

Meeting Minutes for the Waite Park General Membership Meeting
March 20, 2019

Meeting Host: AVX Meeting location: AVX, 1131 2nd St S Waite Park

Chamber update:

Business After Hours, Rinke Noonan 3/21/19

Dine and Donate @ Panera 3/29/19

Business Showcase, 4/4/19

Many upcoming events –see the Chamber website for a complete list.

www.StCloudAreaChamber.com

City of Waite Park update:

Fudgealicious is coming to the Food Court in Crossroads Mall

Hotel Project is set to open this Summer

Fleet Farm is done doing their expansion on existing property

Two new nail salons

New apartment building and retail space is being built on 3rd St

Roundabout is being talked about on Cty Rd 138

Amphitheatre awarding is taking place on April 1st

District 742 update:

Tech is set to open September 2019

Test Season is coming up in all the schools

AVX Host Presentation: Rich and Jodi Erkens

They are a Control 4 Diamond Dealer and Pinnacle Dealer

Their Fargo location opened 03/20/19

Stores are not stores, they are “experience centers”

They are the largest shade and blind vendor in the area

Speaker Presentation: Brain Hart, Stokeswood Enterprises, LLC

Spoke about the 5 different generations that are in the workplace currently and went through the 5 step process for handling issues that may arise and how to handle the situation depending on the generation

Next meeting: Wed. April 17, 2019 host Summit Real Estate Team at Edina Realty, Location: Moose Family Center, 1300 3rd St N Waite Park. Speaker is Ben Byker, Central MN Council on Aging- Topic: The Sandwich Generation