

Metro BOD Meeting July 23, 2024

In attendance:

Bosco Thurer, Arlene Rosenthal, Susan Scalise, Elizabeth Byrne, Nancy Forberg

Meeting called to order at 7:10pm

-Motion made by Bosco, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Arlene to accept minutes from last meeting. Motion passed unanimously.

-Motion made by Nancy 2<sup>nd</sup> by Arlene to accept financial report (attached) Motion passed unanimously. Susan reported that we received a thank you letter from Autism Speaks for our donation.

-Motion made by Bosco 2<sup>nd</sup> by Nancy to accept membership report. Motion passed unanimously. Arlene reported that we have 162 members to date.

-Bosco reported some website issues which he was able to take care of at no cost to the club. He also submitted the mid-year report to PHIP. Thank you Bosco!

Recap of Events:

-7/10/24 Barometer Soup Concert was well attended by current and former club members. The band acknowledged the club. Next concert is 7/25/24 at Eisenhower Park.

-7/20/24 Soldier Ride was attended by approximately 20 members. Joe Lombardi reports that the Wounded Warriors organization is very thankful for our continued support of this event. Member Harris Boshak would like to see the Club participate in the Soldier ride in Babylon next year. There is concern that members would not take the ride out east if they are volunteering at the Babylon event which is the day before the East end event.

Upcoming Club Events:

-7/31/24 Membership Meeting before the Landsharks Concert Tanner Park, Copiague. An agenda was discussed and Bosco will finalize it before meeting. Members are asked to bring the Poptops for Ronald McDonald House. Nancy will collect and investigate recycling options.

-8/10/24 Scott Kirby Concert/HH at Bracco's in Freeport

-9/21/24 Happy Hour. Liz is looking for an outdoor facility. We may have a 50/50 to kick-off Alzheimer's Fundraiser

-10/20/24 Alzheimer's Walk.

-November- food drive for Long Island Cares. Liz will find a location, date and entertainment.

-December- Toy drive for John Theissen Foundation. Nancy will check with Wharf and Snapper Inn for possible dates, as well as food/drink options.

There was discussion regarding some different activities. Some ideas were karaoke, bingo and trivia nights, craft nights. Nancy, Liz and Arlene will pursue these.

Upcoming Non-Metro Events:

-8/13/24 Jimmy and The Parrots Bay Shore Festival

-8/31/24 Barometer soup at Jones Beach Bandshell

-10/22-10/27 2024 Meeting of the Minds

Meeting was adjourned at 8:26pm

Next meeting 8/20/24 7:00pm

Submitted by Nancy Forberg, Metro Club Secretary

**METRO PARROTHEAD CLUB**  
**June 2024 FINANCIAL STATEMENT**

CHECKING

STARTING BALANCE 6/1/2024 \$3,040.74

DEPOSITS

Escape Tickets (5) \$ 335.00

Total \$ 335.00

DISBURSEMENTS

Autism Speaks Donation \$600.00

Total \$ 600.00

ENDING BALANCE 6/30/2024 \$2,775.74

PAYPAL

Starting Balance 6/1/2024 \$4,586.24

Membership - Single (2) \$ 53.00

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Fees -\$ 2.82

Mailchimp -\$ 14.12

-\$ 16.94

Ending Balance 6/30/2024 \$4,622.30

