

Kossuth County GOP Meeting

Date: August 26, 2013

Time: 6:30 Social, Dinner; 7:00 Business Meeting

Location: Pizza Ranch, Algona

Attendance: 10 Guests: Lynn and Chloe Johnson

Open with Prayer: Pastor Hollinger, Chaplain

Pledge of Allegiance: Chloe Johnson

Student Reading: George Washington resignation letter – Chloe Johnson

Old Business:

Liked use of sticky notes in parade. Price is comparable to buying only candy.

Discussed how to get more people interested in participating.

Need to clarify the vision of the Republican party.

Move business meeting to executive session then have program (speakers, etc) for general meeting.

People need to know how it will impact their life to get involved. How they can be empowered to help effect change.

Find hot button issues to generate public interest.

Youth participation: Have 2 more that are willing to do readings.

Funds:

Balance \$203.50
Sticky pads were approx. \$663.00

New Business:

Motion: Each of area politicians must participate in parades and put own sign on float. Motion: Lyle Prunty, 2nd-Glenn Smith

Amended Motion: Central committee strongly encourages office holders to provide support for parade efforts, fair and other events, either by attending themselves or arranging for supporters to assist. Motion: Lyle Prunty, 2nd Jim Black – Amended Motion Passed

Affordable Care Act... Wendell will contact Hancock & Winnebago counties about having joint event in November. Lynn Johnson is willing to help.

Organize a trip to go visit legislature in Des Moines. Jim Black will work on organizing a trip in February.

Lyle read resolution to send to Harkin, King, Lathem & Grassley in regard to the Affordable Care Act. Group would like resolution emailed to committee so they can review. He will post responses on Kossuth Cty GOP website.

Branstad visit Wednesday night at the Car Museum....8/28/2013, 5:30 – 7:00 pm

PARADE--Algona Band Day Festival--- October 5, 2013 at 1:00 PM, gathering after the parade will start about 3 pm (right after the parade) Dennis Guth, Ted Gassman and possibly Steve King will attend.

Tabled until next meeting:

Fund Raising

Articles for the paper???

Meeting end: 8:30 pm