

October 20, 2008 Park Board Meeting

In attendance: Cindy Kimm, Deana Wright, Tom Kurtz, Peg Garton, Pam Spannuth, Marggie Faley

Meeting called to order by Cindy Kimm at 1:00PM
Minutes of October 6, meeting approved as distributed

Riverside Gardens

Grand Gazebo construction is continuing. Progress is visible. Landscape committee is placing flag stone at the entrance of the drain coming off the hill from the circle drive to make a splash form for draining water and to prevent erosion. Ground cover will be planted within this stone frame. Trees along the river front will be pruned to raise their canopy this fall. The transplanted Spruce trees will be sprayed at the appropriate time to ensure protection from bag worms. Four Dogwood trees were donated and planted and mulched at RSG. Thanks to Betty Sauder for this donation. All new and transplanted trees are watered regularly. The Board reviewed expenses for the Grand Gazebo so far. Port-a-jon will remain at RSG only till the end of November.

Fall Festival

The Fall Festival was a complete success. Thank you to Deana and her committee for a job well done. Approximately 230 people attended. Thank you to those that donated to this worthwhile event. The Board reviewed expenses and donations with Pam. A complete report is forthcoming.

Programs and Events

Our December event is Cookies with Santa. This event will be on Thursday, December 18, 2008. 5:30PM to 7:30PM. Children will decorate cookies; Santa and reindeer will be there and there will be train rides.

Promotion has begun for Leaf Pick Up-Clean Up on November 22, at L-C Park. An article is in Courier to ask for volunteers. The Board will decorate Leo-Cedarville Pavilion for Christmas in early December. Trick or Treat in Leo-Cedarville will be Friday, Oct. 31, 5:30PM to 7:30PM.

Buildings and Grounds

Flag Stone will be placed around the new location of the flag in L-C Park. Concrete has been repaired at the main door of the pavilion. The front door will be remodeled. We will promote L-C Businesses in December with a promotion of \$10 for any business to use the L-C sign for advertising. Also, every Monday in January, February and March 2009 we will be thanking L-C businesses on the Park Sign.

The board Discussed ongoing maintenance activities for fall and winter.

Items for next Board meeting: Review of Arborwise Survey Report; Discussion of various Rental and Donation Policies.

Next meeting November 3, 2008

Marggie Faley, Secretary