

8/27/08

Meeting Called to Order at 6:10pm

In Attendance

Jeanne, Rhea W, Lori A, Deirdre R, Maria B, Jeni K, Jessica F, Abe A, Brian W,

Publicity Update

Posters have been given to committee members for distribution

Fundraising Update

Sponsors have been steadily coming in

200 letters have been sent out to area businesses soliciting donations

Tent Update

Mankato Tent & Awning has agreed to donate the use of their tents for the festival

Sound tent and stage tent will be donated

The group talked about purchasing a tent for future events

Stakes will be purchased for the pub tent fencing

Misc Updates

The kids' craft supplies have arrived and will be delivered to the person in charge

Maria has made contact with Casswood Insurance

The program template has been made

The mayor will be coming to the festival to read the proclamation and dedication

Parade Update

The Reitans will be in the parade

A convertible is being sought out—several possibilities discussed