

Ashland Fourth of July Committee

November 16, 2022 @ 6:30 PM At the Ashland Booster Club

Minutes

- Call to order
 - Meeting was called to order at 6:30pm by Kendall Hughes
 - Pledge of Allegiance
- Roll Call
 - Kendall Hughes, Tim Alexander, David Ruell, Charlie Bozzello, Deb Purdue, Katrina Randlett, Tricia Farris, Ann Barney, and Matty Leighton
- Motion to Accept Minutes
 - Update to Deborah's name from Plimmer to Plummer
 - Charlie calls to approve
 - Katrina seconded
 - 7 approved
 - 2 abstain
- Treasury Update
 - Firework total updated
 - Budget update
 - To be presented to the Town Selectman for approval by Kendall and Tim after a few minor edits by Katrina
 - Annual report statement
 - To be finalized with a few minor tweaks
- Event Details
 - Race
 - Sunday the second starting around 8am
 - Touch a Truck
 - (tentatively) Monday afternoon the third 3-5pm
 - Field
 - Entertainment
 - Chris White is confirmed as MC

- Jim Tyrell 5-6pm
- Historical figures will be able to come up to that stage as well - 10 mins
- Beagles - 6:15
- Elvis is penciled in 7:30 - 8:30
- Chris fills in
- Alex takes stage at 8:45
- National anthem (Aaron Stout) 9:28pm
- Music during the fireworks
- Two trucks side by side to perform on
- Bounce house vendor confirmed
- Parking will start at 5pm
- Four food trucks returning
- One new truck confirmed brick oven pizza
- Parade / Breakfast
 - Tuesday the fourth
 - Looking for band or entertainment for the parade
 - March or ride and play music
 - Jazzercise is an option (the group from Plymouth)
 - Encourage more floats to sign up as well
- Fireworks
 - Monday evening the third
 - Paid for in entirety
 - Steve Health and Kendall Hughes went to a fireworks educational program put on by Atlas
- Movie
 - Saturday the first around 9/9:30
 - Movie title and location is TBD
- Other events
 - Kickball game (potentially on Saturday the first) around 6pm
 - Police and fire dept would both be willing to participate in the kickball game
 - Would need a handful of volunteers to participate
 - Cornhole tournament (potentially on Sunday at noon)
 - Need to consider gaming permit or sponsorship

- Tricia to create a timeline of events
- Other Business
 - Next meeting is 1/25
- Meeting adjourned at 7:45pm

Proposed Timeline of Events for Fourth of July Weekend

Saturday 7/1

- Kickball game 6pm
- Movie 9/9:30 (open for seating 8pm)

Sunday 7/2

- Race 8am
- Cornhole tournament 12pm

Monday 7/3

- Touch a truck 3-5pm
- Entertainment
 - ◆ Chris White (MC) starting around 4:45pm (fills in throughout entertainment)
 - ◆ Jim Tyrell 5-6pmpm
 - ◆ Historical figures 6:-6:15pm
 - ◆ Beagles - 6:15-7:15pm
 - ◆ Elvis 7:30 - 8:30
 - ◆ Alex takes stage at 8:45
 - ◆ National anthem (Aaron Stout) 9:28pm
 - ◆ Fireworks 9:30pm

Tuesday 7/4

- Pancake breakfast 7-10am
- Parade 10am