

**St. Joseph Township Neighborhood Watch  
Board Meeting Minutes  
06-17-2010**

**Present:** Rick Knapp, Frank O'Brien, Robert Umbenhaur, Ron Drews, Dave Vereb, Sam Guardino & Kelly Clark.  
Area residents Minnie Webb, and daughter and Helen Kepp also attended.

**I. Minute Revision**

A. No revisions.

**II. Treasurer's Report**

A. May's total was \$1897.28.

**III. Police Report**

A. **Several car B&E's have been occurring in the Fairplain area.** The vehicles are left unlocked. A GPS and CD's were stolen. PLEASE CALL POLICE if you see ANYONE in your area that may be suspicious! Our officers do not have any suspects at this time and they ask us to help them solve these crimes!

B. A reminder that soliciting is NOT allowed in St. Joseph Charter Township without first obtaining a permit from the Township Hall. If someone comes to your door and they can not produce a permit, please call the police at 983-3060.

**IV. Old Business**

A. Pencils were ordered and are ready to be picked up.

B. Martin's Supermarket is supplying hotdogs, buns and condiments and Pri-Mart #8 is donating ice and soda for our picnic on Sunday, June 27, 2010 from 1-3 p.m. We will need to purchase charcoal and lighter fluid. All residents are invited to bring table service (plates, utensils) and a dish to pass! We have lots of great raffle prizes, so tell all your neighbors to come to Carronde Park for our annual resident picnic!

C. Camp 911 was a success this week. The students were able to visit a Coast Guard boat, and see a helicopter up close. We purchased lunch for the students and volunteers at a cost of \$192.22.

**V. New Business**

A. We will create and send out a press release for our picnic.

B. The IRS was contacted regarding the new forms we need to fill out. We are on the books with updated addresses and will need to do those forms 6 weeks from the date contacted (late July).

C. Officer Knapp showed a "LEAD" kit which is a drug testing kit for home use. A parent may purchase the kit for \$5 from the office. The police are not involved with the testing-it is for home use only.

D. A letter was shown from the FBI. They are suggesting that areas combine the National Night Out with child ID programs. We have been doing this very thing for almost 20 years!

E. A reminder that Lest we Forget has the Vietnam Wall in town this weekend.

***Next Board meeting July 15, 2010 at 7:00 p.m. at the Fire Station in Fairplain***

**Call the Neighborhood Watch Telephone Information Line at 429-6890 ext. 277**

**after 5:00 p.m. to hear the latest updates. *Share this number with your neighbors!***

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