

**NORTHEAST NEIGHBORS AND FRIENDS  
MEETING  
JULY 23, 2018**

The meeting was called to order at 5:31 p.m. by Tania Hunt, Chair, at the East Side Library on July 23, 2018.

Doua Lor of the Des Moines Police Department was the first speaker. In his report, he talked about the calls they received regarding fireworks and other items. He also reminded us that National Night Out (NNO) will be on August 7<sup>th</sup> and if your neighborhood is going to participate, be sure to contact the Police Department so they can make their list.

Our speaker was Amy Kroll, Executive Director, of Community Youth Concepts explaining what they are and what they will be doing to help the youth decide what they want to do after high school. They are embarking partnership with Stowe School. They will build on Stowe School's land of 4-1/2 acres at East 33<sup>rd</sup> and Dubuque. The cost to CYC will be \$1.00 per year.

Amy said the Kiwanis is having a raffle. The tickets are \$10 per ticket or \$100 for a book of 11 tickets. The winner will receive dinner anywhere in the world. The winner will be given \$5,000.00 for airfare; \$2,000.00 spending money while on the trip. The drawing will be held on September 26<sup>th</sup>.

Kevin Marken made the motion that we donate \$200.00 from our grant money to Community Youth Concepts. Second by Candice Brown second the motion. Motion carried.

Motion to accept the minutes from the last meeting as written was made by Norm Kamm; second by Kevin Marken. Motion approved.

Marge gave the Treasurer's report. The balance in the bank is \$4,594.64 of which \$4,032.03 is grant money and \$562.61 operating expenses.

**NEIGHBORHOOD REPORTS**

Accent had their first meeting, Attendance was about 50 people. The next meeting will be sometime in October since they are only meeting quarterly.

Grays Wood is having NNO at 1229 East 35<sup>th</sup> Street.

Fairmont Park is having NNO at the park and having pizza.

Oak Park and Highland Park's NNO will be held at McHenry Park.

Capitol Park's NNO will be held at the parking lot #7 behind Lutheran Hospital.

Reminder that August 4<sup>th</sup> GESD will have their Clean Up Daly at 8:00 a.m.

Kevin Marken talked about changing the date of our meeting from the 4<sup>th</sup> Monday to the 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday. He checked with the library.

Our next Board meeting will be Saturday, August 25<sup>th</sup>, at Financial Plus Credit Union at 9:00 a.m.

Our next meeting will be Monday, August 27<sup>th</sup>, at the East Side Library at 5:30 p.m.

Meeting was adjourned at 6:13 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Marge Ramsey  
Secretary/Treasurer