## Minutes May 14, 2014

## 7:10 PM

Meeting was called to order followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

Secretary's Report was read and approved by:

- 1. Tom Whitely
- 2. Ed Bailey

Treasurer's Report was read and approved by:

- 1. Sal Lopresti
- 2. Frank Mertz

Total Paid members as of May 14, 52

<u>Old Business</u>: Tim spoke to his contacts at Penns Peak, Laney Roberts, Casey and the Manager—No one has gotten back to him. At this time no further contact will be made to them regarding a cruise.

A suggestion was made to revisit our Charities. Post a list of the charities we contribute to so those attending our cruises know that we are supporting local endeavors.

Our Cruise to Mauch Chunk Rod & Gun Club is a go for August 1<sup>st</sup>, as per Andy Yurchak Gun Club president.

Members photos still have not been sent to Tim for our website. When we start cruising Tim will try to get photos.

Advertising for our cruises was talked about. To put an ad in the Times News is costly. Since the Ice Dam is out of the way, it was discussed about how it can be advertised for people to see. It was suggested about Dollar a Hollar and BRC for advertising. We already are on Blue Ridge Communications.

<u>New Business:</u> Franklin Township Volunteer Fire Company is on for June 1<sup>st</sup>, at the Fire Company.

**The Bagel Bunch** sent an email to Joe asking if we could do a cruise at their restaurant on May 29, 2014. It was discussed but at this time, due to concerns about traffic and not so good surface for parking cars we would not be able to do one this year. Joe would talk to the owner to address the concerns we have about having a cruise there.

New Members Mark and Christine Rawlins were voted in with approval by:

- 1. Sal Lopresti
- 2. Andy Yurchak

A question was asked about Free Will to Park. There were some concerns about people that come early and do not donate. Also it was suggested that Dave the DJ can make an announcement about the charities we donate to. Maybe have a charity a month that we can promote at our cruises.

BenSalem UCC will have a Strawberry Social on June 8 at 12:00.

Can our events be incorporated with Yvonne Tellers events list? This will be looked into to see if we can get our events posted.

All business discussed motion to adjourn was by:

- 1. Frank Mertz
- 2. Andy Yurchak

8:15 PM

Respectfully submitted,

Wilma Hoppes Secretary, JBCCC