



Northwest Keizer Association Meeting

July 20th, 2022

ATTENDANCE: Hersch and Maryann Sangster, Trish Crenshaw, Les Chapman, Gwen Carr, Norma STickley, Owen Luna, Jonathan and Jennifer Thompson, Addison Thompson, Kyle Juran, Judi Stichty, Shaney Starr and Robert and Marlene Parsons

Meeting called to order at 7:03pm by President Hersch Sangster

Introductions around the room

Approval of the June 15th Minutes - Motion made by Bob Parsons, 2n by Jonathan Thompson

Motion passed

Speaker: Ann Marie Storms Deputy Fire Marshall - Keizer Fire

Smoke Alarms needed in every home most fatal fires do not have smoke alarms - every sleeping area needs a smoke alarm. Not needed in Kitchen bathrooms laundry room also need Carbon Monoxide in homes that have gas furnaces, fireplaces, stoves. Carbon Monoxide expires every 7 years. Check smoke alarm age. Firefighters work 24 hours on 48 hours off. Low on volunteers due to Covid. 6 volunteers all of them are in school in the firefighting EMT field. 24 calls a day 3 medics one engine crew.

Trying to keep traditional breakfasts, santa candy cane day It will now be a drive thru candy cane day.

85% medical calls

1% fires

Logistics and planning is why they send fire truck and medic to each response. Will call law enforcement if they need to break into a house.

Firetruck for Keizer Fest, working on bringing something down to Keizer Rapids

Staffing for Brush Truck through Grant money

Keep traditions and stay fiscally responsible, is a little struggle.

Salem Fire does not have medics they contract with Faulk.

Out of 31 4 emt rest paramedics.

Fire Red is a program that you can pay 65 dollars a year for ambulances and then 50% after insurance for each call.

Fire prevention open house on Oct 10th, different safety vendors available 6-8 pm

Keizer Fire covers 10 square miles.

Keizer Food Bank: Whats the need, Judi reported that SSC realty brought in 1100 ibs of food

Lucky to get meat, eggs, milk but hard to get meat it is not in the supply chain right now. Need oatmeal and cereal Drive through operation they fill out shopping list and registration and the shoppers get the bags and bring them out to the car. Seems to work well serve well over a 100 families a week, more elderly are coming in.

Started off in a closet at John Knox Community Church. Sometime around 1990 moved over to Lutheran Church in 2009

Supply chain issues

All food barrels stay in Keizer

Education for WIC Need Formula

Food Barrels at Keizer Fest, several businesses in Keizer have food barrels. Should be in same location for the next 5 years.

Open Monday 5-7 Thursday 9-11 am Always need volunteers they can just show up

Expansion of the Board to 7 members have 4 need 3 more to serve a year. According to the bylaws. Questions about what it entails. Trish Crenshaw was nominated and motion passed to add her to the Board Need 2 more volunteers to round out the board.

Ideas for future speakers and events. September Library association. and Keizer Elementary are possibilities.

Jonathan reported that the Windsor Island Storage had pulled their permits they are required to have 70 foot setback and fencing rules fences can be 8 feet with permit. 3 buildings and RV storage.

Goals: Increase participation of all households, businesses and schools within our boundary. Send out Flyers, place signage and deliver flyers door to door Flyer mailed out on June 27th, Signs are getting ordered and a few of us will find proper placements

City has openings for the Art commission and President Hersch explained what the art commission does.

Councilor Reports: Library to be on the ballot in November, nothing new to report. Also 2nd reading on putting magic mushrooms on the ballot.

Chamber - Reported that Keizer Fest will be held in August at Keizer Rapids Park and that a booth would be donated to our association if needed. Power will be put in next week Parade on the 13th of August River Rd closes at 9am

Upcoming Meetings:

August - Utilizing National Night out to gather the neighbors.

Sept - Library ballot

Traffic Safety- Encourage all neighborhood associations to bring issues or recommendations to the committee to take to city council. 3rd Thursday at 6pm. Wheatland rd project design traffic safety and street design. Everything in phases.

Meeting Adjourned at 8:22 pm