

Hampton Roads Pride
January 5th, 2009 Board of Directors & Membership
Meeting Minutes

The meeting was called to order at 7pm by President James Parker. Board Members present – James Parker, President; Patrick Bradley, Treasurer; Chris Downing, Member; Tim Welborn, Member; Trever Holden, Member. Proxy for Jack Gregory held by James Parker. Members present – Rick Jennings, Mike Carter, Terry Bourn, Mike Flannagan, India Larelle Houston (Queen of Pride), Ashley Portier (Pride Idol), Andy and Tom Formisano.

Dues paid by all members collected and noted.

The minutes from the December 1st, 2008 meeting were reviewed and amended. Motion to approve the minutes as amended by Patrick, seconded by Tim. Motion carried.

Treasurer's Report –

A verbal Treasurer's report was given by Patrick Bradley. A total of \$1177.15 remains in the General Fund after a check to the City of Chesapeake for \$2160 for Out in the Park. A total of \$1261 remains in the Scholarship Fund and \$1100 remains in the CD. A \$1000 deposit remains for a cruise at a later date. \$1000 in sponsorship was received from Leather and Lace, \$500 sponsorship was received from the Garage and \$500 sponsorship was received from Skip's.

Old Business -

Toy Drive Garage, December 14th, 2008, raised \$333 and several toys were donated from the Pool League. All toys bought were donated to Chesapeake CPS and TACT.

New Business-

January Fundraiser, In Between, January 10th, 2009, hosted by the Queen of Pride with special guests.

GLBT Leadership Event, January 14th, 2009, unsure of plans from HROC.

Valentine's Eve Adult Toy and Fashion Show at In Between, February 13th, 2009, planning in progress with Patrick, Leather and Lace, the Knighthawks and Ashley.

Drag King Pageant (March) at the Hershee Bar, need contact information for the Hershee Bar. India to work on this.

Trailer Park Pageant (April) at the In Between, Patrick to schedule with the In Between.

Out in the Park date announced as June 28th, with committees to be announced at the February meeting. It was determined that about \$10,000 needs to be raised in order to have a successful Out in the Park. The date was moved to June in order to coincide with the 40th anniversary of the Stonewall riots.

President's Remarks

The President asked all visitors if they had anything to add, which nothing was added.

A motion to adjourn was made by Tim, and seconded by Trever. Motion passed.

The meeting was adjourned at 8pm.

Respectfully submitted,

James L. Parker
President
Hampton Roads Pride