

Fortier Class of '63 Meeting Minutes 2/6/2020

Thanks Anne for her warm hospitality and making her home available to us.

Venue selection. The Elms Mansion, 3029 St. Charles Avenue was recommended and accepted by the Committee.

Date & Time of Event. July 25, 2020 @ 7:00PM-10:00PM Cost \$75.00 per person.

There is a need for advance funding to pay the deposit on the venue.

Other Fortier classes are welcome.

Finances

At meeting time, our Iberia Bank account held \$888.30

The Elms Mansion has requested a deposit of \$2,500.00

Attending committee members wrote checks for \$75/per attendee.

Including registrations received by mail, the total from committee was \$1,200.00 (16 registrations).

To help us toward The Elms deposit and other early expenses, Lynne (\$400), Nelson and Hank (\$250 each) wrote checks as loans to be repaid as future registrations arrive.

Note: Hank deposited all checks this morning (2/7/2020). Our balance is \$2,988.30.

Assistance Any classmate can get assistance with their registration.

Friday Night Get-Together Committee Report

Myron & Anne reported. Myron has Reservations for 50 @ Mandina's, time TBA after talking to Mandina's. Anne will report more details at a later date.

Hotel Accommodations Attendees will be responsible for their own reservations. We will provide some hotel names to classmates. The Pontchartrain Hotel is convenient.

Planning with THE ELMS MANSION

Hank will bring the \$2500 deposit to Event Manager, Jessica Serrano, who will begin to draw up a contract.

Food With advise from Bonnie, Earlyn will lead the food selections with Nelson and Hank as her committee.

Music

Hank will continue to look for appropriate bands and report to the committee.

Security We will require one additional security person in addition to the one supplied contractually by The Elms.

Ground Transportation to The Elms

Attendees will be responsible for their individual transportation to the event. Uber. St. Charles Ave. streetcar are possibilities.

Things to finalize:

1. Report number of attendees to The Elms two weeks prior to our event.
2. A manned registration table
3. Refunds will be honored if a classmate cannot attend
4. Sunday Morning Breakfast or Brunch

Next Meeting Lynda Lee has invited us to have our next meeting at her home on Folse Drive. Day and time TBA (after Mardi Gras)

Respectfully Submitted
Fortier Forever,
Nelson Ardoin

