

# **Locust Grove Area Chamber Meeting**

September 19, 2017

6:00p.m.

Wilma Cowan Building

## **Minutes**

**Call to Order by:** Adele Collette

**Pledge:** Jennifer Henson

**Prayer:** Marsha Evans

**Minutes approved:** none to approve

**Financials approved:** 1<sup>st</sup> Marsha Evans 2<sup>nd</sup> Adele Collette

### **Officers:**

**President – Jerry Yates**

**Vice-President – Adele Collette**

**Treasurer – Jennifer Henson**

**Secretary – Marsha Evans**

### **Board:**

**Chairperson – Jennifer Henson**

**Class of 2018 – Theresa Menecke & Bo Collette**

**Class of 2019 – Jeff Kerr & Jerry Yates**

**Class of 2020 – April Barker & Karen Darby**

### **Mission & Vision:**

#### Section 1. Mission statement.

The Chamber's goal is to advance the economic, civic, educational, and cultural growth of Locust Grove and the surrounding area.

#### Section 2. Vision statement.

The Chamber will enhance the quality of life in the community and foster continuous improvement of the Locust Grove area as a place in which to conduct business and enjoy life.

### **Upcoming Events:**

#### **October**

12 LG Chamber board meeting 4:30 Wilma Cowan Building

14 Scenic 412 Garage Sale & Cruise Night

19 LG Chamber meeting *noon* Wilma Cowan Building

31 Halloween (Tuesday)

#### **November**

- 9 LG Chamber board meeting 4:30 Wilma Cowan Building
- 11 Veterans' Day
- 21 LG Chamber meeting 6:00p.m. Wilma Cowan Building
- 25 Small Business Saturday

**December**

- ? Christmas parade

**January**

- 11 LG Chamber board meeting 4:30 Wilma Cowan Building
- 16 LG Chamber meeting noon Wilma Cowan Building

**Business:**

1. Street numbers for our building will be donated by Marsha Evans.
2. Approved paying Sydney Nelson, DJ for Cruise Night, \$50.
3. Approved paying Shaun Perkins \$1/yard sale for putting them on the web site.
4. Getting sponsors who will be listed on our t-shirts for Cruise Night. Jennifer will email invoices with the Chamber letterhead.
5. Halloween – the Library is expecting to do its annual costume contest. Trick or treating will start at 3:30 and end at the Library.
6. Jennifer Henson will send a plant to David Fishinghawk's family. The motion was approved for it to not exceed \$25.
7. Veteran's Day is being left to the VFW to do something. It was suggested that we could do a breakfast for the vets. A motion from David Fleming that any action be approved first by Grant Mennecke. There will be more discussion at October's meeting.
8. On December 1, Adele Collette and the flower shop will have open houses.
9. The parade was discussed. Maybe the date and time should be changed. David Fleming made the motion to include survey questions on the date and category for float awards. We need a theme.
10. Main Street U.S.A. - Adele Collette went to this conference. Your area has to be “historical.” We're not sure exactly what that means. She'll check on it before November 14 when the paperwork is due. It seems too expensive for now and needs a lot of involvement.

The next Chamber meeting will be **October 19, 2017** at **NOON** at the Wilma Cowan Building, 114 W Main.