

Sharon Springs Chamber of Commerce

Minutes from July 12th, 2011

Board Members Present: Maureen Lodes, Pres., Geri Dunne, VP, Leila Durkin, Treas, Michele Holliday, Sec.**Members Present:** Bruce & Kelly Button, Phoebe MacGillivray

Secretary's Report from June's meeting was presented at meeting. Report was accepted as presented.

Treasurers Report was handed out. There is current ending balance of \$6309.51. One new member 204 Main Bar & Bistro. The report was accepted as presented.

Correspondence: We received an e-mail from Julie Rohan about "Cock-a-doddle discounts. Julie Runs the Tourism Booth in Schoharie. Great idea to get more business in Sharon Springs.

Old Business: We discussed the new web-site. We needed to get updated information regarding Sharon Springs Government. Please take a look at the web-site and give us your input. Every member gets a page with a limit of 4 photos. Members can have a link that sends people directly to their own web-site. We are listing all businesses in Sharon Springs on the site even though they are not members. We also have a Face Book page, pictures are needed. Please check out the site created by Kelly Button.

Just a reminder that Leila's "**Chatter**" is not a Chamber paper. Deadline to add to the "Chatter" is the 20th Visit sharonspringschatter@blogspot.com to add. (Any donations are greatly appreciated!)

Chamber Scholarship was awarded to Katrina VanArsdale. Katrina was chosen out of 4 candidates. Katrina plans on attending SUNY Cobleskill for Agriculture Business. Congratulations to Katrina.

Maureen attended the Business Expo at the Best Western.

New Business: Bruce suggested having a Halloween Festival with haunted hayrides, house decorating contests, pumpkin carving contests and old movies. We need volunteers!!

Welcome project: The Chamber has been giving out welcome packet filled with different items from local businesses. We are looking for more donations for these packets.

Meeting was adjourned @ 7:45 pm.

Our next meeting will be August 9th, 2011

Library Community Room @ 7pm

Agenda

Call to Order

Minutes

Treasurers Report

Correspondence

Old Business

New Business

Comments,

Adjourn.