Chippewa Valley Blues Society Meeting May 13, 2008

The meeting took place at The Sheely House in Chippewa Falls.

The secretary was not given a list of all attendees. Snapshot was in charge of the meeting.

Items on the agenda

Approval of the minutes from the last meeting was made.

Treasurers Report:

Dues and Donations are \$2,941.50, which includes the Westgate event in March. Snapshot said that our non-profit status needs to filed and Ken told him that he is looking into it.

Committee Report:

Everyone was asked to raise money for the Durand Event on August 22nd, 2008. A motion was made for a \$250.00 expenditure to support that event. The Society will put up a booth and sell T-shirt, and memberships at the Durand Event. The motion was approved.

The Blues Coalition Fall Festival:

Snapshot stated that the National Blues Festival is September 20th and ours is a week before this. Snapshot then said that 6 to \$7,000 is needed to put this event on to pay for bands, sound and rent for the park. The event is to take place at Owen Park on September 13th, 2008 and will be kept free to all who come. A motion was made to donate up to \$1,000 to the Coalition Blues Fall Event if it takes place. The motion was approved by all except Snapshot nayed this motion and was noted.

A motion was made that a bank account for the Chippewa Valley Blues Society be opened within the next 30 days and this account is to be separate form the Coalition Blues account. This motion was approved.

Westgate Fundraiser:

The members would like to put on another fundraiser event at Westgate on August 23rd. Westgate manager, Jennifer wants to charge 50 cents of the \$10 per person for admission in lieu of any hall rental fee and nobody objected to this idea. It was talked about not having it outside but holding the event inside at Westgate. Further discussions on the subject will take place at the June meeting. Snapshot will call Jennifer to set this up. Mike Kelly will try to book two bands for this event and will talk to us about at the next meeting.

Website:

The website needs to be updated and John La Brun is in charge of this. Snapshot will be calling him tomorrow about the website.

The next meeting will held on June 10Th, 2008, at The Wooden Nickel in Glenwood City. July's meeting will take place at Shari's in Durand