

## **MVOPT General Meeting Minutes**

**DATE:** March 15, 2015

**TIME:** 4:45 PM

**LOCATION:** Home of Tom P, Centerville OH

**PRESIDING:** Vice-President Steve S

**ATTENDANCE:** final count 26.

**TREASURER'S REPORT:** Treasury has available \$1600. We are receiving phased early discounted payments for the August Pig Roast.

### **DISCUSSION:**

- 1. Vice-President Steve S presided and welcomed everyone. He thanked Tom P for jumping in and hosting the meeting in conjunction with an early version of our annual chili and soup competition.**
- 2. Last meeting minutes as distributed were approved by motion from Ray K, seconded by Tom P and passed.**
- 3. Treasurer Bill W reported available funds of \$1600. Obligations are also covered to date.**
- 4. Tom P noted and thanked volunteers to provide the meeting venue homes as follows: Jeff G of Kettering for April, and Rich B of Dayton for May.**
- 5. Bob D announced that the next Dining Out is March 19 at Pot Belly's at the Greene shopping Center at I-675 and Dorothy Lane.**
- 6. Dave K spoke about the Dayton Gay Men's Chorus upcoming events. The DGMC fund-raiser is Saturday, April 18, and back at the Dayton Art Institute, with more DGMC small group entertainment. The cost is \$60 per person. Also, the DGMC concert on June Pride Weekend is at the Victoria Theater with well-known American songstress Jennifer Hudson as headliner. Due to contractual requirements, all seats are reserved, so get your payment in to Ticketcenterstage online or at the ticket office in the Schuster Center near the Citilites restaurant inside early.**
- 7. Steve S reminded us that the Pig Roast phased discounted reservations changed to \$12 through May 31. It's \$15 from June 1 to the day prior the event, which goes to \$20 at the door.**
- 8. Tom P announced that block reservations at the Luzor/Las Vegas for the Worldwide Prime timers convention in October are getting low. Base price at the hotel is \$49 plus various taxes (about \$77 total cost per day) plus the fees increase shortly to attend the WWPT events. He recommends flight reservations be made about two months prior on a Tuesday to get best prices. Event and**

reduced room rates apply to only Sunday through Thursday for the convention, if you intend to stay beyond those days on either side, regular rates apply.

9. **Reminder: April meeting is at home of Jeff G, Tall Timber Trail, Kettering, near Kettering Hospital. Next movie night is March 27, Friday, at the home of Larry K in Centerville. Recent multi-award winner, "The Theory of Everything," the story of Stephen Hawking, starring Eddie Redmayne, will be shown.**
10. **Motion to adjourn by Bill W, seconded by Tom P, carried and passed.**

**Time: 4:55. Submitted by Larry K, Secretary.**