

Social Committee General Meeting –November 14, 2022

Members Present: Mary Phelps, Cassie DeBow, Rhonda Galvin, Jeanie Kunz, Pat McCann, Debbie McDowell, Cathy Sirocky, Holly White. **Board Member:** Tom Davis.

Mary Phelps called the meeting to order at 7:04 p.m.

Approval of minutes— Cathy S. made a motion to approve the October 10, 2022 minutes. Jeanie K. seconded the motion, and it passed.

Treasurer's Report— Cassie D. said the October 31, 2022 account balance was \$4,320.23 less the Good Neighbor fund of \$1,297.02 for a net balance of \$3,023.21. Kathy Flaherty confirmed the miscellaneous \$24.82 expense was for the holiday party place cards. On September 30, 2022, the account balance was \$5,062.72 less the Good Neighbor fund of \$1,297.02 for a net balance of \$3,765.70.

Activity Reports-

- While only 17 people were at the October 14 Coffee at the Clubhouse, 37 residents (including veterans, who came for free,) joined the November 11 get-together. Attendees were happy to honor RAP veterans.
- Thirty-nine residents enjoyed the October 16 Baroque music recorder recital. The Recorder trio: Lea Tyler, Lucy Hornstein and Maggy Young may play another concert before the holidays next year.
- With over 100 people attending, Pat M. stated that the November 6 Arts & Crafts Fair was very successful.
- Kudos to Ray Buckley for organizing the wonderful November 14 Salute to Veterans at the Gazebo. Over 50 people joined in and 28 veterans participated. Ray arranged for a fire truck from our new fire station. Cathy S. said the Activities and Speaker Series coordinators could schedule a tour of this station.

Upcoming Events-

- Kathy Flaherty said 151 residents had signed up for the December 4 RAP Holiday Dinner Dance. Kathy said the smaller guest list this year could be attributed to the economy and higher costs. Since Kathy and Maria Derbyshire won't be chairing the holiday dinner dance next year, Mary P. asked Kathy to reserve Rivercrest for December 3, 2023. She said she would be the point person until a new chairperson was chosen.
- Cathy S. said Regency Hills is holding a New Year's Eve Party this year. Currently, there will not be a Sloan Clubhouse New Year's Eve Party.

CAB Liaison—Tom Davis confirmed that Karen Windau has resigned from the board. He said the board would identify a Social Committee liaison after the November 17 RAP Annual Resident's Meeting.

Discussion-

- Mary P. said Cathy S. was retiring and she was sending an email advertising open positions on the Social Committee.
- Next year, the Garage Sale is scheduled for June 3, and the End of Summer Party will take place on September 9. Arlene Smith will chair the July 4th Party.
- Rhonda G. asked Tom Davis when the board needed the names of new Social Committee members. Tom said the board needed to know by yearend.
- Tom D. noted that recently the community was using the gazebo more often. Mary P. said the committee expects there will be another gazebo music concert in the spring.

Since there was no further business, Cassie D. made a motion to adjourn. Cathy S. seconded, and the motion passed. The meeting adjourned at 7:20 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Debbie McDowell, Secretary