

MINUTES – MARCH 6, 2007
KURE BEACH COMMUNITY CENTER

The meeting was called to order by Frances Regan at 10:20 a.m. with a prayer. Members present were: Frances Regan, Jeannie Gordon, Helen Wilson, Jean Martin, Jackie Phillips, Nancy Hughes, Pat Holleman, Jerry Smith, Tim Fuller and Pat Slachetka. Minutes from the February meeting were accepted.

This meeting was being devoted entirely to our upcoming Community Awards Recognition Dinner. Frances read each of the nominations for this year's awards aloud. We had a good number of entries and the decisions were not easy. We were disappointed that there was no nomination for the Youth Award this year.

Many of the nomination write-ups were very short and not very informative while others were extremely well-written which made it was easier for the committee to make decisions. We need to remind our citizens that when nominating an individual, they need to be more informative, provide as much information as possible about the nominee's background, their contributions during the year, and should specify exactly the types of work that the individual contributed in order to give the committee members a complete picture of the volunteer. If the information given is too limited and just sketchy, a proper decision is difficult.

After the nominees were voted upon and choices decided, the next items of business to be discussed were:

1. Ticket Sales Update
2. Certificates and Plaques Updates
3. Table Centerpieces Update
4. Table set-ups discussed
5. The Contract with the Courtyard by Marriott, as well as other details at the Marriott

Since Tim Fuller was present, Tim reported that Carolyn Justice would be in attendance and have a few words to say on "The Meaning of Community Spirit". He mentioned also that Julia Boseman has entered the dinner date on her calendar and will certainly try to attend, depending upon her schedule in the Senate that day. Also, Tim will invite Danny McComas to be present and notify Pat Slachetka when he receives a reply from Representative McComas. Tim mentioned that he was very satisfied with the plans that have been put in place to date.

Frances showed us the colors for decorations that will be on our float for the parade and mentioned that she has contacted Dean Lambeth and confirmed that we will be able to use his trailer. We need to begin thinking about the details for getting the float decorated. We would like the Aikido people to be part of our float, possibly some ladies from the exercise group, etc.

The committee members all agreed that we need to meet once more before the dinner. We all agreed to meet on **MARCH 26 at 11:30 a.m. at the Center. This will be a really important meeting to go over any last-minute details.**

Respectfully submitted by
Patricia Slachetka, Secretary

Cc: Committee members

Tim Fuller

Nancy Hewitt/for posting at Town Hall