

**KURE BEACH COMMUNITY CENTER COMMITTEE
MINUTES OF TUESDAY, MARCH 4, 2008**

The meeting was opened at 10:10 a.m. with a prayer. Present were: Frances Regan, Jeannie Gordon, Nancy Hughes, Jean Martin, Linda Newton, Jackie Phillips, Pat Slachetka, Jerry Smith, Helen Wilson and Jim Vatr.

The revised minutes (dated February 11) were accepted as corrected.

AWARDS DINNER UPDATE: Plans for the Awards Dinner were discussed. Jerry Smith reported that the caterer (BON APPETIT) is locked in and so is the menu. Once the exact number of attendees is known Jerry will advise the caterer. Also, the "Sandy Bottom Beach Boys" will definitely be playing at the dinner.

Helen Wilson confirmed that she will handle getting the award certificates and the plaques. Pat and Jerry will plan a day to check out items in the supply closet. Frances will purchase necessary items at Sam's Club.

BUDGET: All members, along with Jeannie and Jim Vatr, discussed our projected needs for the coming year. Members agreed on all line items individually and Jeannie will handle the reporting of our needs to Town Hall, as this must be accomplished by March 13.

GENERAL MAINTENANCE UPDATE: There are some items at the Community Center that still need maintenance. For instance, the locks on the inside bathroom doors in the ladies room need to be fixed. Presently there are times when these locks do not work. Ceiling lights in the meeting room need new bulbs. Other items will be brought to the attention of Sonny Beeker by Jim Vatr.

LIGHTING FOR MESSAGE BOARD UPDATE: Frances reported that Harold Heglar has not hooked up the electricity for our new message board. We all understand that Harold is extremely busy with the addition to Town Hall but Frances will politely remind Harold.

2008 BARBECUE: A short discussion took place about the price of our upcoming barbecue and all members voted that we should increase the price this year to \$6.00 per person. Since last year the barbecue was such a huge success, we will continue to hold it in August and an exact date will be forthcoming.

UPDATE ON KURE BEACH OCEAN FRONT PARK: Linda Newton reported on a meeting she recently attended with reference to the Kure Beach Ocean Front Park. Linda is the representative for the Community Center Committee to this new committee which held their first meeting on March 3rd. Linda passed out her written report to all members (copy attached). Linda also announced there will be an *OPEN MEETING FOR ALL CITIZENS OF KURE BEACH* on March 18th beginning at 5:30 pm and this meeting is right before the regularly scheduled Town Council meeting that evening. All interested members should try to attend that meeting and voice preferences and ideas for this park.

TONY & DIANE DANCE: Jerry Smith mentioned that Tony and Diane will be playing for another dance at the Community Center on **May 10th beginning at 7:30 p.m.** All members are encouraged to attend.

TICKETS FOR AWARDS DINNER: Pat distributed tickets for the Awards Dinner to members who will be buying and/or selling them to family and friends. Tickets once again this year are \$15.00.

NEXT MEETING: TUESDAY, APRIL 1 (no fooling!!!)

Respectfully submitted by:

Patricia Slachetka
March 8, 2008

Emails to: Jeannie Gordon, Nancy Hughes, Linda Newton, Jackie Phillips, Jerry Smith, Jim Vatr
Deliver to Town Hall: Frances Regan, Helen Wilson; Nancy Hewitt
In Person: Jean Martin