

Bridgetown Area Chamber of Commerce Meeting May 16th, 2019

Attendance: Gary Olsvik, Steve Clayton , Jane Bezanson, Kirk Lycett, Anne Crossman, Caroline Perriman, Jennifer D'Aubin, Mike Taylor, Nancy Price, Paul Blake, Donnie Kaulbach.

Nancy Price -

Grant Application has been put through, just a matter of waiting to see if they get it.

Clean-up On Queen Street – 02 Group came and helped with the clean-up

- Upcoming is painting projects such as benches. County is paying for paint just need good weather.
- Possible projects moving forward would be to fix up look off , improvement to blue lines and connecting them into the trail. This is a big project and would need Chamber support. Will take money and time.

Steve Clayton –

Pool Update – looking encouraging

- Angie Clark has spear headed everything
- May have more staff than needed
- Trying to increase the hours for the director

Rink Update - the old boards are all down and ready for putting up the new boards.

Kirk Lycett –

VIC Update – waiting for word on the federal level of grant approval.

Action Group – Jennifer said she has failed to follow through on this and suggested that someone else take this on to move it forward, tabled until later date.

Kirk Lycett /MLL – Still waiting for answers and all questions must go through lawyers from this point on.

Jennifer and Gary - had a 1 hour 22 minute meeting with Joyce and Joan from MLL. Majority of the talking was done by Joyce and Joan. They want this to heal and everyone to move forward. They did a presentation to the County Council and have offered to do the same for the Chamber. Gary asked the question if the issues had been resolved in the eyes of all parties involved with the tender and their reply was that everything is done and put to bed.

Seeing that they feel it is resolved and that Kirk is still waiting for his questions to be answered, Gary suggested that we would not entertain them doing a presentation until things are settled in the eyes of both side. Everyone agreed and Jennifer will send a response to Joyce.

Moonlight Madness

- presentation was sent out to Chamber of the proposed path forward.
 - The group is suggesting that they do a Christmas Festival done all on Friday night and that the store owners get together to coordinate their Sales for Saturday.
 - Mike suggested Black Friday week
 - It was asked if the O2 group was still doing the craft sale and if so to try and get the weekends to line up together.

AGM – October 17th, 2019 Tentative 8:00am Temple on Queen.

Meeting Adjourned

Next Meeting

Thursday, June 20th , 2019

8:00 am at Temple on Queen