WCR 2017 Governing Board Meeting Agenda 3/9/17

Kent County Country Club

President- Ashley Dietch-Schaefer (Present)

Present: Ashley Dietch-Schaefer, Lisa Coe, Donna Tashjian, Lisa Vanderloo Mosier, Amanda Monroe, Mallory Strotheide, Sandra Swanson, Marci Terryn, Bryan Newell, Katrina Cole, Dana Mixon, Liz Runey

Absent: NONE

- I) Call to Order and Welcome- 11:00am- Ashley Dietch-Schaefer
- II) Approval of Agenda- Approved- 11:00am
- III) Approval of January Meeting Minutes- Approved 11:00am
- IV) Recap of Last Meeting
 - a. Today's Program
 - i. Great survey results- people loved the topic and speakers- Dana, Ashley and Liz did a great job
 - ii. Ask questions to keep people engaged
 - iii.60 people today
- V) New Business
 - a. Calendar of Events
 - i. April Mixer-
 - 1. April 19th is the date- time and places TBD
 - 2. New Orientation- 4pm
 - 3. Mixer- 5pm-?
 - 4. Ashley and Liz to brainstorm places
 - ii. Golf Outing-
 - 1. Tentatively July 20th for Golf Outing Date
 - 2. Need to have meeting on this soon
 - iii. No need for April Board Meeting
 - iv. May Breakfast- Cindy Brown- May 11, 2017
 - v. Washington DC- if anyone wants to attend, let Ashley know!
 - 1. May 17th -20th

- vi. NAR Conference- Chicago
- vii.MR Conference- GR
- viii. May 10th State Meeting in Lansing
- ix. WCR Holiday Party- Friday Dec. 1st, 2017
- x. Mixers- need 1-2 more
 - 1. Bowling
- VI) Committee Reports
 - a. Budget and Financials- Donna Tashjian
 - i. P & L for February Lisa Vanderloo Mosier Motioned to approve- Brian Newell 2nd
 - 1. Need to have a Committee to audit the books
 - 2. Annual Audit is Required
 - 3. Brian Clinger was suggested WCR Member with Accounting Background
 - b. *Events-* Liz Runey
 - i. May Event- Cindy Brown- Hello West Michigan
 - 1. How to properly dine and dress
 - 2. How to effectively interact with clients
 - 3. Inspiration- Women's Resource Center
 - ii. June Event- David Weinandy Aquinas College Professor- Public Speaking
 - 1. Inspiration- Kristen Brace- Creative Youth Center
 - iii. Sept Event- (Need Suggestions) Housing Restoration \rightarrow finding out the cost and what can and cannot be done- Mallory to talk to Josh Smith
 - 1. Janine Pruse Grand Rapids Community Foundation
 - iv. October- Kathy Batey- Toastmasters Having the Time of our Lives Living out our Priorities
 - 1. Inspiration- Sandra- HQ
 - v. Anyone with suggestions for topics- let Liz or Ashley know
 - c. Membership- Marci Terryn
 - i. 4 New Members since last meeting
 - 1. Stacy Miller- Kuiper

- 2. Jeffrey Chappell
- 3. Ursula Austin
- 4. Dana Bryant
- ii. Get Marci some kind of red pin so people know to go to her to sign up to be members of WCR
- iii. "Ask me about WCR Pins"
- iv. For Mixers, buy extra tickets and invite realtor members
- v. Can we offer free program tickets as a 1 time decided not to- instead pay for guest at door for member price
- vi. Some WCR Networks charge a higher membership fee and all breakfasts for members are free
- d. Ways & Means- Bryan Newell
 - i. 2 Spotlight Sponsors-
 - 1. Consumers CU
 - 2. Farm Bureau Amanda Monroe
 - ii. 3 more sponsorship spots to fill
 - iii. Reached out to Benchmark to sponsor April 19th Mixer
 - iv. Forest Hills Financial- Possible Spotlight Sponsor
 - v. Office Max is a state sponsor- great lead
 - vi. Costco is another great lead for sponsorship
 - vii. Wendy Ryder- Lakeshore President- Did an event with Beacons (appliances) and the owner will give \$500 off an appliance if referred from a WCR member
- e. Marketing- Lisa VanderLoo Mosier and Katrina Cole
 - i. Lisa needs wcr.org access
 - ii. Clicker needed for lap top/presentations
 - iii. Katrina would like dates and names of events on Facebook
 - iv. Everyone share Facebook event
- f. Hospitality- Sandra Swanson
 - i. Judy Lasage had 2 deaths in her family

a. Committee-

- i. Marci, Lisa Coe, Amanda Monroe, Mallory, Dana, Jason Jenkins
- VIII) Next Meeting- May 11th, immediately following Breakfast Program
- IX) Meeting Adjourned- 12:10pm