

2017 LAWC Member Meeting
Jan 14, 2017
10am-12pm

Present:

Kristin Nielsen – President
Paula Rohr – Festival Director
Bob Korver
Diana & Sam Wegh - BOD
Ron Rish
Robbie Urquhart - BOD
Pam Johnson
Lida Lafferty
Ronda Hummel
Carolyn Jampsheil
Susan Smith – Vice President
Julie Devin
Lee Ann Nielsen – Skype
Kathy Kimbrough

Meeting called to order at 10:15am

Thank you to Ronda Hummel for hosting the meeting at Hummel Real Estate

1. Introduction of persons present
2. Welcome to new members:
 - a. Rick & Ronda Hummel of Hummel Real Estate – General Membership
 - b. Julie Devin – Supporter Membership
3. Review festival meeting from Jan 12, 2017
 - a. Anyone who wants to help / volunteer – contact committee chair of their desired area
 - b. Seminars by Susan Smith
 - i. Call for speakers/ presenters
 - ii. Review subjects of classes
4. Review/ present new products
 - a. Tote bag
 - b. Mug
5. Remind members of membership dues
 - a. Work on auto notification of when dues are due
 - b. 3 renewal checks handed to Kristin Nielsen to deposit
6. Call for volunteers to help with the WCHS trade show Jan 18-19, 2017
 - a. Will need rack cards/business cards/membership applications
 - b. Set up Tuesday 17, 2017 at 1pm
 - c. Wednesday 18, 2017
 - i. 8am-12pm Bob Korver
 - ii. 12pm-3pm Ron Rish
 - iii. 3pm-430pm – Need volunteer

- iv. 430pm-630pm – booth not manned before, anyone who wants to have a presence can help
 - d. Thursday 19, 2017
 - i. 830am-1230pm – Susan Smith
 - ii. 1230pm-430pm – Need volunteer
- 7. Review Christmas Fair from December 2016
 - a. Will be changing venue to allow for growth of vendors
 - b. Suggestions of possible locations should be directed to Diana Wegh or any member of the board
- 8. Floor given to Kathy Kimbrough – Distillation Conference 2.0
 - a. Last conference
 - i. 82 people from the country attended / 1 from France
 - ii. Had grant
 - iii. Made profit of \$8,000
 - iv. Member fee \$100 / non-member \$175
 - b. 2.0 Conference – 2 days
 - i. October 28-29, 2017 Mesa County Fair Grounds
 - 1. Lots of bathrooms/parking
 - ii. 4 Speakers:
 - 1. Ann Harm
 - 2. Cindy Jones
 - 3. Dr. Curtis Swift
 - 4. Erik Smith
 - 5. Seek out other individuals
 - a. Mesha Munyon
 - b. Freda Algeo – blender of oils
 - iii. USLGA newsletter introduces the dates and plan
 - iv. Goal of having at least 100 people attend
 - v. Cater in lunches or work with local food trucks to be present
 - vi. Reached out to members of the New Zealand Essential Oil Competition to be present and lend their knowledge
 - 1. Could lead to an American EO Competition
 - a. Local winners of New Zealand: Freda Algeo & Bob Korver
 - vii. Invite Melisa Boyles of LNB Engraving to create art work
 - 1. Save the date post cards to mail / hand out at various events
 - 2. Contact person will be Kathy Kimbrough
 - viii. Lee Ann Nielsen will work on potential budget
 - ix. Visuals and demos of stills is major point
 - 1. Members who have their own stills
 - 2. Invite Joseph Brown of Tin Can Distilling
 - x. Any individual wanting to help/volunteer, contact Kathy Kimbrough for more information
- 9. Meeting Adjourns at 11:55pm