

Killingworth Chamber of Commerce Minutes

Wednesday October 13th, 2010 Meeting called to order at 8:08 am

Those in attendance: Tom Houpert, Dorothy Wright, Dale Wilcox, Sue Gumbart, Abbey Albrecht, Keira Eule, Joe Gomez, Tim Gannon, Richard Pleines and Carrie Sassi.

New members: Higganum Pharmacy, Callinen Construction LLC, and Copper Skillet Restaurant. Motion to accept by Richard and motion seconded by Tim Gannon.

Guest Speaker: Louis Eldridge (860-434-4800 ext 182) from the “LEARN” program at the Killingworth High School was our guest speaker. It is a school for children with special needs. Louis would like to know if it is possible to have some of the students participate in event set up for the Chamber. The students would be accompanied by a Job Coach for all events.

Treasurer’s Report: Presented by Dorothy Wright. Motion to accept by Richard; motion seconded by Tim Gannon. Copy provided to everyone.

August Minutes: Motion to accept by Richard; motion seconded by Tim Gannon.

Krier Business or Committee Report: What do our businesses want? Spoke about adding an annual questionnaire to the krier.

Event Committee Report: Expo: Going to have a table to present an advertising clinic. Sue Gumbart and Fiona are going to work on this.

October events: Meet the Press – email sent and advertised in the krier. 20 packets of material have been made up for this event.

November event: Chili Cook-off and Business Expo- November 6th. Iron on aprons will be made. We need to make sure that we have a key and code for the building; Need to create a list of businesses to target with flyers; Ann is going to send out Sue’s flyers to businesses. We are going to create a banner for the Chili event; there will be no band.

December event: Christmas in the Village. Abbey will ask about space. Our back up plan will be the true value building. It will be held the second week in December. There will be a hay wagon and tree lighting.

Motion to adjourn: Tom Houpert **Motion Seconded:** Keira Eule

Meeting was adjourned at 9:15am. Next meeting is scheduled for November 10th