

**Kure Beach Parks and Recreation Advisory Board**  
**May 10, 2016**

Board Members Attending: Ken Withrow, Mike Jones, Sara Smith and Paula Withrow, alternate.  
Others Attending: Nancy Avery and Emilie Swearingen

Chairman Withrow called the meeting to order at 4:05 pm.

1. Approval of April 10, 2016 minutes: Minutes were revised for clarification purposes. Under item 2, second sentence, "with Michael Jones" was deleted. The minutes were approved as revised.
2. Old Business:
  - A. The Ocean Front Park Events and Concert Series card was distributed. Sara noted that this marketing piece is a big improvement over the paper copy from previous years.
3. New Business:
  - A. Trips: Greg is working on a trip to see the Panthers. He was not available to give the update today due to illness.
  - B. Classes: A Disc Golf class was offered but due to the short time for promoting it, no one signed up the class. Mike is going to try it again this fall.
  - C. Disc Golf: June 18-19 is the Disc Golf tournament. Also as an FYI, Mike has created a nine-hole disc golf course at Good Hops Brewery.
  - D. Community Center: The Center held an Open House on Saturday, April 30, 1-3 pm. There were 440 raffle tickets given to Street Festival attendees. Those individuals had to return those tickets to the Community Center. The Community Center visitors had exposure to the student art work as well as the facility itself.
  - E. Budget: There will be a public hearing about the budget in June, and the Town Council will approve the final FY 17 budget at their June meeting.
4. Member Comments: Sara thanked Nancy, Nancy Nikki, Many and the many others who worked to make the Street Festival a successful event. It was well-attended and had a variety of activities throughout the day.

The Adopt-a-Beach program has been successful with 16 out of 17 access point sections adopted, some by multiple people or organizations. Sara will suggest to the Adopt-A-Beach Committee that multiple groups can adopt sections of the beach. Seeing a red star on the website map might discourage people from adopting a section.

The meeting was adjourned at 4:20 pm. Motion by Paula and seconded by Mike. Passed unanimously.

Submitted by,

*Sara Smith*

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Next Meeting: June 14, 2016 4 pm at Town Hall.