

May Chamber Meeting 2024

The May meeting was held at Rosy's Pizza at Noon on May 8, 2024. There were 12 people in attendance. The treasure's report was read by Renee with a balance of \$18,180.61. Jessie reported that she received a check from Boden's Amusement for their donation from May Play Day's.

The word on Vaughan is that it has been bought but not saying who at this time. Vintage Collection on West Main Street is having their grand opening on May 10th. Kim reported that T.J. Maxx and Hobby Lobby will be in the old K-Mart building in Macomb. There will be a third retail company released by mid-June. The Rialto Cinema in Macomb has reopened. Jessie gave an updated report on the yard sales. People would like to have a map next year. During May Play Days the chamber tried to get coverage for the tracks for safety of children crossing them. We would pay a group \$75 per crossing per night.

The group had a discussion on some upcoming activities for the summer months. A pool party or movie in the park. Hosting a Breakfast/Coffee with the Chambers or even a wine & cheese night with some local wineries. Devon from the Bushnell Park Board has volunteered the screen and projector. Shelly offered to pay for the rights to get the movie credits for the park board. The chamber would like to pass out a business coupon book to local residents that participate in these activities.

We had a guest speaker from the Macomb Chamber of Commerce, Lauren Merritt to explain how the Macomb Chamber Bucks work. She gave us some very viable information that we will hope to use in our Bushnell Bucks program.

The next Bushnell Chamber meeting will be Wednesday June 12 at Rosy's at noon.

Upcoming events:

B-PC Elementary Penny Carnival	5/10
Vintage Connection Grand Opening	5/10
Mother's Day Trivia Night-Park District	5/11
B-PC graduation	5/19
Last day of school	5/30
CCC Vendor Expo 8-3	6/8
Bushnell Train Depot Fundraiser/80's Reunion	6/22
VFW Ride for Veterans/band	6/22

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