Lafayette's 125-Year (Quasquicentennial) Celebration Committee Meeting February 15, 2023 7:00pm

In Attendance: Wayne and Sheri Portner, Sandie & Bob Peterson, Sandy Burger, Tom Polich, Laura Isaacson, Ruth Klossner, Scott Portner, Bradley Moldan, Curt Tauber and Jess Moldan.

Discussion: Many great ideas were brought to the table. A list of potential events and activities will be placed on a project board to figure out day and time for the event schedule.

Date: It was decided to work with Dave's Place to hold it the last weekend in July Friday, 25, Saturday, July 26 and Sunday, July 27

Committee Appointments:

Chairperson: Sandie Peterson

Vice-Chair: Tom Polich

Financial Bookkeeper: Sheri Portner

Secretary: Sandy Burger **History Book:** Ruth Klossner **Tournaments:** Kayla, Heidi, Angie

Items for the Idea Board:

Parade - need a subcommittee

Tractor Pull

Kiddie Parade

TNT Inflatables Tawie Griebel

Band Saturday Night

Concord Singers

Dad's Belgian Waffles -Sunday - organization?

Amazing Race Event - Sheri P

Looney Lutherans -

Movie Night - drive-in car contest for the kiddos (decorated boxes)

Quilt Show

Food trucks

Kiddie Pedal Pull

Firefighter Keg fight

Talent Show

Bingo - Sunday

Quilt Raffle - Laura I

Baking Cooking contest

Medallion Hunt

5 K Run

Craft-Bake-Vendor show 9am-1pm

Friday meal – Legion - chicken or chop feed?

Lafayette Band

Horse-wagon rides
Historical display – city hall
New Ulm Battery
Corn Hole tournament
Kick ball tournament – P&R
Over 35 baseball game – P&R

Boy or Girl scouts, Honor Society or 4 H to help with clean-up for service hours.

Other items discussed:

Sandy B will put together a flyer for the next newsletter, sharing what we are working on and asking for volunteers to help with the event.

Sandy B has a button maker – design for buttons.

Will start working on a new logo now, so it can be in place for all of our media we send out.

Ruth will try to reach out to Tippi again for naming the park after her.

Face Painting

Ruth – history book, instead of a supplement as it is not done by year, but by topic, would redo the book, she has the discs to update it. Is checking for pricing. Looking to January 2024 to start pre-orders, No cookbook.

Volley ball tournament

Thursday night Bike & Car night

Sandy B will draft a donation letter for discussion at the March meeting.

Next meeting is set for Thursday, March 16, 2023 at 7pm in the community Center

Meeting adjourned at 8:35 pm

Respectfully submitted:

Sandy Burger