

**Harrington Chamber of Commerce  
Minutes  
December 7, 2016**

The December meeting of the Chamber of Commerce was called to order at 12:00pm on December 7, 2016 by President Cassandra. Those present were: Kathy Hoob, Tim Tipton, Cade Clarke, Dave Michaelson, Allen Barth, Kathy Hansell, Cherie Mac Clellan, Paula Pike, Sharon Nighswonger, Billie Herron, Heather Slack, Cassandra Pfaffle-Dick and Bunny Haugan.

The minutes of the November meeting were approved as presented. Cindy Haas was absent so there was no treasurers report.

**Old Business**

A motion by Allen Barth and second by Sharon Nighswonger suggested that the extra "goodie bags" left from the Santa Visit be donated to the Food Bank. Motion carried.

**New Business**

Election of officers for 2017 was as follows"

- 1) A motion by Allen Barth and second by Paula Pike nominated Tim Tipton for President. No other nominations were heard. Motion carried.
- 2) A nomination by Allen Barth and second by Kathy Hoob nominated Sharon Nighswonger for Vice President. No other nominations were heard. Motion carried.
- 3) A motion by Allen Barth and second by Kathy Hoob nominated Paula Pike as Secretary. No other nominations were heard. Motion carried.
- 4) A motion by Allen Barth and second by Kathy Hoob nominated Cindy Haase for Treasurer. No other nominations were heard. Motion carried.

**Food Basket Project**

December 16 the Food Baskets will be put together for the Senior Citizens at 8:30am at the school. Cassandra and Sharon will help the Honor Society with this project.

The members were informed that plans had already been made by Kathy and Cindy who asked Jennifer Verslusis to bake the breads and cookies for these food baskets for \$50.00. She is interested in possibly starting a bakery.

**Application and By Laws Discussed**

After a discussion by those present regarding the application for membership and the By Laws it was decided this was a discussion that needed to be done at a separate meeting. This meeting will be open to all members interested in up-dating the By Laws. The meeting will be at the Allen Barth Garage on December 14<sup>th</sup> at 12:00pm.

Soliciting vendors for the Cruisin Harrington (May 20<sup>th</sup>) needs to start in January.

Next meeting will be January 4, 2017 at 12:00pm the City Hall.

Meeting adjourned at 12:50pm.

Secretary, Bunny Haugan

I am passing this position on to Paula Pike after 25 years of service to the Chamber as their Secretary. I took this position over from Art Tyrrell who operated the Harrington Drug Store.