KURE BEACH COMMUNITY CENTER SEPTEMBER 11, 2012

The September 11, 2012, meeting of the Kure Beach Community Center Committee was called to order at 10:00 a.m. Members present were Charlotte Philemon, Jeanne Gordon, Donna Budd, Mararuth Capell, Lore Eccleston, Harriet Owsley, and Chuck Keener, Town Council Representative. Potential new committee member Barbara Boal attended the meeting. Absent were Jean Martin, Connie Mangum, Pam Bramhall, and Glenda Dodge.

Charlotte called the meeting to order with a prayer for guidance and wisdom in our discussions and blessings for all. The August 14, 2012 minutes were approved.

Jeanne Gordon, treasurer, gave a financial report on the outcome of our annual barbecue. She reported that 189 tickets were sold with a total income of \$1588, profit of \$912, and the cost per plate was approximately \$3.35.

OLD BUSINESS

Review of the Community Center's August 18, 2012 Barbecue.

Discussion ensued regarding a review of our August 18 barbecue. Members agreed that it was a success and only made minimal changes to the food quantities to order for next year's barbecue, which are as follows:

MEAT – 90 lbs. (Middle of the Island Caterers)

COLE SLAW - 5 Bowls (Big Daddy's)

POTATOES - 90 lbs.

BAKED BEANS - 12 large cans

ROLLS - 9 packages (24 rolls each)

ICE - 100 lbs.

WATER - 2 gallons

TEA – (more unsweetened tea is needed)

BUTTER - 8 lbs.

DESSERTS – Same (we had approximately 24 people that donated desserts.)

After discussion regarding the need for additional pots and a colander, Donna moved and Mararuth seconded the motion to buy 2 pots and a colander, and the motion passed. The committed discussed the need for more space behind the kitchen counter due to the crowded serving/cleaning problems in addition to the safety issues when working with hot pots and food. It was suggested that the committee check with Public Works to determine if the kitchen counter can be moved out to create a larger and safer working area.

Review of Community Center Officers and Committee members.

Discussion ensued regarding the election of Community Center Officers, and Committee members and agreed to hold an election at its October meeting. Jeanne moved and Donna seconded the motion to elect members for two-year terms, and the motion passed. Following is a list of the Officer and Committee positions to be filled.

OFFICERS

Chair Co-Chair Treasurer Secretary

COMMITTEES

Marketing and Advertisement Social Events Center Supplies Beautification

Committee members are to contact Charlotte and/or Donna with their officer/committee choices. The election will be by ballot at our meeting on October 9, 2012. Current committee members need to provide Donna with information regarding the responsibilities of their committee so that members have an understanding of each committee's purpose.

NEW BUSINESS

Fall Garden Lecture

Charlotte contacted Jon Wooten, a Master Gardener from the New Hanover County Cooperative Extension's Speakers Bureau Program regarding the Community Center hosting a garden lecture on fall pruning, which the committee schedule on October 27, 2012 from 10.00 – 11.00 a.m. Mr. Wooten also suggested having in early spring, a lecture on Integrated Pest Management (IPM), which is managing plant problems through a series of logical steps designed to solve the problem while having the least offensive effect on the environment. The committee will consider a spring lecture series at its January meeting.

Community Center Building Repair Items Cited in the Town's 2012-13 Budget

Chuck will check with Sonny (Public Works) regarding completing the repairs to the Community Center that were approved in the Town's 2012-13 budget, especially the enlargement of the Center's storage area.

Community Center Work Day

The committee agreed to meet at the Community Center at 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, September 25, 2012, to do a general cleanup and assessment.

Reservation Appointment Book Monthly Report and Maintenance Schedule

Charlotte reported that there were no rentals booked last month; however, there were calls from individuals regarding rental information.

Following is the schedule of members maintaining the book, which is transferred to the next person at the monthly Committee meeting on the second Tuesday of the month. The schedule is tentative and Town Hall will be notified of any changes to it.

September Connie December Mararuth
October Harriet January Jeanne
November Glenda

The meeting adjourned at 11:50 a.m.

Respectfully submitted on September 19, 2012 by:

Donna M. Budd Recording Secretary

NEXT MEETING WILL BE TUESDAY, OCTOBER 9, 2012

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

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.