



Meeting called to order 6:30pm, May 12, 2005

Attending: Teri Assaf, Rob and Joanie Davis, Kim Dyer, Linda Fish, Mary Goke, Dave Grogner, Michael Gross, Tom and Joanne Hansen, Lee Howell, Tami Kuhn, Gail LaLonde, Kristy Petersen, Denise Reinhart, Saragen Spalding, Norman Spalding, Debbie Villegas, Jana Weeks

Get Well Soon

Marcia Evans and Julie Lennemann ... get well soon, we miss you already

Treasurer's Report:

\$176 to repay Kim Dyer for beads and things to sell at the Phun Phest.

Treasurer's report \$1275 before paying Kim. Jeff A1A \$750 and Don Middlebrook \$500 are payables that have been made thus far.

50/50:

50/50 was not held this meeting

2005 Phun Phest – June 24, 2005

The Phun Phest will run from 5pm to MIDNIGHT on June 24, 2005

We have a letter of agreement drafted with La Seniorita, and will get the needed signatures in the next few days.

Agreement has been reached with Don Middlebrook and Living Soul regarding their appearance at the Phun Phest. The band will be performing from 5:00pm to 8:00pm, and if they start late their fee will be adjusted accordingly. Don Middlebrook is also going to be providing some of the sound equipment.

This year's Phun Phest t-shirts will be **orange**, and will be \$12. It's hoped that those working the event will wear their shirts so that concert-goers can find people to answer their questions.

We will have sign-up sheets for people to work various functions at the event at the next meeting on May 24. We'll only need 1 ½ hours from each person (excluding set up/tear down) if everyone pitches in.

Committees/Chairs

Set Up/Tear Down – John Lennemann

- More details on set-up and tear down should be available at the next meeting, May 24.

Prizes/Raffles – Kris Peterson

- There will be fewer, but larger, prizes this year than last year. We will be grouping things into “prize packages” rather than giving things away individually.

Ticket – Sara Spaulding

- Tickets should be ready on Monday, May 16. Sara will be at Guerazzi’s on North 27 approx. 5-8 on Thursday, May 19 if you would like to pick some up.
- Corporate sponsor tickets will be a different color so we can see how many are turned back in.
- Tickets will be \$10 in advance and \$12 at the door.

50/50 – Gail LaLonde

- There will be an 8:00pm and an 11:00pm drawing
- There will be a table as well as people working the crowd
- Tickets will be \$1 each, or 6 for \$5
- 50/50 tickets will be sold along with the other merchandise we will have available.

Corporate Sponsors – Julie Lennemann

- A letter is being drafted so we will have something “official” to give to people as we are soliciting sponsorships.
- We hope to start sending out lists of who has been contacted for sponsorships once a week so we do not duplicate efforts.
- CORPORATE Sponsorships are \$100, and they will receive 2 tickets. They will also get their name on signs around the event, and on the “table tents” on every table.
- GOLD Sponsorships are \$500 and they will receive 10 tickets. They will also get their names on large signs by the stage. (We already have at least 2 Gold Sponsors!)
- Be sure to get names, addresses and all that sort of information when you get a sponsorship so we can credit people properly.
- Checks for these sponsorships should be made out to Mid-Michigan Parrot Head Club. Remember, Mid-Michigan Parrot Head Club is a 501(3)C organization, so their check to us is tax deductible.
- If people say they can’t donate money, remind them that donations of prizes are also gratefully accepted.

Sound Committee – Tami Kuhn

- More details should be available at the next meeting, May 24.

Promotions/Advertising – Debbie Villegas

- Debbie will be sending out the media letters June 1.

Parking & Enforcement – Norm Spalding

- Just a reminder that Hospice has volunteered to supply a van/driver to shuttle people to and from parking.
- Overflow parking has been arranged with the Asbury United Methodist Church just west of La Seniorita on Lake Lansing Road. There is sidewalk all the way between the church and the restaurant.
- Please remember to save the parking close to La Seniorita for restaurant patrons. Park at the church unless you will be staying at the hotel and have a car there because you're a paying guest.

We have a group rate at the Courtyard by Marriott of \$79 for the night. **There are only 20 rooms available at this rate.** The number for the hotel is 482-0500 (1-866-526-2893). Our group code is M.P.H.S.

Meeting adjourned approx. 7:30

Other upcoming events:

May24, 2005 – Next MMPHC meeting at La Seniorita

June 24: Phun Phest, La Seniorita, Lake Lansing Rd.

July 14-17: Camping/tubing on the Rifle River with Detroit Parrothead Club. The Mid-Michigan Parrot Head Club and the Chicago Parrot Head Club will be manning the “Buffet Buffett” on Friday and Saturday nights. Check <http://www.detroitparrotheadclub.com> for details.

July 24, 2005: Ele's Race. – 5K walk/run. Group participation in the Ele's Place walk/run is being considered. Contact Kim Dyer (kimbis@aol.com) if you are interested.

August 25: Mike Gross is working on setting up another group night out at the ballpark. This is the Lugnut's “Buffett Night”, and it's “Thirsty Thursday”, so there will be \$2 beers and \$2 wings. There will be t-shirts available if we get enough interest.

September 4&5: Jimmy Buffett in Chicago at Wrigley Field. It's finally official ... and tickets sold out in minutes. Sept. 4 is an evening show, and Sept. 5 is in the afternoon. The closest 30 clubs (that includes us) are getting tickets. Contact Sara Spalding (sspald1234@aol.com) IMMEDIATELY if you have not done so already regarding tickets. We STILL don't know exactly where our seats will be, but seats reserved for the clubs are usually pretty good. If we do not get enough tickets allocated to us to cover all requests tickets will be allocated on the basis of participation in club events. Club tickets are available ONLY for club members in good standing. Members can not purchase extra tickets for friends/relatives/etc

November 3-6: Meeting of the Minds in Key West.

Mid-Michigan Parrot Head Club Phun Phest
June 24, 2005 – 5pm – Midnight

\$500 GOLD SPONSORS to May 14, 2005
The Keep/Molidor Team
Qdoba/Northwind Southwind Restaurants, LLC

\$100 CORPORATE SPONSORS to May 14, 2005
Apex Appraisal Co.
Bannasch Welding
Capital City Lodge
Central Michigan Engraving (tickets)
Delgrado Appraisals
Guerazzi's Italian Restaurant
Jim Noble, REALTOR, Briarwood Realty
John Struble – Subway
Lief Matters, Plus, LLC – Mary Kay Gavitt
McNamara's City Produce
Michigan Title Co.
Miles Plumbing
Mills Refrigeration
North Point Bank, Denya Shimnoski
Pacesetter Mortgage
Panel Systems
Paul Rashid, DDS
ReMAX Real Estate Pros
Rookies
Sheri Galimore, C21 Shellhorn
Tom Hansen Better Made
Transition Title Co. (They are also buying tickets for any employee that wants to attend.)

Minutes and sponsor list approved May 15, 2005 by
Norm Spalding, President
Sara Spalding, Treasurer