Minutes

Astor Neighborhood Association, Inc. – Mon., April 18th, 2011 – 6:00 PM First Evangelical Lutheran Church Green Bay, WI

1. Roll Call

Present: J. Sharp, President: Skip Heverly, Vice President; P. Schleis, Secretary/Treasurer; C.

Kime, J. Schwenk, Kevin Heslin, Andy Rosendahl

Absent (excused): J. Danen

2. Approval of Meeting minutes

3. Treasurer's Report / Bills

M/S/C to approve the March 2011 minutes, and the April 2011 Treasurer's report.

4. Elect Officers

President: Jesse Sharp is willing.

Vice President: Skip Heverly is willing.

Secretary/Treasurer: Pastor Schleis is willing.

M/S/C to keep Jesse, Skip, and Pastor Schleis.

5. Invited Guest

a. Astor Neighbors: Dan Kerrigan, lives on Porlier near St. Vincent, and is willing to volunteer.

b. Officer Paul Van Handel: absent

c. Tony Theisen, Alder-person: absent

d. CSI's: absent

6. Announcements and Committee Reports

a. Easter egg hunt planning, Sat., April 23, 9:30 - 11 AM, at St. James Park. Christian Kime reporting, Supplies: do need about 750 more eggs (to have 2000 total) and candy. A limit of 10 eggs per child. 600 eggs stuffed already. Sharps have offered to have a "stuffing party" on Fri. night, 6 PM.

8 AM for the egg hiding. Andy, Dan, others will help.

An activity table for bunny ears, coloring sheets, etc.: Kelly and two teenagers will help with

Jennie will read a story after the egg hunt at 10 AM. Another person needed then to be the Easter Bunny's "bodyguard"...thanks, Dan!

Recycle the eggs, into a garbage bag. Skip will help with clean up, starting about 11 AM.

- b. Garage Sale, Sat., May 21. Jesse has many signs, and will put them on Monroe, and Webster. Put out the Monday before.
- c. Art Project: waiting for the contract (sent out a month ago). Once the contract is signed, we send the grant check for ½ the cost, and he gets the rest after the project is completed.
- d. Newsletter & Web Site: Jaime put out a "to do" list for articles.
- e. Popcorn in the Park: popcorn machine being cleaned and repaired for about \$200. The Popcorn King business also has a snow cone machine for rent or sale. There's interest, but will

probably require a separate person just for that machine. Tanya and Jennie will help get volunteers.

7. Old Business

a. Charities: We've provided significant donations for Howe Resource, Hazelwood, Leadership Council, Aldo Leopold. There is a local organization that provides in-home care for elderly people in the community. Funds can be targeted for the neighborhood, but would go general if not used in our neighborhood. Jesse will ask a person from that organization to give a presentation at a future meeting.

8. New Business/Open Forum

- a. Community garden: empty lots in our neighborhood. Could we lease some land (on S. Quincy, for example)? Three Corners neighborhood association has done a community garden for three years. Rain barrels (Kevin can provide) could possibly be put on the land.
- b. House on 515 Porlier is up for public sale by Denmark St. bank. *Very* rough condition, but would have some character. A shared driveway with two other homes. Is an eyesore in the neighborhood. Would Neighborhood Works, or Habitat for Humanity, be interested? Jesse will check further.

9. Adjourn, 7:25 PM.

Respectfully submitted, Pastor Paul Schleis, secretary

> Our next ANA Board Meeting will be Monday, May 16th, 2011 at 6:00 p.m. at -First Ev. Lutheran Church 743 S. Monroe Ave Green Bay, WI