

CACHE PEAK CIVIC ASSOCIATION MINUTES

June 3, 2010 – 7:00 p.m.

Almo, Idaho

Cache Peak Emergency Services Building

The attendance sheet is attached.

Kent Durfee opened the meeting.

**Minutes from Last Meeting.** The May minutes were read and approved with corrections. Kent Durfee corrected the statement that Jay Black had replaced Jack Erickson on the water board, but the correct organization is the Flood District.

**July 4<sup>th</sup> Preparations.** Kent Durfee asked if anyone had heard from Dave. No one had. Kent said we should go through the membership and see who will do required tasks.

George Darrington suggested that we decide what we can do and what expectations are. The older folks expect a traditional dinner to be served with a desert, drink, and salad or potato salad. Kristen Bastis, George Darrington, and Kent Durfee volunteered to be the food committee and meet June 8 at 7:00 pm to discuss the menu.

Typically sodas are sold by the kids. George Darrington will get together with Elba to find out what they did.

**Mail Delivery Update.** Doug Ward gave an update regarding the mail route changes. The route has been changed to avoid left hand delivery. This results in the need for new turnouts. The delivery route is now longer to accommodate the right hand only delivery. This is causing fuel costs to go up for the deliverer and inefficiencies such as carrying the Almo mail out of Almo, then back in for delivery, as well as hours that make it difficult to get to the Almo post office. This affects the Almo post office revenue.

Doug said that the upper levels of the post office are aware of the difficulties and inefficiencies, but are bound by their handbook.

George Darrington suggested that we send a letter of concern regarding the difficulties the delivery person is dealing with and the problems the post office's area customers are suffering. The letter should be general and cover 1) degradation of service, 2) inefficient and more expensive delivery, and 3) the effect on the Almo post office, specifically the poor hours and the loss of revenue. A copy should go to the senators and representatives. Janice will create the letter.

**Lex Kunau Presentation.** Stan Loyd reported on the presentation of the beautiful clock Johnathon Durfee made for Mr. Kunau. Mr. Kunau was reluctant to participate, but finally did and Lisa Daily did an interview. The paper reported the event. Lisa is also interested in Stan Lloyd's geological information and the oral history effort. She may do some follow up interviews for those subjects.

**Oral History Program.** Stan Lloyd wants to meet with Kristen Bastis to create a release form and a standard set of questions. Kristen Bastis reported that Valerie Bowen of the Burley Museum says there are no release forms for the histories the museum has. Also, the Idaho State Historical Society has a booklet that discusses methods for conducting oral histories. In order to use material like oral histories, one must own the rights to the material. The legal aspects need to be explained to the collectors. A signature is required, but that does not grant exclusivity for a history.

George Darrington pointed out the need for an outline that makes it easy to record who is recording the history with names, dates, and location.

Ideas were discussed about creating a multimedia presentation. George Darrington felt that we should keep things simple and first figure out where we want to go with this.

Kristen Bastis suggested that we include the area ward family history consultants in the project. She mentioned that we can also bring in trainers to help.

Hannah North motioned to host an oral history trainer and Kristen Bastis seconded the motion. The cost is \$50.00. The motion was passed with no opposition. The date is targeted as "later in the year".

**Firehouse Update.** Stan Lloyd reported that the firehouse has a new concrete floor with drainage. The project is a bit short of funds after paying for the floor and therefore ACE will approach the CPCA for an infusion to pay for insurance when it becomes due.

Stan Lloyd motioned for adjournment. Kristen Bastis seconded.