

**BMBA BOARD MEETING MINUTES**  
**June 8, 2017**

ATTENDANCE: Kathy Bogosian, Dick Cuff, Charlie Scott, Susan Davis, Bobbie McElroy, Eric Persson,, Maureen Hennessey, Sue Graham, Karen Barton, Zac Miller, Annie Smyth, Michelle Bogosian, Mary Nixon, James Huth, Ben Thomas, Carol Smith, Bill Curtis, Chip Holston, Theresa Trainer, Carol Felton-Shore, Giselle Bartolo and Donna Hudak.

The meeting was called to order by Kathy Bogosian and the following items discussed:

- There is \$26,448.89 in the BMBA general fund and \$28,005.01 in the Bryn Mawr Day account.
- Carol Smith informed us that Greene Street is now Renaissance Thrift Shop. EMS, Scout and Molly's are closing. Enoteca Tredecim and Sontecusa are now open. Bryn Mawr Beautiful is looking for a high school student to clean the sidewalks on a daily basis.
- Our Holiday Light Contract will increase by \$2000 if we keep the lights up until the end of February. We approved taking them down in January.
- Bryn Mawr Beautiful was formed on January 28, 1993 to honor Phillip Giagnacova, the recently deceased owner of The Fiesta Shop. Their next board meeting will be next Wednesday at 8:30am at the Community Center. James Huth volunteered to plant the larger flower pot in the center of Bryn Mawr.
- BMBA will be 100 years old this year having begun in 1917. It is the oldest Business Association on the Main Line.
- Sue Graham informed us that there are still a few vendor spaces and sponsorship opportunities available for Bryn Mawr Day.
- The next General Membership meeting will be June 29, 2017 from 5:30pm to 7:00pm at Bryn Mawr Film Institute. Food will be catered by The Grog Grill. Meet the new Executive Director of BMFI, Samuel Scott. He will tell us about the future of BMFI. Enjoy a complimentary movie after the meeting. Our next Board meetings will be July 13<sup>th</sup>, August 10<sup>th</sup> and September 14<sup>th</sup>. Bryn Mawr Day is September 9<sup>th</sup>.
- Eric Persson updated us about the township pursuing new lids and larger, more visible trash and recycling containers for the business district.
- We are looking for ideas to get more businesses involved in our First Friday in December celebration. Handing out coupons at the Friday Tree Lighting for redemption at local stores on Saturday is one

option. Having activities set up on Saturday to make it a weekend event, photos with Santa on Friday and/or a fire pit managed by Bryn Mawr Fire Company are other options.

- The new "Shop Local" was handed out and looks good. A suggestion was made to add a parking diagram in the center. Email Kathy with any other suggestions or listing changes.
- Our next board meeting will be on July 13, 2017 at 8:30am.