## Massawepie Staff Alumni Association

Minutes of Executive Committee Meeting of 10/19/04 at the Dave Lippitt's, 7:00 p.m.

Present: Mark Pulvino (Chair), Brad Van Auken (Vice-Chair), Mike Knittel (Treasurer), Peter Collinge (Secretary), Dave Lippitt (VP-Camping), George Varga (Newsletter Editor)

**Membership Update:** As of September we have 83 currently paid members, plus 18 more whose dues expired May, 2004.

## Staff Beach Bar-B-Q 8/7/04:

- Relatively successful for a first time event
- Good junior staff attendance; fewer senior staff
- Small turnout from MSAA, so less revenue and fewer to share the work
- Had extra food, so same costs could feed a larger crowd
- Finances: Costs \$324 Sodexho (not charged yet)
  - \$121 Wegmans
  - \$ 81 Tops in Tupper
  - \$ 64 Custom Brewcrafters root beer
  - \$ 46 Sam's Club
  - \$ 64 Factory Card Outlet decorations (mostly reusable)

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\$690 Cost to MSAA, minus \$40 in food fees from members There were another \$158 in donated items

- Tentative date for 2005: July 30
- 2005: Charge \$20 per alumni, recruit more alumni, get better pre-registration from staff, try to keep costs down.

Finances: Will have \$1007 on hand after paying Sysco bill

**Clambake:** Attendance down, ~ 30

Roughly broke even financially, perhaps lost \$10

BarkEaters (New Massawepie Program) – approved to start in 2005.

Now the implementation work begins!

Winter Event: Discussed alternatives to a Happy Hour

Will finalize next meeting

**Newsletter:** Article deadline: ?

Target mailing date: Late December

Articles: BarkEaters – Brad

Beaver Weekend – Mark

Beaver Weekend – Mar Rifle Range – Peter

Membership update – Peter

Other?

**Smoke Signals:** Peter will put an MSAA article in the January SS

**Next meeting:** Monday, Nov. 29, 7 p.m. at Lippitt's (?)
- Discuss Massawepie retention plan, Beaver Weekend