Awake Palmer Lake Mtg: 11/4/15

In Attendance Jeff Hulsmann Nikki McDonald Amy Lester Jeannine Engle Chris Cummins John Ramshur Paul Banta

Legal: Chris: no updates

APL Website: Darin did a great update on the website. Video emails need to be pushed more to advertise on website and FB.

Computerizing Books:

Financial Status: zero debt right now. Paid off all outstanding invoices. In the bank right now, \$11,000? Per Rob, \$2500 in the checking \$11,392.30 in the MM

Landscaping and Park: Jeff says next week we will seed open space on the east side of the lake. This area will encompass the current road that doesn't need to be there.

Disc Golf: John: the course is complete!

Sponsorship Flyers: Jeff wants chain or cable instead of cost prohibitive sidewalk benches. Plaques are \$15. Light poles are \$400, but will sell for \$150 - 13 poles total. \$50 signs, \$250 light poles, \$500 flower beds and \$1500 stone benches are the donor amounts right now. Must need to figure out how many lines will be available.

Sales Tax Exemption: Jane still working on this.

New Progressive Dinner: Jan 26 \$65.00

Haunted Hayride: \$800 made

Trinity Beer: \$400 made and broadened our donor base.

Point 5k: \$19,600 approx. All the gifts for prizes were stolen. Jeff has some that we can still give away though. 840 people participated. We will make another attempt to notify people that their T-shirts are in. That will be this Sunday from 10 to 1

Town updates: Nothing to update at this point

Chili Supper: Nov 28<sup>th</sup> from 4:30 to whenever. The star will be lit at about 7:30pm and Santa will be there \$8 for adults, \$3 for kids. There will be lots of drawings.

Arkansas Valley Basin Grant: Chris will bring Gary Barber into it so that hopefully he can get it through quickly. Gates: Jan submission deadline.

New Fundraising Idea: 4<sup>th</sup> of July Jeff will hold a meeting for volunteers. Cathy Green suggested that we do a parade of lights possibly around the lake. Or perhaps the route could be through the parking lot and up by the star. Also, the Palmer Lake TRYathlon. This event will involve paddleboards or kick boards, TRYcycles, and a run. (The fishing derby will be the first weekend of June) June 12<sup>th</sup> 2016.

Bridge update: The bridge will cost \$350,000 approx. We will submit a 3<sup>rd</sup> plan soon. We will be working with a company called Big R Bridges.

Meeting adjourned at 8:15pm

Thank you to the Roger and the Mining Museum.