

Johnson Historical Society  
Special Planning Meeting  
23 June 2021 at 9 AM  
Holcomb House

Present: Dick Simays, Duncan Hastings, Linda Jones. Alice Whiting, Mary Jean Smith, Kelly Vandorn, & Lois Frey.  
Regrets: Tom Carney. Guest Dean West.

President Dick Simays called the meeting to order at 9:00 AM.

There were no changes to the agenda.

Plans for participation at Tuesday Night Live, which begins July 6, 2021 were discussed with the following results.

Alice reported that she had spoken with Howard Romero and confirmed the JHS food tent would be located at the past site.

Tom emailed that he would handle the set up and take down of the TNL tents, tables etc. as he has done in the past. He will also cook hotdogs.

It was decided to try a new configuration for the tent set-up with customers on the perimeter and servers on the inside as a way to allow space between folks.

It was decided that masks and gloves would be required for those working face-to-face with the public.

It was decided to raise prices to \$4 for pie, \$3 for hotdog with potato chips, and \$1 for water. Potato salad will not be sold this year.

Since more volunteers are needed to help during the concerts, it was decided to request assistance from those who had volunteered during past years. Shifts from 5:30 to 7 pm and 7 to 8:30 pm will be set up and a schedule made by Linda and Lois. JHS will provide masks and gloves.

Alice, Linda, and Lois are in the process of contacting past pie-makers. Several from 2019 will not be able to bake this summer. It was decided to start with 23-24 pies.

Dick, our hotdog roll man reported that he has contacted Price Chopper, Hannafords, and Sterling Market and received gift cards to be used for hotdog rolls and other incidentals.

Duncan, Mary Jean, Linda, and Kelly will each make a pie weekly and Alice will make her German chocolate cake. Kelly advised Alice that her daughter, Kaeti will make the cake any time Alice wants a week off if she will share the recipe.

Condiments will be purchased and/or donated. Lois has already purchased two large mustard, three ketchup, 300 paper plates and 1,000 napkins (added after the meeting) to donate. Needed will be relish, forks, paper towels, latex free safety gloves (V2123.) Mary Jean plans a Cosco trip on Friday and will check on items

including potato chips, water and forks. Duncan suggested that she might be able to use the town's Cosco card (makes purchases tax-free.)

Alice will check on Amazon for the latex-free safety box (V2123) of gloves (2 large & 1 extra-large) and masks. Mary Jean and Alice both have extra paper towels to provide.

Linda reviewed the list of what supplies carried over from the 2019 season. Lois reported that the 3 tablecloths are in good shape, she is updating some of the food tags, and will have supplies for signage and food sales.

Lois reported that McKenzie Country Classics will donate 8 boxes of hot dogs and she will pick them up in South Burlington before TNL starts.

Lois requested that the order/pay station have two people. With no other volunteers, Kelly said she would split the task with Lois.

Someone will need to manage the water and ice to keep it cold. In the past water was stored in the Holcomb House refrigerator to start each evening with cold water.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned.

Next meeting: The July 14, 2021 monthly meeting will be at 9 AM at the Holcomb House.

Meeting minutes recorded by Lois Frey, Secretary