

Community Relations Committee
Minutes
March 3, 2020

Meeting was called to order at 1:00 P.M.

Attending: Jole Williams, John Williams, Valerie Harrison, Kirby Smith, Judy Dennington, Louise Purdin, Carole Homer

Recap of paint and sip.

The painting class was full, and everyone had a very nice time. Valerie recommends that we consider sponsoring this event again in the future. There were 9 Surfside members in attendance, in total

Flashlights for welcome bags

Emergency Management will provide flashlights for welcome bags.

Co-chair

Judy needs to step away from co-chair duties. She will continue as a committee member and assist at events.

Suggestions re: future projects

We discussed the number of projects sponsored by our committee. We have been sponsoring events every month, but it might be preferable to focus our efforts on our major charitable fund-raising events, and cut back on the number of potlucks, plantings, etc. These events are no longer well-attended, and our events are often competing with numerous other events on the Peninsula. Consensus is that we need to scale back the number of events sponsored since our committee membership has declined. We also discussed ways to increase our committee membership.

Surf n sider

The Surf n Sider will be ready to proofread next week probably.

Golf tournament

This will be our eighth tournament, and it has become quite successful. We will be able to give four scholarships this year. Kirby and Kimber have updated the forms to solicit sponsors and participants for the golf tournament this year. We all need to help solicit participants and sponsors among our acquaintances in the area. Heidi reports that she has all the information she needs to keep our financial records accurately.

Anything else

Louise reported that our Veterans Park plantings have been maintained by our committee. The maintenance of that park needs to revert to Surfside maintenance crew as we do not have the equipment or time to continue this project.

Meeting adjourned at 2:45 P.M.=