

PARKS AND RECREATION BOARD
MEETING MINUTES
July 8, 2014

Meeting was called to order on July 8, at 6:01 pm by acting Chairperson, Liz Houston. Attendees were Tony Gonsalves, Liz Houston, Sara Smith, Ken and Paula Withrow, Dean Lambeth and Bob Fitzsimons. Absent were Mike Jones, Terri Chabot, Joan and Richard Van Ham.

The first area of interest was to determine a potential slate of members to become the Advisory Board elected officers for the next year. The potential slate was Mike Jones, chairman, Terri Chabot, co-chair, and Liz Houston to return as secretary. It was also agreed to that Liz would call Mike and Terri to see if they would be interested in serving. Ultimately, the vote of the new officers will be held at the meeting in August.

The next item was Paula's Trip to the Brewery. Paula said the trip had to be cancelled because of the Town Ban on trips to destination involving alcohol, e.g. a brewery or a winery. At issue was the liability of the town should an accident occur. The liability of the Town was first and fore-most. Paula then mentioned another trip call the "Follow the Sun" tour. The trip follows the setting sun up the Cape Fear River. The trip would include dinner and snacks along the way. The date of September 23rd was suggested as a possible trip date. An historical narrator would do a speech about the history of the Cape Fear and its place in aiding with the settlement of the community. The trip was designed to go from 6:30 to 8:30 pm, approximately.

The final item was the strong suggestion that the Mark Roberts Band be booked for July 4th of next year. This information will be passed along to Nikki to help with the booking process. More information will be provided for the next meeting.

The next meeting will be held on August 5th at 6:00pm in the Town Hall conference room. The meeting was adjourned at 7:25 pm.

Bob Fitzsimons
Recreation Coordinator
Town of Kure Beach