

Ship Bottom Taxpayers Association - Board of Directors Meeting

04/04/2024 – 7 pm

Present: John Hiros, Blair Stiefbold, Greg Fath, Karen Drucker, Joanne Tallon, John Montone, Rob Vidal, Dan Von Schaumburg, Kat Leifeste

Approval of minutes – March Meeting - approved

Treasurer's Report – Rob Vidal – Balance - \$4433.14 > 2K in membership fees came in this month

Committee Reports:

Beautification – Dan (Sunset Point) –

- Many folks have offered to help at Sunset Point
- Kat put appeal in last 2 newsletters

John M (General) –

- Joanne provided a mockup of plans
- John to ask for approval at next town council meeting
- Will put together a cover letter with details

Membership – Stuff-It Letters all sent – Thanks Greg, Isabel and Christina!

- Great results!!!

Communications – Any response for a Communications Coordinator? - none

JCTA – Karen/Greg – ALO is looking for JCTA partners to coordinate a Toy Box at the Bay Beach.

- John H. volunteered to build
- John M has a neighbor who he thinks will provide the lumber
- Karen will get the dimensions for the Brant Beach TA president of theirs
- JoAnne has volunteered to oversee this endeavor. Thanks JoAnne!

Old Business

Chalk Art 2024 – Kat. Only a few weeks away!

- Fliers out to many businesses (thanks Jo and Greg) - still a few to go out
- Gift Card from Burger 25
- Tokens for kids from LBI Pancakes
- Porta potty ordered
- Public Works to set up barricades, sweep area, provide trash containers, may have someone on site for day of
- Street sweeper day before
- One officer on site
- Two judges to arrive around 2:30

- John M asked 2 art teachers if they would help out and they agreed to assist the participants with suggestions

New Business

Thank You Breakfast for EMS Volunteers – Karen

- Invite the volunteers 1 hour before the annual meeting for breakfast
- We can honor them at the beginning of the meeting and they can leave if they like
- Karen has spoken to LBI Table about providing food – she thinks we can split the cost

Bike Safety Fliers in Real Estate Bags - Karen

- Suggests providing to all agents island-wide
- Can go in with the appeal for food for the foodbank

Partnership with LBI Lowdown? – John H

- John suggested partnering with them
 - Provide our newsletter to them and we can support them
 - He will reach out to them

School Board Meeting at LBI School, Tuesday April 9th @ 4 pm – Questions to submit prior to meeting

- Several questions have been proposed already
- Greg suggested that any other questions go to him by Friday, April 5th so he can send them the questions ahead of time

Monthly Borough Meetings (calendar with rotating volunteers to attend) – Whomever attends should send a “highlights” recap to our board which can also be sent to all active members via email.

Land Use Board mtg: Tuesday, April 16 @ 6:30 pm - Joanne

School Board mtg: Tuesday, April 16 @ 6:30 pm – John Hiros

Town Council mtg: Tuesday, April 23 @ 6:30 pm – John Montone

NEXT SBTA MEETING May 2, 2024 @ 7 pm – Land Use Board President will come to our meeting

Respectfully submitted,

Kat Leifeste, Secretary