

Bristol Community Events Committee

August 10 2026

Meeting Minutes

Present: Janice Snyder, Les Dion, Sue Peterson, Martha Hulsman, Annie Learned, Gina Richford, Ingrid Heidenreich, Tim Woodward, Kirsten Marsh

Janice opened the meeting at **1802**

Secretary's Report

No July minutes as need the recording

Financial Report

No report, should have clear numbers for next month after summer events are completed.

Summer Concerts

- Will do full review after all concerts are done.
 - This weeks band complained of sun/heat.
 - Talked about changing the time - not convenient
 - Getting a screen - wring side
 - Last concert is September 3rd.
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Old Home Day (August 29)

Food Vendors

- Have four food trucks
- Waiting to confirm the ice cream truck

Layout Changes

- Food trucks moving to opposite side of field.
- Fire Department, Police Department, and Fish & Game will occupy dirt road area.
- Additional vendor layout adjustments remain under review.
- Map handed out with initial layout

Entertainment

- Gina will get some kid prizes for the games
- Three times for games 11am, 12pm and 2pm - need volunteers for each
- Chicken throwing will go at 2pm and Scouts will help.
- Mirror Me has cancelled, problem with the deposit.
 - Do we want to replace with something or leave it.
 - Consensus to leave it, there is enough going on and limited help

Rubber Chicken Contest

- Last year furthest was 70 feet so course needs to be at least this long
- Dan will mark field

Fashion Show

- Annie has everything planned and will be done by others on the day. Nothing needed from committee

Cooling Tent

- Have a misting fan, need to have people keep an eye on it as it will need to be filled with water or will burn out.
- Placed by water for easy refill.

Medical Support

- Will have the primary ambulance and another ambulance down there as well as a truck.

Tent and layout

- Dan and Les will be marking the layout on Friday 2pm - 5pm.
 - Sue and Jim will help
- Will need help setting up tables and chairs under the tent.

Yard Signs

- Discussion on signs from last month and how many to order.
- Martha motioned to order 12 yard signs, for Old Home Day and Scarecrows, seconded by Gina. Motion passed.

Summer Concert Series

Last Concert

- Waiting for contract to be signed.
- Will need volunteers if it happens.
- Fire Company good for food

Scarecrows

- Have 10 stands to sell.
- Display October 8 to October 25.
- Voting will be October 26 to October 31.
- Voting same as last year, online on google form.
- Winner announced November 2.

Halloween

- Will move everything to the park, FD, PD, Witches, other businesses/organizations
 - Allows bathrooms, opens up North Main Street for parking.
- Purchase some solar lights to light up the walkways to the park
- Dead River loved hosting trunk or treat,
 - Need to think of what to have in the road next to the community center to act as a walk through
 - Does the committee want to do a trunk (Annie thoughts)
 - Sue will assist with the parking over there.
- Need to set a meeting with the witches and the committee at Kelley Park
- Should we get candy? Budget
 - Will discuss next month once we have numbers.

Fall Dance

- Will be November 14.
- Band and Homestead all set
- Janice will ask about cookies

- Annie - popcorn bar?
- Need to think about a traveling bar for future

Next meeting is September 14 and the October meeting will be the 19th due to the holiday

Adjournment

Motion to Adjourn: Made by Ingrid and seconded by Martha. Motion passed.

Meeting Adjourned: 1932