

Beat the Odds Committee Minutes
Monday, December 10, 5:30 pm

Approval of Agenda: Marlene motion; Joe 2nd; all in favor

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Attending: Joe V., Marlene, Michele, Carin (notetaker)

Old Business:

- Debrief from the October 6th Beat the Odds Race
- Cancer Connection donates socks; we don't have the capacity to donate to all; nobody this year came from Wrangell; tax-free day downtown may have affected BTO numbers, try to avoid that date and work with the Lees chosen date; microphone is important; consider buying one for future use, or at least obtaining one; Parks and Rec has a list of our race needs and dates so we can better coordinate; this year sold all the shirts bc ordered fewer

New Business:

- Marlene will write thank you letters for for event; Michele, Joe, and Carin took a few each to help
- Circle of Life - maybe we should do socks? Embroidered? Date will be April 27. We coordinated with Rikki from WAVE about the Let Me Run! And Girls on the Run 5K dates so we can match.
- Request for funds directly from Beat the Odds; Angel Flight had 28 flights; 17 were psg; Alaska air donates seats; Cancer Connection last year was \$1200, this year was \$1500; \$2100 since we last donated; Wrangell spent \$2500 for 4 people; Cornerstone used \$119 for chore services; First City Council used \$5500 for Petersburg
- Marlene approves paying True North the \$900 invoice; Joe 2nd; all in favor
- Marlene will check with Christina Axmaker (?) about books for the library; does 5 wishes brochure need more copies? Talked with Angel Flight about BTO making a donation
- Should we invest long-term (PCF?); it might be more of a donation in order for it to be a hands-off investment, but feeds back to the community? Do we have the money? Something to discuss.
- Current financial status

Approval of Meeting Adjourned at: Joe motion to adjourn; Michele 2nd; all in favor

Next Meeting: Thursday, 2/7 at 5:15 pm

BTO box is 1477