



Meeting Minutes

April 9th, 2026

Roll Call

- Michaela Good
- Lauren Wiley
- Fritz Nelson
- Mallory DeMaiolo
- Stephanie Kale
- Lauren Halverstadt

General and Roundtable Updates

Community Members

- **Presidents Report (Michaela):**
 - Construction update (w/ Lauren)
 - Sent out a new newsletter yesterday
 - Sponsorship packet - do we want to get some of these printed?
 - Cost updated for the cost for the cafe to be the cost and not the cost + turf? This should be around 25k
 - Do we want to reserve the We-Go-Round for Ryan and the We-Go-Swing for Sofia
 - **Donated by: Dedicated to:**
 - Anything else we should add or adjust prior to me updating this again
 - Created a paid ad on Facebook with new sponsorships
 - To keep us active I created social posts from now - 22nd.
 - Aiming for 2 posts a day. Sponsorships and Thank yous.
 - Working with Columbiana Tourism on a possible donation - one member suggested they might be able to do a \$5k - \$6k donation (Sign or Bench Foundations maybe)
 - Still waiting for a phone call from TC Energy - getting a little frustrated with this one \$25k
 - Waiting on call from CCF (Me or Fritz should get called in the next few weeks) \$25k
 - DataCom will probably donate the cameras themselves rather than send us money - the cameras actually cost about 14k and we had them at 9k so it's likely they will just install the cameras but I am working on that with them. Money would be great to pay for the turf but this might be a one off situation
 - GreyBar - might take care of our light pole and flood lights (working with Jenn Witmer and rep on this)
 - Better positioning. Not shining into houses.
 - Lauren and I met with RT Vernal and Hipply - waiting on any costs from them still. RT will give all labor but materials we will likely have to pay for unless between the 680 project and City they have enough. Trucking we might be able to get donated by Gross.
 - Reached out to a multitude of new places the past 2 weeks
 - Places down Rt 14 - YESCO already sent their donation in, so far nothing from Dodge/ Jeff, Tom the Plumber/Ranger (the guy wasn't very nice not Audrey's

husband), Crash Champions, Tiger Pack, M&E, United Rentals, Wayside

- Builders Unions
- My Union (UAW 1112) - we should get something but it won't be big. Ultimatum is still on shut down so it's rough right now.
- Lake Club
- YCAR
- R & J Trucking
- Rollergraphics
- East Liverpool Hospital
- St. Jude - Knights of Columbus (Jen requested info and I sent her, haven't heard anything yet)

○ Ladies Night

- Received donation from Aster & Violet
- Lashes by Lilly donation will be given to Michalea on 15th

● **Vice Presidents Report (Stephanie):**

- Compco will have sample donor plaques ready in about 2 weeks. They are covering the cost of all current and future donor plaques per Rick Fryda. Everything will be done in house.
 - Tree, butterflies, flowers etc
- We need to decide on what level donation gets on the donor wall. \$3000+? \$5000+.
- I tried to stop in Naveah Grace and Jessie's boutique in Salem for door prizes, but they were closed Monday- sent fb message.
- Sent message to Grey boutique, EJ Hannah and La Ti Da Boutique (Boardman) for door prize items
- Denise Hirschbeck is deciding what sponsorship she wants to do, I am calling her Thursday to follow up. They committed to \$5000
- Emailed Josh Martin - Assistant Superintendent with CCBDD regarding sponsorship opportunity for the ADA parking package. Asked to send current available sponsorship opportunities- emailed today.
- What's everyone's thoughts on approaching restaurant and food establishments in Columbiana asking if they would do a % of sales night towards CPP? If we can get several to participate, and get them to choose a Friday or Saturday could bring in a decent amount? And also get in front of the community (flyers at the establishments). It also makes the business themselves look good - a win win? I would be happy to approach the businesses but wouldn't be able to until I get back from Jamaica, so the week of May 11th.
- Do we are any to try reaching out to Reiser again about a corn hole fundraiser- revisit some other organizations had canceled events

● **Financial Report (Fritz):**

- Total Raised: \$664,173
- Raised this year: \$215,341
- Cash on hand: \$317,774

- Donor Breakdown
 - We have 261 donors (excluding Beerfest, including Sophia)
 - We have 23 donors over \$5,000.
 - \$100 - 249: 66 donors
 - \$250 - 499: 21 donors
 - \$500 - 999: 16 donors
 - \$1,000 - 4,999: 31 donors
 - \$5,000 - 9,999: 12 donors
 - \$10,000 - \$49,999: 9 donors
 - \$50,000 - \$99,999: 1 donor
 - Over \$100,000: 1 donor
 - Sophia Fund: \$15,572 (Sophia Fund donors included above)
 - Bracelet Fund: \$1,185
- Donor List:

<https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/15L0kHtMH6v0P21jxx182o1KggNM84PglKgKbjhTZQ1M/edit?gid=0#gid=0>
- Before doing donor plaques we need to contact every donor to confirm how they wish to be listed on the plaque.
- We need to wrestle with the business recognition rules. Do we contact the businesses and tell them they need a name for the plaques or do we just list businesses along with other donors and dare the park board / Firestone lawyers to do anything.
- We need some way to recognize lower level donors.
- Goals:
 - Catch up with receipting / thank you's.
 - Submit 990 to IRS.
- **Secretary Report (Lauren H):**
 - Working on Ladies Night Door Prize Baskets:
 - Received:
 - Nail Drip Studio- Gift Card
 - Salon Anthrium- Product & Gift Card
 - Feathered Threads: Basket of items
 - Cider Mill Coffee: Gift cards \$40/\$40 (horst deli)
 - Will contact when ready (Asking for them by April 17th)
 - Skin Bright Studio- Basket of items
 - Main Street Esthetics- Basket of Items -MG will get April 15th
 - Olive and Ivy- Items
 - Contacted without response:
 - Paintedbylys- 1 attempt
 - Cozy Home- 3 attempts
 - Generation- 2 attempts
- **Social & Inbound Report (Mallory):**
 - Happy to help wherever needed

	■ Can work on a few more Ladies Night baskets if we need ■ Will go into businesses for general donations when back in town or can follow up with whoever ● Nothing back from Tractor Supply (I'm going to reach out to boosters and see who they contacted) ■ Sent an email to 20 some people last week. Many of the same people we asked for stadium and baseball, but worth another ask ■ Plan to post on my neighborhood Facebook next week with donation link ○ Any social posts needed/ideas- let me know ○ Still working on grants- will continue to send to Michalea ● Construction / Events (Lauren W): - Working with Michaela on construction. - Park Clean Up: will hang up flyers around town the next few days, check in with Tim week of, get water donated? - Parade: finished up the flyer for memorial day parade. Will ok with 290. Make the double sided flyer with clean up to send home with the kids at crestview, columbiana, and heartland. To Do: gather decorating supplies, ask hogans to donate 2-3 dozen donuts, prizes for winners (3 icecream gc?) - Girls Night: collaboration cider, flower farm, charcuterie, and band are all confirmed. Lauren H working on door prizes. Will pay to promote on FB. - Taste of Columbiana: Reach out to Carrie for a meeting to see how can promote and make the most of the event for fundraising. Could use help on this. - Beerfest - haven't heard from yet. We are still the beneficiary we believe. - Thoughts on having a benefit concert at West Side Bowl? Or another large venue? Featuring maybe the Labra Brother's. - Behind on asking the few target donors I have left on my list. Will work on this as time allows with my current situation. Could use 6 more books! - Legion Appreciation Family Day- May 16th- Set up table??
	Tasks ● Michalea updating packets ● Lauren W- look into Run a 50/50 with an already planned concert or movie night ● Michalea- contact about Heros and Halos about people to Piggy Back off of family movie night with Tiras etc ● Flyer approval and send home ○ Lauren H- Columbiana ○ Michalea- Heartland ○ Stephanie- Crestview

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| | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Lauren H- Send out email to Dixon to see if teachers will have children make something they can bring to the parade. |
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Next Meeting

- **April 17th @ 3:45 at the church.**