August 2024 Chamber Meeting

The August meeting was held at Rosy's Pizza at Noon on August 14, 2024. There were 4 people in attendance. The June and July treasurer's reports were presented by Renee. End of month balance is \$20,373.77. Jessie approved the report and Shelly seconded.

Jessie reported no new members this month.

Shelly updated everyone on the movie in the park or dive-in movie event. September 1st is the date, with October 13th being the backup. These are Sunday nights with no school on Monday on the following Monday. Because it's getting later in the year, the dive-in movie option will be considered for next summer. Devon stated the park did a movie on the big ball diamond in years past. It was decided this would be a good option as concession and restrooms are close by. Movie will start at 8pm. Several family movies were discussed (Sandlot, Shrek, Goonies, Despicable Me, ET). Once the movie is chosen, Ryan Savage from the Park District will get it rented for us - it can take up to 2 weeks to get rights to the movie approved.

Country Companies will sponsor the event by renting the screen and projector from the Park District, paying the movie license fee and providing the popcorn and water. Coupons will be made up and disbursed to all kids for 1 drink, 1 popcorn and 1 candy. Country will also pay the Park District for the candy.

Shelley asked for Chamber members to volunteer to help out during the event. Jessie and Renee said they would help out.

Devon asked for the Grills Gone Wild event in September be placed on the Chamber website and Facebook. Jessie said she would do that this week.

Jessie stated that she felt she dropped the ball on the vendor tent for the Fall Festival. She stated she just didn't have the time to devote to being president at this time and thinks it best to resign her position at this time. She would still like to be involved with Chamber, just not as an officer. She will prepare the agenda for next month's meeting, giving the remaining officers time to find a replacement.

The next Bushnell Chamber meeting will be Wednesday, September 11th at Rosy's at noon.

Jessie Havens, President