

**COMMUNITY RELATIONS COMMITTEE
MEETING MINUTES
September 3, 2017**

Called to order: 1:15 p.m.

Present: Judy and Ralph Dennington, Polly Foster, Jole and John Williams, Chris Hanson, Louise Purdin, Annette Deleest, Sheila Wallace

- 1. 2018 Budget: moved & passed that the 2018 budget funds available remain the same as 2017. Request has been submitted to the SHOA Budget Committee for consideration.**

- 2. Chili Cook-Off:**
 - Publicity - A Press release has been submitted to the Observer.
Flyers are online at SHOA webpage.
Updated flyers are ready for bulletin boards & social media.
Ralph & Judy Dennington will distribute to the bulletin boards.
CRC members are encouraged to share with their friends & family on Facebook, etc.**
 - Shopping – Annette will shop for needed items. (Thank you, Annette!)**
 - Prizes - Still lacking one award (Sheila will check with Sue Raymond).**
 - Donations – MP for \$10 or more donation per bowl, \$1.00 for tasting/voting, \$1 for bottled water, 50 cents for coffee, \$1 for raffle tickets, \$5/craft table**
 - Expenses to date - \$75 rental, \$75 musicians, \$20 raffle item, 12 bowls/\$5 ea.**
 - Times & Set up – Laura will call for permission to access the schoolhouse Fri. afternoon for early prep and the rest @ 9:45 a.m. Sat. the 23rd. We need to be out by 3:30 p.m.
Bake sale starts at 11:00 a.m. Chili tasting begins at 12:15. Judging, Raffle and Awards from 1:30 -2 p.m.**

- 3. Card tables: CRC received a purchase request for card tables. Motion was made and passed to price & shop for 4 tables not to exceed \$125. Ralph & Judy found 4 on line during the meeting; these were ordered with a free delivery date of Thursday, 9/7, to the office. Total cost = \$108.68**

- 4. Bunco night: Reportedly a success with 14 attending; another is tentatively scheduled but not confirmed for October. (Date & time TBA by Valerie.)**

- 5. Welcome Packs: Peggy Olds has prepared new handouts for the Welcome Bags. Kimber is running copies for us to use.**

- 6. Earth Day 2018: Save the date for an Earthy activity!**

- 7. Surfside Polo Shirts: Laura donated several shirts for us to wear at CCR activities. A discussion about ordering Surfside apparel for members was tabled until the October meeting.**
- 8. Bulletin Boards: The key for the Board at the Recycler has finally been found. The Denningtons will try to update it asap. Thank you, Judy and Ralph!**

Meeting adjourned: 3:45 p.m.

Next Meeting: Tuesday, October at 1:15 p.m.