

The June meeting at MABA was held on June 1 at the Malvern Library. Eighteen members were in attendance.

The Treasurer's report was read and motion to approve was given by Allan Hall and seconded by Bruce Breeding. Motion passed by the group. Secretary's report was discussed with a motion by Bryan Copeland with a second by Tara Copeland. Motion passed by the group.

Cheryl Jones discussed the Memorial Day lunch. Over 100 people were served and lunch was sold out in about an hour. The free will donation generated approximately \$1,200.00.

An update was given on Gateway of Chaos by Claire. She told the group that plans have been given to the fire marshal. The group is currently looking for advertisers and on June 30 they will be having a photo shoot for future advertising.

Streetscape Update. The green light posts have all been taken down. Concrete in town should be started sometime in June. Mural is still waiting on the foam coating before it can be started. The next tree will be in front of Club 321.

Fourth of July. Plans have been firmed up for the fireworks and music will be at the golf course in conjunction with their anniversary.

Discussion of Malvern's long range plans and who would be requesting funds from the Costello grant. A meeting will be scheduled for the fall to discuss long range plans starting for the 2018 grant cycle. It was to late to get all groups on same page for the fall grant schedule. The Library needs money for new computers. The Park Board wants to update the pool and concession stand. The Fire Department needs approximately \$30,000 to finish updating gear, EMAYS is requesting \$15,000 for baseball fields and MABA would like to finish projects at the Memorial Building. There was group discussion for MABA to request less funds to allow the Park Board to request more for the pool. MABA will wait to get a better estimate from the Park Board to determine what project monies will be requested for.

Final topic was the Wabash Marathon. Deb Breeding resigned from working on this committee. Tara Copeland and Tiffany Yakes-Starr will be working on this together. There will also be a 5K fun run this year. We need to cover four water stations. Those will be manned by Gateway of Chaos, Donkey Rescue, Malvern Savings Bank and Club 321.

The next MABA meeting will be July 6 at the Malvern Library at 6:30pm.