

Kure Beach Parks and Recreation Advisory Board

July 12, 2016, 4:00 PM

Board Members Attending: Ken Withrow, Michael Jones, Sara Smith, Greg Wrubluski and Patti Rose. Others in attendance: Christopher “Physh” Richards, President of the Pleasure Island Disc Golf Club; Nancy Avery, Town Clerk and alternate Board Member Paula Withrow.

1. Chairman Withrow called the meeting to order at 4:00 PM
2. Minutes of the June meeting were read and approved “as corrected”; the correction being that the minutes from June 14 incorrectly stated Craig Swearingen in attendance. The correction is Craig Bloszinsky was in attendance. (pr)
3. Old Business:
  - A. Oceanfront Park Programs: Oceanfront Park Activities are moving along on schedule. A new concert has been added for July 24, 2016 – The Rock ‘n’ Roll Chorus will perform from 5:00 – 7:00 PM.
  - B. Blood Drive to be held at the Community Center on August 19.
4. New Business:
  - A. Trips: Greg W. researched information regarding group excursions to Panthers games in Charlotte. He advised the Committee that a “Bulk” ticket purchase requires a minimum of 20 participants, for seating in the Upper Right area of the Stadium. In researching the upcoming game schedule, the Committee decided that the best opportunity for a group excursion would be for the game on Oct.10 VS. Tampa Bay. Sara asked how we would determine any interest in this trip, and it was decided that Nikki could send out an email to determine response.
  - B. Classes: Ken will teach a water color class at the CC in August. Michael will be teaching Disc Golf.
  - C. Disc Golf: Michael Jones reports that the “King of the Island” tournament in June went very well. There were 40 participants from all over New Hanover County and other areas for the two-day event.

Christopher “Physh” Richards, is in attendance to discuss a new problem at the Kure Beach Disc Golf Course, regarding an **Individual**, who was previously expelled from the PIDGC for unsportsmanlike conduct, presenting to the KB disc golf course and removing signage on the course. The President of the Club consults the Committee as to what legal action the Club, or the Committee can take, in permanently restricting this **Individual** from presenting to the Course at Kure Beach. The Committee states

that while it cannot file a restraining order against the **Individual**, it can certainly support the Pleasure Island Disc Golf Club in maintaining the Club Rules and promoting safety on the course..

- D. Pickle Ball: Greg W. reported that he has talked with the Andersons. There are currently 2 Pickle Ball courts in Carolina Beach, one outdoors, and one indoors at the Carolina Beach Rec Center. The decision is made that there are adequate resources on the Island for Pickle Ball, and the discussion to develop a new court at Kure Beach will be discontinued for the time being.
  - E. 70<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Kure Beach Celebration: Chairman Ken Withrow reported on the first public meeting, which happened the day before this Committee Meeting. There were a few interested persons, who will continue to meet and develop the plans for the 70<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration. Ken and Paula Withrow continue to offer to stand in in an advisory position.
- 5. Member Comments: Michael Jones expressed his appreciation to the Committee for their continued support of the Disc Golf Club and in addressing those concerns at this meeting.
  - 6. Next Meeting  
August 9, 2016 4:00 PM

Meeting was adjourned on a motion by Patti Rose, second by Michael Jones.  
Adjourned at 4:48PM

Respectfully submitted by Patti Rose