

Summit Chamber Chapter meeting minutes March 5th, 2021

Whitney Smith (Stone CPA), Mark McManis, Tasha TOF, Tony Pestello, Nora TOF, Sheri Paul, Blair McGary, Doug Berg

Discussion of role of chapters, different than leads group, Tony provided history. Tony mentioned it was easy to go to Chamber website to get links for all meetings.

Scholarships

7 applicants for 2 \$500 scholarships to be awarded. Mark, Nora, and Tasha were reviewers. They selected 2 recipients: Sofia Henry above 4.0 GPA involved w/ community, worked with TOF events team and Fun Club (interested in medicine, West Point, Dartmouth, etc.). Rachael Sanchez (Metro, CMC, or Colorado Mesa University) lower GPA but financial need much higher, working to help pay the bills at home was her extra-curricular activity. Colorado school no longer a criteria for the Frisco scholarships. Key criteria that they live in Frisco, parents have a business in Frisco.

No information on when presentation is yet. Review system will go away at the end of March, Tasha will be sure to download information about applicants to follow up with them in the future.

Sheri is there anything we can do to additionally recognize the recipients? Last year we were asked to put together a little video, which could be an opportunity. Tony suggested we put on social media, put on our website. Could bring more Instagram followers in that age range, highlight on monthly ad in newspaper. Put video on YouTube channel. Right now, don't have monthly ads on Summit Daily, could do a press release. Blair will add to her notes for sure. Tasha will get those over to the school.

Town of Frisco and Events

Nora could fill us in, no major events by Town of Frisco including July 4th and BBQ. Not looking like health department levels

Expanding concerts in park, doing 12 of those. June 17th – Sept 2 right now. BBQ definitely not happening. July 4th trying to re-imagine and re-envision some things for that. Fall Fest is not completely off the table yet, trying to figure out ways to do that. Summit County meet the arts show that goes along with that. Town clean-up day again expand into a week. Will talk to other towns and get that information out.

Blair asked about non-profits for alcohol sales. Chapter could be a fit for that, allowed to apply for that. Application in next 2 weeks. Good opportunity for this chapter for that. Could be looking at reservations, maybe a small fee of like \$5 to get a reservation to manage numbers. It will be cool to get out there and have some live music again and support some of our local musicians as well. All at the Historic Park due to parking and infrastructure.

March 9th will be discussing CDOT gap project from new roundabout all the way to Main Street completing summer 2021 starting in April. Town Council also discussing possibility of the town

promenade and sent out survey to generate feedback. Survey did go out, please forward. Also posted about it on the Summit Chamber Facebook page.

Marina construction will be done in stations. New lift station and start building this year.

Meeting adjourned.