

Isle O'Bama Parrothead Meeting
April 17, 2014
Jan's Beach House Grill

Gina Allred, President, called the meeting to order.

Minutes were approved, Bo motion, Rich second.

Treasurer's report - \$2691.94.

Rich - the bylaws project is in motion, working on a version to vote on. Email your suggestions or opinions to him. Terry will put a link on our webpage for the bylaws. Check out the original bylaws and ask questions or give suggestions. Rich is continuing work on the website. The cooler he is making will be for our luau for the booze cooler raffle.

Bo – the Luau is June 28. Dani Hoy is available and will stay with Bo and Punkin. Her price is \$300 as a solo act. Rhythm and Rain are \$750 plus three rooms. Edward Hartline will let us know if he will play first or in between the other artists.

Bo – Hasn't heard from Jimmy Parrish regarding playing for the Poker Run. The date will be August 16 or August 23. Carl's Country will split the cost of the band. Be sure to take cash or checks to Carl's Country. They don't accept plastic. We will rent a van again for those who don't want to drive.

The Sunny Jim House Concert is \$10.00 per person and there will be a tip jar (please put money in it). It will be Thursday, July 31, at Beverly Blagg's house. There will be free shrimp from Margaritaville. We will eat at 6 pm and Sunny Jim will play from 7 until 10 pm.

The Montgomery Biscuits Buffett Pub Crawl will be Thursday, June 19. Beer is \$2.00. More info follows.

Lainie Jenkins has not set a date for the Parrothead Cruise. Bev made a motion to replace the Cruise with the Pub Crawl. Marsha seconded. Motion passed.

Lisa – we have 58 paid members. T-shirts and koozies are still for sale. There is only one medium and one 3X t-shirt left.

Margaret worked hard to chase down all the musicians at Stars to get their autographs on our Club t-shirt. Rich will make a rustic frame (shadow box style) and Thumper will put supply the mat. We will display it at Jan's and the Mellow Mushroom and then put it in the silent auction at Stars.

Gina said that Stars was great and thanked everyone who worked and gave donations. Several items were instant buys at the silent auction. There were Stars cups left over and our club received 12. These sold immediately for \$10.00. Eddie Winkles designed the logo for the cups.

Luau – we will meet at 3:00 pm to decorate and bands to set up. We open at 4:00 pm. We will do a Chinese auction and raffles. We will need donations for both. We will also need bottles of alcohol for the booze cooler and to put with some of the raffles. The Mellow Mushroom will give us a percentage of the sales of food. (We received \$580 in 2013.) Rich suggested that we raffle off a TV again. Bill Borders will donate a cooler for Rich to build around for the booze cooler. The club will pay for materials for the cooler.

We are waiting for a report from Books-a-Million.

The Poker Run will start at Irish Bred Pub, then the Aviator Bar, Leroy's in Cloverdale, Pratt Pub, and end at Carl's Country. We will have birthday cake and a 50/50. Poker hands will be \$10 each hand and the bus will be \$25. Cards will be drawn at each stop. Margaret suggested putting announcements for the poker run in the luau baskets. We agreed. Gina will ask for donations for the poker run from the bars.

Six Strings is August 7 – 10 in New Orleans.

Submitted by Marsha Allison.