

KURE BEACH COMMUNITY CENTER MAY 10, 2011 MINUTES

The, May 10, 2011, meeting of the Kure Beach Community Center Committee was called to order. Members present were Frances Regan, Jean Martin, Charlotte Philemon, Lore Eccleston, Nancy Hughes, Donna Budd, Chuck Keener, and Gabbie, Kraus, Chair, Kure Beach Parks and Recreation Committee. Frances began the meeting with an opening prayer.

COMMUNITY CENTER AND PARKS AND RECREATION CLASSES

Discussion ensued regarding classes scheduled by the Kure Beach Parks and Recreation Committee. We welcomed Gabbie Kraus to our meeting and had a good discussion regarding the scheduling of the Parks and Recreation classes, especially the two new ballroom dance and Zumba exercise classes, which seem to be off to a good start.

Jean Martin announced that her exercise class will end this month and start again in October.

Because Mondays and Tuesdays have closely scheduled classes, John Hughes will leave the air conditioning on all day in order to assure the hall is cool enough for all of the classes.

Discussion ensued regarding Emilie Swearingen's suggestion that gardening classes be offered at the Center. It was suggested that an survey be put on the Town's website to determine if there is an interest in these classes.

ANNUAL BARBEQUE

Discussion ensued regarding the Community Center's annual barbeque, which is scheduled for Saturday, August 13, 2011, and the Kure Beach Lutheran Church has agreed to sponsor the event. Frances will find out information regarding the County forms that the Community Center needs to complete, and she will check with Middle of the Island Caterers for prices and information since they did such a good job in catering the Spirit Awards Dinner.

COMMUNITY CENTER DANCES

Lore said that the Community Center regular dances will resume in September.

SPIRIT AWARDS DINNER

A brief discussion ensued regarding whether to have a yearly Spirit Awards Dinner. A decision will be made at a later date after further discussion.

TOWN OF KURE BEACH TAX INCREASE

Chuck Keener addressed questions from Committee members regarding the Kure Beach tax increase.

COMMUNITY CENTER RESERVATION APPOINTMENT BOOK

Donna Budd currently has the reservation book.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:10 am.

NEXT MEETING WILL BE TUESDAY, JUNE 14, 2011

Members should notify one of the officers when they cannot attend a meeting.

Respectfully submitted on May 17, 2011 by:

**Donna M. Budd
Recording Secretary**

Our meetings are always OPEN and the public is welcome to attend. We like to hear suggestions, new ideas, and comments for our community from the citizens of Kure Beach.