

Pacific County Democrats
General Meeting South Bend, WA
June 14, 2010

Chair John Adams called the meeting to order at 7:01 PM and led the Flag Salute. Introductions were made.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA: It was M/S/P to approve the agenda.

GUEST SPEAKER: John introduced Trooper Scott Johnson who announced his candidacy for Pacific County Sherriff and answered questions.

APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS MINUTES: It was M/S/P to accept the May 10, 2010 minutes.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Treasurer Renee Goodin presented the Treasurer report. M/S/P

CORRESPONDENCE: We have received many requests for Patty Murray lawn signs. They will be available at the Annual Picnic, July 18.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

CRAB FEED: The next Crab Feed will be March 12, 2011.

EVENTS: Colleen Cohern reported that the parade in Tokeland will be on Saturday July 3rd, meet at 10:30 at the Marina. The parade in Ocean Park will be on Sunday, July 4 meet at 11:30 at U Street. There will be a potluck picnic at Jean & Bud Cuffel's home afterwards. The Annual Picnic will be Sunday, July 18, 12noon, at Beverly & Glenn Olson's home. The Willapa Harbor Day parade

will be Saturday, August 7th and we will have a booth. There will be sign-up sheets to work at the booth at the Annual picnic. The South Bend parade will be Monday, September 6.

Colleen requested \$237 to buy our own helium tank for balloons.
M/S/P.

MEMBERSHIP: Secretary Marshall Tate reported that we now have 105 members. Marshall thanked all members for helping to build up the membership.

ELECTIONS COMMITTEE: Bill Grennan announced the candidates running for office. We will have an endorsement vote at the Annual Picnic. All members, who have been members over 30 days, can vote. Ballots will be sent out July 28, the primary is August 17 and the election is November 2.

PCO: All PCO's are requested to come up with 10 good locations for lawn sign and the names of 10 strong Dems in their precinct.

SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE: Michael Spencer announced that a \$500 scholarship was awarded to Megan Ritzman and Mitchell Hatfield. Michael announced his resignation as Chair of the Scholarship Committee.

COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE: The Co-Editors would like to put out a monthly newsletter, but to do so, we will need articles from the membership and volunteers to help.

OLD BUSINESS:

NON-PROFIT STATUS COMMITTEE: No Report from the Chair on

appointment of committee members.

BUDGET COMMITTEE: Renee, Marshall & Bill presented a 2011-12 preliminary budget. The budget was discussed and will be presented again at the next meeting.

NEW BUSINESS:

Marshall discussed the storage problem and possible options. All PCD items are now being stored in one place, with the exceptions of the lawn signs at Bud's home. We need to find central location for all items either at a member home or in a storage facility. Marshall agreed to continue to store items at his home until the next Crab Feed.

ANNOUNCEMENTS: The AAUW will hold a Candidates Forum on Friday, July 23, 6:30-8:30pm at the Super 8 motel in Long Beach. The 19th LD Picnic will be held Sunday August 22 at Vista Park in Skamokawa. Jerry Benning moved to contribute \$200 to the 19th LD picnic. M/S/P.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 8:54PM.

Respectively Submitted,
Marshall Tate
Secretary, Pacific County Democrats