

BSCP General Meeting Minutes
April 15, 2010
40&8

Attendance: George Bressler, Gregg Hogg, Virginia Ivanoff, Barb Garra, Bill Hines, Rick Hefelfinger, Nina Vacante, Bob Emrich, Krista Jones.

Meeting was called to order by George at 6:40pm.

Secretary:

Copies of the March General meeting minutes were posted on our website and distributed. Barb requests to waive the reading of the minutes. The minutes are emailed to all in attendance. If there any discrepancies, disputes, or revisions, these changes are made before posting them on the website. Every member has the opportunity to read the minutes prior to next month's meeting. Krista makes a motion to waive the reading of the minutes. All agreed and approved.

Treasurer Report:

Bob reports a balance of \$6,299.33. The largest expenditures are the 40 & 8... Treasurer's Picnic, Mississippi Railroad. Jimmy "Duck" Holmes still needs paid. All members pay for this event.

Membership:

No report. Buster and Dot are absent. (Juke Joint Festival)

Jam:

No report. Rocky is absent.

Public Relations:

Rick reports that B & A Sound is still searching for bands to volunteer at an Upcoming military fund raiser. He sent them email and made a phone call. They Have yet to respond to either one. They will provide the sound for the Treasurer's Picnic and the MRR for \$600 each. The sound for Jimmy "Duck" Holmes will be provided by BSCP.

Jeff Kunkle emailed Rick inquiring about provisions for an amp for this event. George replies this will be available.

Hand outs were printed for this event. Dot has the bulk of them.

Also, he called them in Mississippi regarding ordering extra newsletters. It was Agreed to order more. The first issue has a list of all upcoming events for the Year and this could draw more memberships. Bob reminds us that prior practice, the first issue was sent to all current members as well as members from the prior year. All agreed to print extra copies. 197 plus 50 extra.

It was also decided to post the newsletter on our website.

Woodshed Productions in Huntingdon is having a blues show July. Nina suggests adding this to our list of events.

George reminds us that Paul Zavinsky is still seeking volunteers for the WITF event. We will send an email to all the members after we get more specific Details. Mom offered to contact him.

IBC:

Bill reports they are still searching for judges. We may possibly have Audience participation for judging. Other possible judges include Cy Cotton, Bill Wax, Mae Washington. Bill strongly believes that the main Judging criteria should be what Memphis has. BSCP should not be part of the judging. Admission is free for members and \$10 for non members.

Newsletter:

Krista reports she took out all the hyperlinks. Rick suggests more Information for the newsletter. Krista states that eight pages is the Limit for the newsletter.

Website:

Nina states that it she is running behind on an update and will follow up This weekend. Also, for the Jimmy Duck Holmes event...music is 8pm to midnight. Doors open to the public at 7pm. Non members need to be out of the building one half hour after the event.

Old Business:

George confirms the Sonny award be presented to Eric Wewer. Phil Shenk from the Riverboat called. They have a band called PA Crude Premium Blues. Leo on keyboards approached George at The last Thursday jam stating that they would be playing for the Riverboat Blues Cruise.

Merchandise: Judy is not present. No report available.

Bob makes a motion to adjourn the meeting. All approve.
The meeting was adjourned at 7:30pm.

These minutes are to be revised or accepted.

Respectfully,

Barb Garra, Secretary