

*KURE BEACH COMMUNITY CENTER MINUTES OF MEETING ON*

*OCTOBER 13, 2009*

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*The October 13, 2009 meeting of the Kure Beach Community Center Committee was called to order at approximately 10:10 a.m, after an opening prayer for guidance by Frances Regan. ALL MEMBERS WERE PRESENT as was Jim Vatrt.*

*Minutes of the September 8th meeting were accepted as written.*

*TREASURER'S REPORT: The Treasurer's report followed and Jeannie Gordon gave her report which included information that our rentals are down for the month. Jeannie is having problems working with her figures and the figures which Town Hall has been posting to the CC account. Firstly they have changed our budget numbers without discussion with either Jeannie Gordon or Frances Regan! Jeannie has several issues and questions regarding the reporting of our expenses and income; and she and Jim Vatrt will meet with Town Hall finance officers to improve the reporting and communication process.*

*ALTERNATE FOR OPENING/CLOSING THE CC FOR EVENTS:*

*Discussions were actually pretty affirmative in the decision that "ALL MEMBERS SHOULD BE BACKUP FOR JOHN HUGHES (should he have to leave town for personal matters). All members agreed that if John ever has a problem with any openings and/or closings he should feel free to call any one of the members to "fill in" for him.*

*KEYS TO THE "NOW LOCKED" MESSAGE BOARD:*

*Nancy Hughes mentioned that she had three sets of keys to the now locked message board. So, for now, holders of the extra keys to the outside message board are: Frances, and Pat Slachetka There is also a set in the Community Center and all members were informed as to the exact place this set of keys can be found.*

*OUR "THANK YOU" TO SONNY AND HIS MEN:*

*Discussions now jumped to the idea of having a lunch served in the Community Center for ALL OF SONNY BEEKER'S MEN INCLUDING ROBIN. ALL members voted in favor of showing our appreciation for the wonderful job his men have done on the outside of the community center. (Scraping the outside of the building of all loose paint, painting the exterior and making improvements where and when they came upon a problem, as well as planting roses, etc in the front of the building.) We are all so pleased with what Sonny's department have accomplished by giving the Community Center Building "new life"!!! A discussion about the proper way to say "THANK YOU" to Sonny and his entire department was to have a luncheon at the CC and all members would donate whatever will be necessary for the luncheon and we all will pay the for expenses. All agreed.*

*At this point, Irene Barber offered to make the men a wonderful Chicken Parmesan dish over pasta. All agreed it was a wonderful idea and we would all chip in for her*

*expenses. A date was chosen and it turned out that we would have the luncheon the following day (Wednesday, October 14th). Plans were discussed on how, what, how much, what extras, etc. and "The Plan was "Afoot", (to coin a phrase from Sherlock Holmes). Frances will make her apple enchiladas and a cake, as will others. Jackie and Linda will provide the tea; Lore will make the salad and provide dressings. The menu was set and volunteers to do different chores were finalized. We would all meet at the Center at 10 a.m. the following morning (Wednesday) and set up for the luncheon.*

*Next on the agenda was the "Tony and Diane" Dances for 2010. Pam, Lore, and Charlotte are the driving forces behind these dances and the schedule for 2010 will be on the third Saturday's in January, February, March, April, and May in 2010. They will work on having flyers made out (**with the help of Linda Newton**) to hand out to the various motels in our area.*

*A discussion of whether there was any need to hold meetings in November and December and all members agreed that we should cancel those meetings. **Pat will inform Kaysie Pralle of this decision.***

*A December Luncheon for members was discussed and voted upon so that all members will be celebrating a Holiday Luncheon in December. Discussions and agreements were made for the luncheon to be held at Michael's Seafood in Carolina Beach. The date will be on December 8th and Pat will contact Michael's and set up the date. (UPDATE !!: This has been done - so members: please put that date on your calendars for noon on December 8th).... Each member will pay for their individual lunch.... **REMINDER: IF YOU FIND THAT YOU CANNOT ATTEND THE LUNCHEON ON DECEMBER 8, PLEASE CALL PAT.***

*ELECTIONS FOR 2010: At this point members took part in electing officers for 2010 and it seems there will be **NO CHANGES** in the present responsibilities as follows:*

*CHAIRWOMAN: FRANCES REGAN*

*CO-CHAIR: JEAN MARTIN*

*TREASURER: JEANNIE GORDON*

*SECRETARY: PAT SLACHETKA*

*DANCES: LORE ECCLESTON, PAM BRAMHALL, CHARLOTTE PHILEMON, & IRENE BARBER*

*PUBLICITY: LINDA NEWTON*

*MESSAGE BOARD: NANCY HUGHES*

*GREETING CARDS: JACKIE PHILLIPS*

*Meeting adjourned at approximately 1:25 p.m. NEXT MEETING: JANUARY 12, 2010*

*Respectfully submitted by:  
Patricia Slachetka, Recording Secretary  
October 25, 2009*