

OHCRA 2012 PLANNING MEETING NOTES

OHCRA Members Present:

Tony & Alice, Jock & Debbie, Harold & Laurie, Ted & Connie, Wil & Gloria, Tom & Sharon, Steve, Larry & Sophie

Treasury Report:

Tom read and provided copies of the Treasury Report. OHCRA's balance as of 10/30/12 in the checking account is \$1937.33. After income and expenses we had a deficit of \$74.10 for the year. The CD value is \$5500.

Old Business:

Ted read the minutes from the 2011 Planning meeting. Following is the status of issues remaining from that meeting:

- There was some discussion related to the revised brochures. Tony will look into making them available to print from the website.
- Harold provided an update on Paul Wood. Some members talked with Paul on the phone after the meeting. Paul says he is doing okay.
- OHCRA 30 year reunion outing (Wil). This is discussed in detail below.
- Membership was discussed. We went through the list and eliminated a few names.
- Wil presented the extensive progress he has made on the event to celebrate the 30th anniversary of the first Across Ohio Adventure. The following are a few key points discussed with results:
 - The dates were previously set for July 19 thru 21, 2013.
 - Location is Indian Lake, OH.
 - Wil has an option to stay in 2 cottages with a carriage house overflow that can accommodate about 25 people.
 - Cost will be \$20/person or \$30/couple. This includes a full hot breakfast cooked by the cottage owners. It was agreed to accept this option.
 - An option for camping at the campground was discussed, and accepted, to provide for canoe equipment for those wanting to canoe or camp vs. the cottages.
 - Meat options were discussed. It was decided that Tony will obtain pulled pork for the main dish. Side dishes were selected which Wil will obtain.
 - It was agreed that OHCRA would pay for the food, invitations and leather canoes, and individuals would pay for their lodging (cottage, camping or other), and shirts.
 - It was agreed that the invitations (Jamie/Wil) would go out soon with an RSVP date of 3/15/12. A form (Wil) for ordering T-shirts and Hoodies and choice of camping or cottage, etc., will be attached to the invitation. Payment to OHCRA required to be returned with invitation.
 - Activities:
 - Friday – arrival and get together for hello's, reminiscing, etc. All should bring photo albums, slides, videos, etc., for sharing.

- Saturday – breakfast at 0800, shuttle at 1000 for those interested in boating, more camaraderie and reunion. Saturday evening – dinner and more hellos’, reminiscing, etc. All should bring photo albums, slides, videos, etc., for sharing.
- Sunday – breakfast at 0800, nothing else planned.
- All will receive a small leather canoe as a memento from the reunion.

New Business:

- Jock made a motion that OHCRA give a copy of the “Basic Canoeing Handbook” to Erika (Steve’s daughter), in appreciation of her effort and to foster her interest in canoeing. All agreed and a copy was signed by those present and given to Steve.
- The 2013 trip schedule was discussed. The resulting schedule is attached.

2013 Proposed Trips/Schedule:

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| January | Nothing Planned | |
| February | Nothing Planned | |
| March 22/23 | St Mary’s | Tony/Wil/Steve |
| April 18-21 | Mohican, Black Fork | Wil/Tony |
| May 16-19 | Maumee (IN) | Tom/Tony |
| June 21/22 | Paint Creek | Tony/Ted |
| July 19-21 | 30 th Reunion (Indian Lake) | Wil (others) |
| August 23-25 | Mad | Ted |
| September 20-24 | Allegheny (PA) | Liz/Tony |
| October 18-20 | Whitewater (IN) | Ted |

(Larry & Sophia will be going to the Adirondacks again in October. All are welcome to join them, as they will help anyone with shuttles, etc.)

November 3, 2013 11:00 AM OHCRA Planning Meeting in Columbus, OH Tony

Please suggest any other rivers (in or out of Ohio) that anyone is interested in doing!