

LLCC Inn Committee Minutes

April 8, 2023

Members Present: Mary Berni, Lisa Wilson, Paul Wagner, Mary Ann Wagner, Robyn LaRoche, Kyle Skinner

Absent: Sheila Nokes, Sharon Hadsall, Holly Vopat-Steiner, Susan Friends Magee, Sandy Nelson, Nancy Milliman, Sandy Nelson

Staff: Roger Milliman, Jon Huss, Nikki Sprague

Motion: Mary Moved that the March Minutes be accepted, Kyle 2nd the motion. It passed unanimously.

Financials for March--Roger

Compared to last year's earnings in the same time period:

- Restaurant was up 15%
- Café was up 18%
- Lounge was up 33%

Jon was asked how our food prices are compared to other restaurants—a bit lower; drinks are right on; he said that in early June when the new menu is released, prices will be a bit higher than present prices

Operations—Jon and Nikki

There will be no Easter Brunch but special foods like Stuffed Salmon with Crab and Shrimp will be available; there are 55 reservations as of 4/8 and walk-ins are welcome

Comment Cards will no longer be provided unless one is requested—the thought is that they are unprofessional giving the sense to diners that we are not confident in our food and service

Scheduled Monthly Activities

- Easter Egg Hunt—Saturday, April 8 10:00 am
- Easter Food Service—Saturday, April 8 in restaurant
- Trivia—Sunday, April 16 at 5:30 Kyle will provide questions with some new categories
- Bingo—Thursday, April 20 at 6:30
- Fishing Derby Food Service—Saturday, April 22; 6-7 volunteer servers requested and received for breakfast buffet (8:30) and lunch (11:30); Tickets available at door (\$12

breakfast), hotdogs/chips (\$5 lunch)—hotdogs will be cooked in the kitchen and served in the restaurant after breakfast buffet is cleared up; Bloody Mary's served in lounge (\$4)

Future Monthly Activities/Events

- Garage Sale—Mary will research dates but is tentatively set for Saturday, July 22
- Member Wedding in Great Hall—May 27
- Karaoke—May 28? (Memorial Day weekend)
- Lake Limerick Daze—Saturday July 1
- Music on the Patio—July 2nd (part of LL Daze)—Chris Eakes will play
- Beer Dinner—June 6 at 6:00—6 beers and food from Germany, England, and Belgium will be served; informational presentations to be offered by Kyle and Rich; 36 people (max) may attend with ticket prices at \$55 per person
- Music on the Patio—Saturday, August 5—no musicians scheduled yet
- End of Summer Bash—Saturday, September 2 with, music, food and fun all day; extra money makers such as t-shirts and glassware may be available

Old Business

- **Social Memberships**—money goes into the Hospitality Budget—some thinking that the cost should go up (perhaps a sub-committee can be formed to re-work and establish a new policy)
- Flooring in Café—no update
- Restrooms—Pat Paradise volunteered to take on this project
- Inside Display Case—Mary will prepare the display for May—need volunteers for June, July, August, etc.
- Patio Paver Blocks—no update
- Facility Manager—a new maintenance person has been hired
- Patio Hanging Flower Baskets—Sue Sande was in charge of procuring them for \$32 each/already hung—look beautiful!
- Minutes Rotation—a list of volunteers will be created

New Business

- Sue Sande was welcomed as a new member
- **Best of Mason County Awards**—Roger presented—**Best Restaurant—Lake Limerick Inn, Best Dessert, Best Café Chef-Brian Marx, Best Café Server (2nd Place)-Cariann Smith—Congratulations!!!**

*****Meeting Adjourned by unanimous Acclamation at 11:00 am*****