

Meeting – December 11, 2008 Pembroke Jr. Sr. High School PO Box 72, Corfu, New York 14036

Present:

Toby Beahan Michele Fingerlow Doc (Arthur) Mruczek Berneda Scoins Marybeth Gleiser Jack Waggoner Eric Johnson Valerie Dibble Tomaszewski Mellissa Godzala

Report from Jack Waggoner: An account has been established with the M&T Bank.

A post office box in the village of Corfu and been purchased. Our address is DFS, PO Box 72, Corfu, NY 14036. Michele Fingerlow and Linda Rindell have keeps to pick up mail. Michele Fingerlow will make sure that any and all checks will be given to Jack for deposit. Michele Fingerlow paid the \$38.00 for the post office box. Will use as a donation. She would like a receipt for the mailbox deposit.

Michele Fingerlow has received \$400.00 for DFS and handed the check to Jack for deposit.

Doc Mruczek gave DFS a \$550.00 as starting money. The committee thanked Doc for the donation of money to DFS.

If the Corfu-Pembroke Chapter can earn \$1000.00 the first year, the DFS Organization will match the \$1000.00. A nice partnership for Corfu-Pembroke DFS.

Goals: Develop DFS Chapter Keep a list of all donors (cash or workers)

Doc reported that Gary McClouth would like to chair the memorial in honor of his father and mother. He has suggested the following organizations and people would be contacted for donations of money in their memory.

Medical Staff

Local Fire Department

Corfu-Pembroke School System

Gary McClouth would like to initiate the letter that would be sent out in his father and mother's name.

The Harry Dibble Memorial. Valerie would work with Doc on getting started on his scholarship. The contacts were suggested, Family will need directions, suggested that we could ask other organizations how they got started.

All Pembroke Fire Departments

**NY State** 

Several organizations that Harry belonged to

Plus, individual contributions

The goal is to raise \$10,000.00. This would insure \$250.00 for the first scholarship award and maybe more.

The Corfu-Pembroke DFS received \$250.00 scholarship money from EXA

DFS sent the organization a certificate.

Dragon Tails: Toby had had a blurb about DFS placed in the latest mailing of the Dragon Tails.

Michele Fingerlow is the Fund Raising Chair. She is working on a letter to be sent out to the community. A Phone-A-Thon is being planned for February or March. With the seniors and juniors help.

## Phone-A-Thon:

Letter must be approved before sent home with students

Need approval from Mr. Mix to use address list

Prepare a script

A bell will ring every time someone gets a donation.

## Other Suggestions:

The committee asked Eric Johnson if he would work on taking pictures around the school and Pembroke area that can be used for cards that we may plan on selling.

Payroll deduction – tabled

How much money would we want to put into a long term savings account? Suggestions will be discussed at the nest meeting.

Everyone try to bring a friend to the next meeting.

A motion made by Mellissa to adjourn 2<sup>nd</sup> by Toby

Meeting adjourned at 7:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted, Berneda Scoins, Secretary