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RECREATION COMMITTEE
~~DRAFT~~ Minutes for January 4, 2018
10:30 a.m. – Condor Lounge

Meeting was called to order at 10:42am by Lesley McCleery – Chair.

Present were Lesley McCleery – Chair, Michelle Baker – Secretary, Linda Bennett, Mike Mitchell, Geri Fethke and Shirin Murphy. Also present were Sue Vanderford, Bob & Leslie Lewis (non members) Jessie Hales – Recreation Supervisor and Phyllis Throckmorton – Board Liaison.

The Minutes from December 7, 2017 were read and approved.

CHRISTMAS WEEKEND REVIEW:

Saturday, 11/23: Breakfast buffet with Santa (David Stenstrom) and party for kids 10:00am – 1:00pm. Dave was hilarious as Santa. Lots of improvement needed (better communication/marketing). Decorations were fabulous! Lesley thanked everyone who helped.

NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY REVIEW (12/31): Went very well. Food was excellent!

YOUTH COMMITTEE MEETING (1/27): (Bob Lewis – Chair, Mary Ann Kemmer – Co-Chair, Erin Patrino – Secretary, Alicia St. Clair – Treasurer). Not a formal committee yet. Good attendance.

The following items were discussed:

- 1) Looking for someone with technical skills to teach a class or workshop for kids and adults on how to put chains on a car, change the oil and tire, etc.
- 2) Skateboarders/Longboarders: Dangerous – no posting around on what they can and can't do. Kids need transportation to the Skateboard Park in Frasier.
- 3) Plan activities for kids in the clubhouse instead of the Recreation room (Valentine's dance/Father-daughter dance).
- 4) Separate News Letter for teenagers.
- 5) Suggestion: Change the name from "Youth Committee" to "Volunteer Committee".

Geri will prepare a brochure on upcoming events and prices to be placed in the Condor, office wall and Face Book. Jessie will get official approval for all events discussed.

AGING IN PLACE REVIEW: Michelle N. not here to discuss.

MONDAY NIGHT FOOTBALL: We now have a hot dog machine for basic hot dogs.

FRIDAY NIGHT ENTERTAINMENT: Well received. Best bar sales for the entire year.

SUPERBOWL SUNDAY (2/4): Lobby: Backdrop on the wall to take pictures as we did New Year's Eve. Cheerleaders to greet the guests? Condor Room: Beer & wine bar to free up the bar in the Lounge. Couch will be moved to this room.

MARI GRAS (2/10): Face painters, masks, beads, and another backdrop in the lobby. Band – Jessie will ask "Boy's Nite Out". Volunteers will decorate on Thursday, February 8th at 10:00am. Jessie will start decorating at 8:00am if anyone wants to come early. Suggestion: Contest for best looking mask with prizes given to first & second place winners.

VALENTINE'S DAY (2/14): Angelica Hayden can play. Jessie suggested a party in the Lounge for adults and the Pool Pavillion for Kids with a Juke Box. Age limit 10 & up? Volunteers will decorate on Monday, February 12th at 11:00am.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY (3/17): Suggestion: Friday night (3/16) Joe Croyle and Saturday night (3/17) a band.

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EASTER SUNDAY BUFFET (4/1): Volunteers will decorate on Thursday, March 29th (Lounge only).

DINNER THEATER: April 5th – 7th & April 12th -15th "Blythe Spirit with Mountain Theater Alliance".

FUTURE EVENTS:

- * Cinco de Mayo (5/5)
- * Mother's Day (5/13): Fashion show & tea?
- * Lilac Festival (5/19 & 5/20)
- * Community Yard Sale
- * Father's Day (6/17)
- * Meet & Greet for new members and renters

COMMENTS & SUGGESTIONS:

- 1) Group Concert Outings (Geri Fethke): **The Pantages Theater** "Aladdin" (January 11th – March). Six people are interested so far. **College of the Canyons** "Cheech & Chong" (February 10th). "The Chieftains" (February 24th). Geri will get a schedule for upcoming events in Bakersfield and have all events advertised in the Condor. Suggestion: E-mail blast. She will also be in charge of getting the tickets.
- 2) Phyllis: We have a lot of different committees working on things that other committees can help with.
- 3) Have an open house/home tour for unique homes in PMC. Provide a map to these homes and open it up to everyone. See who has the prettiest inside/outside decorations at Christmas time.
- 4) Use the hot dog machine on Thursday nights when the bar is open, in addition to Monday Night Football.

The next Recreation Committee meeting is scheduled for Thursday, February 1, 2018 at 10:30am.

Motion by Lesley and seconded by Mike to adjourn at 12:20pm.

Michelle Baker
Secretary

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