Middlecreek Valley Antique Association Inc.

Membership Meeting

Date Held: July 12, 2011 Began: 7:30 PM Carl Landis Presiding

There were 14 members in attendance.

Secretary's report accepted as read, motion by: John Malcolm, 2nd by: Donald Athey, Motion carried.

Amount in the bank: \$7,677.22 CD: \$11,000.00

Treasurer's report accepted as read, motion by: John Malcolm, 2nd by: Kenny Frymoyer, Motion carried.

Old Business: Secretary read the letter that was sent to Roger Moyer about the Association opening up a food stand at the tractor pull track and a thank you letter that was sent to Sam Yoder for working on the binder.

We then had a lengthy discussion on putting a food stand up at the tractor pull track. The stand that was found was looked at and was reported to be in good shape and it has been pre-inspected by the food inspector. It does need to be cleaned and painted and two floor tiles need to be replaced. It has grills, coolers, sinks, 30 gallon hot water heater and it has the vents above the grills and it is 7'x16' in size. The man selling the stand wants \$7100.00 for the stand. There is concern about spending this amount of money right now. We lost over \$100.00 at the spring show and our Basket Bingo's are not making the money that they used to. It was also discussed looking into what it would cost to build our own stand. We would need a 3 bowl sink, a hand washing sink, grills, a hood for above the grills, a hot water heater, a grey water tank a fresh water tank or a fresh water hook up and a fire suppression system. We would also need to see what it would cost to build the building too. We need to see what it would cost to build our own stand and supply it compared to buying this one. It was suggested that we contact the food inspector and ask him what it would take to get this concession stand that we are looking at up and running.

Discussed what we would like to sell out of this stand at the track. We could sell hot dogs, hamburgers, hot sausage sandwiches, fries, chips and drinks.

Mahlon Boop mentioned that the price of potatoes right now has gone up to \$21.00 per 50 pound bag compared to \$8 and \$9 per bag that we were paying. Also, he said that oil has gone up to around \$30.00 per jug. Discussed some places to try to get potatoes for the show and what we could pay.

It was mentioned that there are concerns about having problems with Roger Moyer since we decided to put a food stand at the track. He is still allowed to bring his stand too.

It was then suggested that we should see if we can rent this stand to see if we can make it go. If it does work out for us, we can pay him the rest of the money after the show. If it does not work, then we would not be out the \$7100.00 and the gentleman selling the stand would have a cleaned up stand to sell.

It was suggested that we should see what shape the Snyder County Tractor Pullers grills are in to see if we would have something that we could use if we do not get this stand.

It was mentioned that we should be OK with help for at this stand. We need to have different people working at the track food stand than who works at the food building.

Greg Bingaman knows of a concession stand that we could have a possibility of using for our show. It is a 30 foot long trailer and is loaded. Greg will try to find out on Friday if it is going to be available for us to use for the show.

After discussion, John Malcolm made a motion to rent with the option to buy, the concession stand that we looked at after we find some information out from Greg Bingaman on the stand that he knows about, 2nd by: Donald Athey, Motion carried.

It was decided that a group of members are going to look at this stand again on Saturday.

New Business: We will need to look into getting a water line over to the track.

Mahlon Boop mentioned that 9 inches has been cut off the legs of the potato chip cooler so there is no more need for any steps or blocks.

Discussed a reaper that was donated to the club around 4-5 years ago. It needs to be picked up.

At 9:05 PM, John Malcolm made a motion to adjourn, 2nd by: Mark Cromley, Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted by Michael Clark, Secretary