



Union County Democratic Central Committee

Meeting Minutes: May 12, 2010

Present: Kathleen Cathey (chair), Jerry Sebestyen, Carole Halvorson, Sharon Evoy (secretary), Glen Scheele, Brynne Morningstar, Suzanne Chapman, Nora Kegg, Kayla Longley.

Financial Report: Balance \$960 –we’re paying DPO \$10 monthly for web hosting, will have \$180 bill for Union County Fair booth rental. That leaves \$720

Recruiting for new secretary: Sharon Evoy elected

Democrat Party of Oregon Platform Convention: is June 25-27 at the Portland Community College Willow Creek campus in Beaverton. Union County has five delegates with three alternatives.

- Alternates may attend but only delegates may vote.
- Brynne & Glen are interested in attending.
- ✓ Kathleen will put the notice on the Dems list to see if anyone else is interested. Any registered Democrat in Union County is eligible to attend.
- Expenses provided - \$50 person, everything else out of pocket.
- The DPO needs to know by – MAY 28th

Kroger luncheon: need more folks

- ✓ Sharon will make a few more calls, write another note reminding folks to attend for Kathleen to post on Dems List.
- Jean Falbo is attending.

Meeting the Democratic Candidates and other events: Jean Falbo, Joyce Seger, Chris Taylor, and Michael O’Connor.

- Brynne and Casey have this under discussion.
- Schedule will depend on candidates’ schedule.
- Will invite candidates to campaign at the Union County Fair Booth. (Kathleen will do this)
- It was decided to put this issue on hold until August for a Sept/Oct. event. We will work with EOU Dems if they want to do something before the end of the school year.

Book Study: Jerry & Carole are spearheading the idea of a community book club. Jerry has volunteered to lead a group discussion of Huck Finn.

- ✓ Carole will do public relations, send out to Dems list and post in Briefly.
- Diversity Committee at EOU is reading Absolute True Story of the American Indian by Sherman Alexi. The community will be invited to be involved. Perhaps these efforts can be combined or work together.



Union County Fair: is August 4-7th.

- ✓ Kathleen will contact Nan McDaniel about last year's booth volunteers.
- Scheduler – Suzanne with Kathleen as a backup. Contact for Suzanne is 541-910-5614.
- Parade – ✓ Kathleen will post on Dems list to solicit someone who is willing to take this on as a project.

Good for order – Question: How do we raise funds? Contributions - \$50 tax credit, yard sales, dinners etc.