

Danby Community Council
Minutes: August 4, 2011

Meeting came to order at 7:05 PM.

Attending: Bob Chase (Treasurer), Ted Crane, Pat Curran, Joel Gagnon (Vice President), June Pollack, Bob Strichartz (President), and Christel Trutmann (Secretary). Also Amie Hendrix.

Minutes: Ted Crane moved to accept the minutes from the July meeting; Pat Curran seconded. Passed.

Announcements: Ted Crane announced the Slow Lane party for August 5. The letter to Willard Daetsch's widow—drafted by Dan Klein and edited by Christel Trutmann—was presented and approved. Christel will be responsible for mailing it.

Youth Services: We welcomed Amie Hendrix (ahendrix@tompkins-co.org, 274-5310), our new representative from Tompkins County Youth Services. She's been the director there since last fall. They are hiring someone part-time to fill Karen Coleman's position. Ms. Hendrix presented the 2012 draft budget. She reported that the income has been holding steady, but there is a plan to unite Julie Kulik with representatives from the DCC and other towns (Caroline, Enfield) to discuss consolidating programming.

Community Foundation of TC: "Our Rural Community" grant cycle fall 2011. Christel Trutmann reported on some suggestions Linda Schoffel had emailed, including applying for money with which to fund youth employment. Discussion held. Other ideas included publicly accessible computers in the Town Hall, and a projector for showing films. We will ask Julie Kulik for ideas as well. One limitation is that the fall cycle funding must be used by June 30, with a report due July 26. Can we apply for summer youth employment funding in a later grant cycle?

Treasurer's Report: Treasurer Bob Chase reported he received a \$150 sponsorship for the DAN from Bushberg Real Estate. He also received an invoice from the Coddington Road Community Center clarifying that they spend \$500 from the DCC on counselor training.

Fun Day: DCC walked in the parade with Julie Kulik and her youth. Bob Chase suggested that the music be set up differently or set at a volume so that the kids' tent isn't directly next to loud music.

West Danby: The West Danby Picnic will be August 27 at Hatch's Pavilion. It needs event coverage insurance paperwork.

Next Meeting will be September 1, 2011.

Meeting adjourned at 8:15 PM.