KURE BEACH COMMUNITY CENTER MEETING MINUTES AUGUST 12, 2014

The meeting was called to order by Jeannie Gordon (in place of Harriet Owsley who was on vacation). Members present were Mararuth Capell, Barbara Boal, Robin Sack, Lore Eccleston, Craig Bloszinsky (Town Council Representative), Nikki Keely (Town Recreation Coordinator), and Pat Slachetka, Recording Secretary.

The meeting began with a beautiful prayer for guidance given by Mararuth.

BARBECUE SIGNS: All members agreed that the signs for our Barbecue are TERRIFIC!! There was a short discussion about the new barbecue signs.

Next on the agenda were updates from some of the members about Potato Salad which will be purchased from Sam's Club and, once again, Big Daddy's has promised us that they will have all the Cole Slaw available and we can run over to the restaurant if we begin to run low.

SET UP - TABLES & CHAIRS: Sonny Beeker and his men will help us with this chore.

The barbecue meat will be delivered to the Community Center by Middle of the Island Catering, and that will cost \$476.15. All members agreed that we should tip \$20 for the delivery person.

***Jeannie Gordon will begin setting out signs for the Barbecue early Saturday morning.

We are hoping that residents of Kure Beach will donate desserts such as cookies, cakes, etc., and bring them to the Community Center by 10 a.m. Saturday morning so that members can begin cutting the portions for the desserts and wrapping them to keep them fresh. All members are asked to be in attendance to get the desserts wrapped and also to help begin to prepare the food.

We are grateful to have some of our leaders to help "dish out" the dinners. Emilie Swearingen, Chuck Keener, Dean Lambeth, and Craig Bloszinsky will be on hand to help with the dinners. Jeannie Gordon will be setting up the work shifts.

Also, we are asking for help to clean up after the dinner by all members and hopefully their husbands, etc.

Barbara Boal has suggested that members should wear some shirts that she happened to come across and all members will be wearing them. The shirts are "ISLAND" shirts which are very colorful and probably will have enough for all members.

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<u>UNFINISHED BUSINESS</u>: On September 20th, there will be a "birding talk" about the BIRDS OF SOUTHEAST, N.C. The talk will begin at 10 a.m. and should be over by 11:30 a.m. There is no charge for entry.

REST ROOMS: Both the men's and ladies' restrooms have been updated and are finished. THEY LOOK FANTASTIC. Thanks to the following people: Jeannie Gordon, Barbara Boal, and of course Sonny Beeker and his wonderful crew. Barbara has a large mirror and Sonny Beeker said that he will have one of his men to cut it to size and hang it before the day of the Barbecue.

There was a suggestion to prepare a luncheon for Sonny's crew who do anything that we ask. We would like to show them our appreciation by having a special luncheon at the Community Center for his entire crew. We will discuss this at our next meeting.

REMEMBER: ALL MEMBERS ARE ASKED TO REMAIN AFTER THE BARBECUE AND HELP CLEAN UP THE CENTER.

LET'S ALL HAVE FUN

Respectfully submitted by:

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