Bear Lake Promoters

March 2, 2016

The meeting was called to order at 7 pm by President Jacque Erdman.

<u>Secretary's Report</u> No minutes were available.

Treasurer's Report

The treasurer's report was given by Don Brisbin. The Savings account balance is \$1426.76 and the checking account balance is \$5308.48. Nancy Coalter moved and Don Brisbin seconded to accept the treasurer's report. Passed

Membership Committee Membership letters have been sent.

B L Days Committee

<u>T-Shirts</u> The committee met and selected two designs. The will be ordering fewer shirts. May get lime green and an antique cherry red. Will arrive early to begin selling.

<u>A.J.'s report</u> Fireworks will be the same. The Scottville Clown band is coming. No kids carnival. There will be a band for Friday night. Face painting, kid's games. Thursday night is a maybe. Sunday needs new ideas. 5 K race prior to B L Days. They met with someone from the Manistee Chamber and a person from Onekama Days to brainstorm.

<u>Easter</u> Can use helpers to fill eggs this Friday or Monday. The hunt is March 26. Honor Bank, Saddle Up and Promoters are the sponsors

Old Business

1. Snow Sculptures- the kids did a good job. Freshman got first place, sophomores got second and the seniors got third.

- 2. Projects- Jacque read the list of suggestions. Several were discussed
- 3. Talked about new banners for the posts. Maybe for the 125th Anniversary
- 4. Newsletter- Pauline and Rita have plans and will probably do it every other month.
- 5. Gift Cards- Pauline is investigating

New Business

- 1. Welcome Wagon- We would give Bear Lake gifts and information to new residents. Linda Schweyer volunteered to head this committee. AJ and Marlene K. will help
- 2. Wednesday May 25 is the next Bear Lake After Hours. It will be at the Bear Lake Bed and Breakfast and Tamara Buswinka will speak 5-7 pm.

We need to order letterhead paper and envelopes. Pauline moved and Don seconded. Passed Linda moved and Nancy seconded to adjourn. Passed