The Freedom Riders of Indiana Chapter 4 Meeting Minutes for: September 9, 2023

Members Present:

Belle	Red	Tuz	Skull	RN	Rebel
Bouncer	Rowdy	Ol Man	Nana	Spaceman	Mimi
Wrench	Cowboy	Turtle	Odie	Wings	Nunbiz
Panther	Bear	Grace	Taxman		

Guests:

Ryan Adamson	Cassie Taylor	Destinee Robertson
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Meeting Called to Order by: Odie

Pledge Recited

Prayer Given by: Taxman

Minutes from previous meeting approved as mailed/emailed

Reports:

President:

Odie and Tuz had discussed dry erase fake check for giving donations for picture purposes. Bought by Tuz and Skull and they donated it to the group.

Treasurer's Report given by RN

Beginning Balance Checking: \$7004.60 (\$1620.95 for suicide awareness)

Beginning 220\4 Balance Savings: \$275.53

Deposits: \$133.75 from Wings Etc, \$30.29 from Bonfire, \$10 from Odie

Expenditures: \$200 to Ch 3, \$247 to Odie. Ordered Checks, Ordered Ron business Cards.

Ending balances: Checking: \$5383.65. Saving: \$275.53

Motion to accept All Reports: Wings. 2nd by: Bear. All in favor. Motion Carried

Membership:

Applications:

- 1. Ryan Adamson for member, nick name Outlaw
- 2. Cassie Taylor for Posse, nick name Sassy

Motion to accept applications made by Rebel, 2nd by Rowdy. All in Favor. Motion Carried.

Old Business:

- 1. Christmas family to sponsor for this year. Tuz and Taxman are still working on getting a name.
- 2. Odie mentioned the Veteran by Red Gold. Odie is going to get with Bubbles about a good time.
- 3. Discussed a savings boost from last month. Tuz's likes the idea of upping the savings balance. Red also thinks it is a good idea to have a bigger pad in the savings. After discussing the amount to raise it to, it was settled to raise it up to \$1500. Motion to raise balance by Rebel, 2nd by Bear. All in favor, motion carried.
- 4. River Rally is sold out this year, but all think it is a good idea. Tuz has already contacted them. We can stop by booth 4 and get on the list for next year. It is \$75 to hold a spot. Motion to do River Rally made by Bear and 2nd by Rebel. All in Favor. Motion carried. Tuz will be taking point on this.
- 5. Tabled the Tik Tok discussion as Tinkerbelle was unable to attend due to work.
- 6. October's meeting will have Refuge and the Suicide Awareness groups for check presentation.
- 7. Ol Man mentioned that the applications need updated as there is a wording issue. Should read group or organization, not club. Belle will update.

Motion to accept all old business made by Belle, 2nd by Red. All in Favor. Motion Carried.

New Business:

- 1. Bear and Panther want to present a plaque to Gas City Police for their support of our group. Everyone likes the idea. Motion to have a plaque made and present it to Gas City PD made by RN, Bouncer 2nd, all in favor. Motion carried.
- 2. Tuz mention perhaps participating in the Red Gold Chili Cookoff. It is \$35 to enter. Details and vote will be put in chat.
- 3. Need to update Facebook page to show affiliations. Any Admin can do that, but Belle will look into it. Try to tag groups if possible.
- 4. RN mentioned Let my Light Shine. Odie is going to try to get ahold of Proud Souls to find out about it.
- 5. Odie thanked Wrench for allowing us to participate in the memorial ride. Wrench and family appreciated it.
- 6. Tuz mentioned possible doing a trunk or treat in October maybe in Fairmount the Saturday before Halloween. Once confirmed, flyers will need to be made. More details to be put in chat.

Motion to accept all new business by Bear, 2nd by Red. All in favor, motion carried.

Important Dates/Event:

Next Meeting: October 14th, 2023 at 6:30pm at Gas City Park

Taxman gave closing prayer.

Motion to adjourn made by Wings, 2nd by Red, all in favor, Motion Carried.