

Parrot Head Club of Hamilton Business Meeting
May 28, 2008
“Informal” Meeting Held at Bob & Gloria’s

Present: Mike, Lawrie, Larry, Annette, Danny, Judy, Tony, Art, Nijole, Bob, Gloria

Last meeting’s minutes:

Adopted.

Unfinished items: N/A

Membership update:

New members?

Mail:

- There was some response from Danny’s question to the club regarding children at university and the information has been passed on to PHIP.
- We received a thank you letter from Hamilton Big Brothers for the \$200 donation approved at the last meeting.

Business / Projects:

- Treasurer’s Report: Bob tabled latest financial statement as of April, 2008. We have a positive balance sheet.
- Membership agreed to a charitable donations of \$200 to Debbie Caputo of Toronto Maple Reefers to support her in her fight with cancer. She will be taking part in the Walk for Life in June .
- Danny motioned to donate \$1000 to Hamilton MS Society. Gloria seconded. Larry to arrange for a public cheque presentation so that we can promote the A1EH Club. Danny to arrange for an electronic Club Vote.
- “Cinco De Mayo” or “CARRIBEAN BLUE TROPICAL FEST” on May 3, 2008. This event in conjunction with HECFI (John Elder is contact).
59 tickets sold; A1EH sold 55. Overall HECFI did not lose money on the event but A1EH made money on the raffle table. The band, Caribbean Blue was very entertaining as was the opening act, Brian Neale. Ticket sales were down significantly from last year’s Cabin Fever event. Some reasons are the ticket price of \$35, lack of media advertising and perhaps timing.
Tony and Danny to review the event and bring forth recommendations whether to hold a similar event in 2009
- Christmas Shoe Box event for our troops in Afghanistan is planned. Details later.
- MTOM in November. Registration is still open.
- Road clean up will be held on May 31, weather permitting. Danny to email details.
- Danny has tickets for George Thorogood concert this Thursday at Copps.
- Thank you: A large Thank You to Bob & Gloria for hosting tonight’s meeting!

Next Event(s):

- Road clean up and lime toss at Mary and Doug’s. Saturday, May 31.
- Possible comedy night at Yuk Yuk’s. Tickets are \$3.00 each.
- Phlocking Of The Phaithful event on June 12 – 15..
- Sarnia Parrothead Club event on June 27-28.
- Danny M turns 50 in the near future.
- Looking for a venue for a Niagara night on the town in June . Any suggestions?
- Hamilton Harbour Cruise and Pirate Night. July 26th. \$37.
- Summer Party at Mike and Lawrie’s: “Red Neck Riveria”. Date is Set for Saturday July 26. A1EH to arrange for music and a Porta Potty. Bring your favourite red neck joke and tents if you would like to stay the night. More details to follow.