

SBCBA Friday, Nov 4, 7am—Mildmay Community Centre

Adam welcomed everyone to the general meeting.

Those present were—Elaine Fischer, Les Nichols, Dale Loughheed, Adam Ireland, Jim Gowland, Shirley Kuntz, Cherie Leslie, Nic Wise

Approval of Minutes from Oct. meeting—Jim made a motion to accept the minutes and seconded by Les all in favour.

Treasurers' report—Elaine nothing outstanding

Membership report—New business in Mildmay—name to find out yet.

Municipal report Mark and Leanne not in attendance

Tourism Report Snowmobile trail sign discussion—Joe to find out who the president is- found no structure, Adam to talk to John Sutton and Warren Weber.—Put signs up to promote 2 towns and signs to access the towns. Nic and Edward Fuels(Mildmay) put up signs just outside Mildmay—signs made front and back – did 10 – Food and Gas available – do main intersections outside Teeswater and Mildmay. How far should we go with signage—small map of town and number of km. New tough signs cost \$240.00. Some towns don't like you in town. Co ordinate with Municipality to official path into town. Sign of Map up at Harley's, has table for helmets and mitts in lobby . EVERYSLED ON THE TRAIL DROPS AT LEAST \$100.00 A DAY WHEN OUT ON A RUN.

Sign include restaurant, gas, food. May have to pay a little extra. Teeswater has the best access. Harley,s willing to pay extra, all towns to co ordinate meeting places for parking at halls ect.

The whole project Tourism, SBCBA and Chamber about \$500.00 each Jim made a motion to move business are in a 3 way split, business, tourism and business association be for signage seconded by Les

Village path to discuss with Gary Pike—Adam to look into this.

Old Business Commercial land in South Bruce-- Let membership know , Elaine to invite to attend Council meeting Nov. 8 at 6:00 o'clock

Leanne putting together South Bruce infrastructure list of buildings, office space etc for lease—must be 50 km from Bruce Power Teeswater is 46 km and Mildmay is 54 km

Teeny Tiny Summit Nov 15 at Alvinston-- \$50 registration fee Mary and Shirley to attend.

Nic attending a meeting at Best Western in Walkerton on Nov. 10

Elaine has offered to help Kathy with Business of the month—We are going to loose members, need to do Dec., Jan., and Feb. Draw up 10 questions Dec.—Coop, Jan. Harleys and Feb. – Lloyd Kuntz Sales.

Adam to do a write up for Crier and Teeswater newsletter.

Commercial Land topic to be raised at Council—budget amount—cost sounds pretty high, need land drainage, up grade pipes, service lots—1 acre lots for \$1000.00 an acre. Need to get capacity to that lot to begin with. Investment by the municipality—street, sewers?? What exactly are they doing, if not doing anything are they putting up for sale or what. Keep in mind especially with what is happening at the Bruce. Adam and Elaine to attend council meeting on Nov. 8

Next meeting Dec. 12 @ Harleys for breakfast at 7am. Jim Gowland will not be there.

Adjourn-- Dale

At 8:00 until about 9:30 we listened to a presentation by NWMO . Paul Austin, Andy Kari and Cherie Leslie. We then looked at the display in the hall and were welcome to ask questions.

Nic had suggested getting Grade 6, 7 and 8 children and create capacity for the young kids. There is a STEAM program for these grades to attend now. Steam, technology, engineering, art and math.

The new Business in Mildmay is called "This Old Thing" specializing in vintage clothing and décor.