractor Pull- scheduled and deposit paid; need to determine time/staffing Pull to begin at 12:00 noon
 - Coin Dig Sponsor staffing- Cherie' will ask Wanda stating some of the donations can go to "kids' events" not just the coin dig
 - Minnesota Sings- application fee paid—
 - Talent Show-Ann same as last year, discussed selection of singers, etc. Show to begin at 7:00, will have the "glitches" out \$2 admission- the \$10 steak fry will include admission to talent show
 - Silent Auction-Ann made \$1370 last year
 - Kids' Games 2:00

Teresa will sale ice cream Friday and Saturday Perhaps have Cub Scouts and Girl Scouts help with games, Cherie' will ask Julie Hedin

- Flea Market- Lynn will do it again
- Ice cream sales- 4-H will do
- » Steak Fry- order 225 steaks, 75 hot dogs
- Community Worship Service- does CACC want to put on breakfast before service?
- Volleyball Tournament- Danny Nyberg Rob and Don N. will need to remove old horseshoe pit and put in new court
- Music in park or pavilion- alumni can find afternoon music otherwise CACC will not have music
- Beer garden?? Sharon will look into this

E. Food License received to post at pavilion

NEW BUSINESS:

- A. Plans for Brush Cutting/City Wide Clean up
 - Scheduled for Saturday, April 22, Earth Day at 9:00 a.m.
 - Lunch of hotdogs, chips and beverage provide at 12:00
 - Start at south driveway of pavilion
 - Forest Hill cemetery committee joining us for our lunch
- B. Plans for Community Wide Rummage Sales-Saturday, May 13
 - Lynn made posters
 - \$5 to get name and address on the map
- C. Other
 - Guest John Peterson suggested a car show at his Aardvark business

NEXT MEETING: May 11 6:30 p.m. Cardinal Court

With no further business, Rob made a motion to adjourn the meeting, Brandon second the motion. Meeting adjourned at 8:25 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Cherie' Nyberg, secretary