

Historic Downtown Chipley Merchant's Association
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July 24, 2008 Meeting

Attendees:	Antique Mall	Gary Clark	Cheryl McCall
	Baxley's Cleaners	Madelyn Culpepper	Barbara James
	Ted Everett	Southern Comfort	Mother's Grievance
	Gail Davis	Gloria's	Washington Co. News

Ted Everett and Nicole Barfield gave a presentation for Jr. Achievement. This is a most worthwhile investment in the futures of our children. We voted as an association to sponsor a class. Sponsorship cost is \$500.00, so we need 10 businesses to donate \$50.00 each. If you are interested please contact Jackie Baxley at 638-0201. We have information available on the program and will try to answer any questions you may have. Not only will this program be a great benefit to our young people, but will also give exposure to our businesses.

Gary Clark gave us copies of our Strategic Plan 2008-2011. He went over the information contained in it and encouraged us to move forward with our dreams and plans and not to lose sight of our goal. We are very grateful for all the time and effort Gary put forth to help us become something special. If you want a copy of the plan please call.

We discussed again moving the Friday night activities of the Watermelon Festival downtown. We also went over ideas for the Christmas Festival again. Please look back at the minutes for July 15th for those plans. Other ongoing interests are the restoration of the Mongoven Building and the Sangaree property.

The next scheduled meetings are August 5th, 5:15 at New Beginning and August 21st at Angel's Buffet.

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