

KENTUCKY BLUEGRASS COUNCIL
PDCA REGULAR MEETING
AUGUST 15, 2013 – 12 NOON
BUILDERS EXCHANGE TRAINING CENTER
LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY

PRESENT:

Dudukovich	Plawinski	Cockrell	McClelland
Davis	M. Steilberg	Applegate	Shields (guest)
Tingle	Kelly	Simpson	Linton (guest)

President Mike Dudukovich called the meeting to order and those in attendance introduced themselves.

A motion was made, seconded, and carried to approve the minutes of the July 18, 2013 meeting as they were written.

Treasurer Mike Steilberg noted a July 31, 2013, checking account balance of \$1875.31. John Kelly noted that he has a deposit of \$2100 that will be made this afternoon. The council also has two Certificates of Deposit.

Mike Steilberg will get the Social Functions Committee to start planning the Fall Fishing Derby and the Holiday Party.

Jason Applegate reported that the website is now live. Jason stated that he will try to keep it updated and asked that council members send him news of interest and pictures that would be appropriate for the site.

President Mike Dudukovich reported that he is currently going through the PDCA Contractor Certification Course and encouraged others to consider doing the same. There is no cost for the course material but the accreditation costs \$199.

President Dudukovich reported speaking to national Board member Dave Ryker who is up for re-election. Mr. Ryker would like to continue to serve on the Board. Bob Cusamano will be doing an estimating course in Ohio in the near future and Dave Ryker will send details to us so we can publish this information to council members.

Neal Tingle introduced Jim Shields and Nicole Linton of Boys and Girls Haven. Neal had spoken to Alan Gates about PDCA's interest in considering the possibility of working with the organization to perhaps do some mentoring and training residents in the painting and decorating industry. Ms. Linton advised that they are just starting a vocational training program and she felt that our industry would be a real good addition to the program. A lengthy discussion took place wherein Jim Shields and Nicole Linton gave an overview of the work that they do and the makeup of their residents. Council members felt that there could be some real opportunities for both the organization and for the painting industry. Neal Tingle and John Kelly will schedule a meeting with Alan Gates to further pursue this possibility.

The planned program for this meeting which did not take place will now be done at the September meeting.

President Mike Dudukovich remarked how nice it was to have Mike Simpson from Lexington in attendance at this meeting. Mr. Dudukovich suggested that we stand ready to schedule a meeting of the council in Lexington if Mr. Simpson felt that there would be interest from other area contractors. Mr. Dudukovich also stated that the council would be happy to support a Lexington area Charity Project if the area contractors would be interested in doing a project. Mike Simpson stated that he would talk to some of the Lexington area contractors to see if they have any interest.

The next meeting of the council will be held on September 19, 2013.

On motion meeting adjourned.

John Kelly
Secretary