

June 18, 2014 Meeting Minutes

Mantua-Shalersville Area Chamber of Commerce
P.O. Box 111 • Mantua, OH 44255

2013 - 2014 Officers
Christine Pitsinger, President
Becky Tipton, Vice President
Paulette Nichols, Treasurer

Meeting was called to order at 7:34 a.m. Introductions were made.

In Attendance:

Mark Russell, Ellerhorst Russell Insurance	John Festa, Mantua Township
Terri Wilde, Crestwood 4 C's Food Cupboard	Christine Pitsinger, Community Journal
Kathy Vanek, Middlefield Bank	Jodie Fiala, Jake's
Ellie Stamm, Stamm Contracting	Jason Miller, Jake's
Hank Cabot, Western Reserve Kiwanis	Celina Mathis, MotioSource
Dave Toth, Crestwood Schools	Brian Kovar, Motion Source
Becky Tipton, Ameriprise Financial	Jill Rowe, Crestwood Schools
Nancy Vines, Shalersville Township	Jackie Rinearson, Curtains Up Theatre
Josh Prest, Josh Mandel's office	Jeff Rinearson, Ohio Health Benefits
	Nick Ciofani, Office of Josh Mandel

Meeting was called to order at 7:38 a.m. Introductions were made.

VILLAGE & TOWNSHIP UPDATES

Mantua Township: The Veterans Memorial Deciation was held and well attended, thanks to all. The townhall renovaations are underway.

Mantua Village: Mayor Clark thanked the chamber for the flower donations. Stamm Contracting was given a proclamation for 100 years in business. The village applied for a grant to upgrade the water plant. They are currently finsihing the hydrant project.

Shalersville Township: The township reviewed the bids for Frost Road to pave 3.4 miles. 4 bids came in under the county's estimate.

Crestwood Schools: Dave Toth announed that the school will be hiring 7 new teachers before school starts, noting that many are retiring.

DMRC: Art on the Hill will take place on July 12th. There are over 60 artisans and 4 wineries attending.

Mantua-Shalersville Fire Department: John Festa said that a new squad has been purchased. He also discussed the road closure and how the department will be heandling the inconvenience.

NEW BUSINESS AND MEMBER ANNOUNCEMENTS

Scholarship Golf Outing: The golf outing will be held this Friday. There are a record number of hole sponsors and golfers participating this year. Huge thanks to Graham Harmon and Joann Vance for all of their hard work in planning the event each year.

Garage Sales: The Communy Wide Garage/Yard/Business Sales will be held on Friday and Saturday, July 18 and 19. Anyone wishing to participate can sign up online or pick up a registration at most local businesses. There is no charge for members to have a sale at their business or home.

Summer Luncheon: Shirley Schuster will host the Summer Luncheon at her home on Wednesday, July 16 at 11:30AM. Amm members their employees and guests are invited to attend.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:57 a.m.