

House Activities Minutes, December 2, 2020

Attendees: Pat Degnan, Mike Ilardi, Kristen Neu, Ami Nickel, Kim Stecher

The meeting was called to order at 6:05 pm.

Old Business

- Holiday Decorating
 - Sunday, 12/6 @ 9:00 am
 - Maintenance to get trees and all decorations and store in Trophy room
 - Will email maintenance to put the garland and bells on lamp posts

- Holiday Party
 - Will be held Saturday, 12/12 – 7:00 pm -10:00 pm
 - Since no food is being served, the committee agreed to change the name to Holiday Open House for this year
 - Speakers on deck for music as well as in ballroom
 - Committee has rented 3 fire pits to be spaced out on the lawn; will have chairs social distantly placed around the fire pits with more chairs available.

New Business & Upcoming Events

- Movie Night
 - Will revisit in Spring '21

- Lamp post outlets
 - Kim will reach out to Steve Koenigsberg (Maintenance Chair) to request the addition of outlets on lamp posts that do not currently have them.

The meeting officially adjourned at 6:29 pm.

Minutes written by Kim Stecher & approved by Mike Ilardi (OIC)

House Activities

11-4-2020

Ami Nickel, Pat Degnan, Mike Ilardi

Meeting was called to order at 6:05pm

- Holiday Decorating 12/6/2020
 - 9am
 - Post in newsletter to invite members to come
- Voted to do Holiday party December 12th
 - Indoor/outdoor with firepits
 - 4 firepits
 - No food will be provided/ people can bring their own food
 - Holiday Drinks/hot cider/Irish coffee
 - No live music/will stream on phone or laptop

- NYE 12/31/2020-cancelled
- Tentative Valentines event for 2/13 depending on Covid numbers.

Meeting was adjourned at 6:35pm

Minutes taken by Ami Nickel-Co Chair

Minutes approved by Mike Ilardi-OIC

House Activities Minutes, October 8, 2020

Attendees: Dave Neu, Kristen Neu, Ami Nickel, Kim Stecher

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 pm.

- Wine Event
 - On hold

- Comedy Night
 - On hold until possibly Spring

- Holiday Decorating
 - Discussed decorating on a week night prior to 12/6

- Holiday Party
 - December 12th – TBD, waiting to see if indoor capacities increase

- NYE
 - Will reach out to Pat Degnan to poll seniors regarding their attendance

The meeting officially adjourned at 6:26 pm.

Minutes written by Kim & approved by Kristen (OIC)

House Activities Minutes, July 1, 2020

Attendees: Monica Jennings, Kristen Neu, Dave Neu

The meeting was called to order at 6:06 pm.

- Movie Night
 - Working closely with WC; trying to work through costs and COVID restrictions; working through some set up hurdles; awaiting the expansion of capacity on outdoor events; will try to offer a food option
- Beach Party- Still want to try to do this, since it's an outdoor event; may have to be canceled if it can't be done safely
- Fall Comedy Night
 - For indoor events, we may still have capacity restrictions in the fall; we will wait and see what the guidelines are as we get closer
 - Committee discussed holding the event outside on the lawn or the beach, as outdoor events are less restrictive
- Wine/beer event
 - With outdoor events being more flexible, do we hold something outside on the lawn? The fall may have a lot of outside events in the area if things open up, so the attendance could be limited.
 - Will continue to brainstorm ideas and discuss next month

The meeting officially adjourned at 6:26 pm

Minutes written & approved by Kristen (OIC)

House Activities Minutes, June 3, 2020

Attendees: Pat Degnan, Monica Jennings, Dave Neu, Kristen Neu, Ami Nickel, Kim Stecher

The meeting was called to order at 6:05 pm.

Old Business

- **Beach Party/BBQ**
 - Consideration for August

- **Wine Event**
 - Look into fitting it in late summer or early fall if any dates are available

New Business & Upcoming Events

- **Movie Night**
 - Unfortunately committee can't afford a screen big enough for drive-in movie
 - Pat mentioned that there is a company going around hosting movie nights; could charge a small fee to cover costs
 - Kristen/Dave have looked into an inflatable 16' diagonal screen for the beach and the price is reasonable (under \$500)
 - Committee agreed to combine with Women's Club to help benefit their Scholarship fund
 - Kristen to reach out to Women's Club to see if they are willing to split the cost of the screen
 - Suggested checking with Mike I., Charlie and the Attorney to make sure we are doing everything appropriately. Also, reach out to the town re: permit, etc.

2020 Event dates

- Halloween Party – October 24th
- Fall Comedy – November 7th
- Holiday Decorating – December 6th
- Holiday Party – December 12th
- NYE – December 31st

The meeting officially adjourned at 6:40 pm.

Minutes written by Kim Stecher-Co Chair

Approved by Kristen Neu-OIC

House Activities Minutes, May 6, 2020

Attendees: Pat Degnan, Dave Neu, Kristen Neu, Ami Nickel, Gerry Primavera, Kim Stecher

The meeting was called to order at 6:10 pm.

Old Business

- Summer Kick Off – 5/31
 - Cancelled for this year
 - Committee discussed having a ‘community birthday party’ or some other type of *free* member-only event once restrictions have been lifted by the governor. Possibility of a band, cake, balloons – celebration and get together after months of social distancing
- Beach Party/BBQ – 6/13
 - Postponed and committee will see if any available dates in July/August
 - As of now ‘wait-n-see’ and will post on social media updates as they happen

New Business & Upcoming Events

- Movie Night – TBD
 - Committee moved forward with discussion of holding event in Beach 1 parking lot – cars would need to be limited due to proper spacing
 - Will check with office for open dates
 - Dave has access to projector; clubhouse has speakers – Gerry suggested purchasing a transmitter; will need to purchase screen
- Comedy Night – November 7th
 - Committee discussed holding at ½ capacity or possibility via zoom

2020 Event dates

- Halloween Party – October 24th
- Fall Comedy – November 7th
- Holiday Decorating – December 6th
- Holiday Party – December 12th
- NYE – December 31st

The meeting officially adjourned at 7:00 pm.

Minutes written by Kim Stecher: Co-Chair
Minutes approved by Kristen Neu- OIC

House Activities Minutes, April 1, 2020

Attendees: Dave Neu, Kristen Neu, Ami Nickel, Kim Stecher

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 pm.

Old Business

- Comedy Night – 4/4
 - Postponed – all tickets will be honored for November 7th

New Business & Upcoming Events

- Wine Night – 5/8
 - Rescheduled – committee looking at other available dates in July or August
- Summer Kick Off – 5/31
 - Committee will discuss holding this ‘free’ event at May meeting; depends on situation at that time
 - Kim to reach out to DJ Tom as to his availability for the event
 - Discussed having Mr. Sam’s or Glazed ‘n Confused in place of sno-cones – HA would provide each child with a ticket for either a free ice cream or donuts.
- Beach Party/BBQ – 6/13
 - Will discuss in May; decision will be shared via Facebook, email etc.
- Movie Night – TBD
 - Discussed possibility of hosting a movie night during the summer
 - Dave has access to projector; clubhouse has speakers
 - Kristen will speak to Women’s Club President about possibility of splitting the cost of a screen to be shared with both committees.

2020 Event dates

- Halloween Party – October 24th
- Fall Comedy – November 7th
- Holiday Decorating – December 6th
- Holiday Party – December 12th
- NYE – December 31st

The meeting officially adjourned at 6:40 pm.

Minutes written by Kim & approved by Kristen (OIC)

House Activities Minutes, March 4, 2020

Attendees: Ami Nickel, Kim Stecher

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 pm.

Old Business

➤ Craft Beer

- Overall great event!
- Will purchase 'branded' glasses (name of event, date, etc.) for next year that attendees can take home.

New Business & Upcoming Events

➤ Comedy Night – 4/4

- Contract is signed; ad placed in newsletter, Facebook event created and Eventbrite is ready.
- Tickets go on sale March 7.
- Co-chairs decided to go back to the old way of having the individuals choose their seat/table when purchasing tickets.

➤ Wine Night – 5/8

- Dave will be following up with the suppliers
- Kim to reach out to Jersey Girl Cheese
- Tickets go on sale March 25; non-member tickets April 8
- Ordering stem-less glasses to be 'branded' for the event and for individuals to take home
- Save-the-date ad in March newsletter
- Layout for room will be suppliers around the perimeter with round tables/chairs in the center.
- Simple floral arrangements for tables with spring color tablecloths; high-tops on deck if weather is nice
- Music – use speakers again and make a play-list.

2020 Event dates

- Summer Kick Off – May 31st
- Beach Party/BBQ – June 13th
- Halloween Party – October 24th
- Fall Comedy – November 7th
- Holiday Decorating – December 6th
- Holiday Party – December 12th
- NYE – December 31st

The meeting officially adjourned at 6:53 pm.

Minutes written by Kim Stecher-Co Chair

Approved by Michael Ilardi-President

House Activities February 5, 2020
Meeting was called to order at 6:06pm

Attendees: Ami Nickel, Kristen Neu, Dave Neu, Pat Degnan, Monica Jennings

- New Year's Eve Report
 - Next year, only two bartenders necessary at the beginning of the night. Could even possibly be a board member. After that initial rush, one was sufficient.
 - Fresh fruit better than frozen fruit
 - No cream puffs

- Craft beer-February 8th
 - 245 tickets sold
 - Glasses are ordered
 - Extra tablecloths ordered
 - Beer/Cider
 - More varieties than last time and a lot of local breweries
 - 50 beers/ciders
 - Committee voted to order pizza for the vendors
 - Committee and vendors to arrive between 5:30 and 6
 - At the end of the night extra beer and cider will be available at the bar for people to make their own 6 pack. Voted to raise from \$14 to \$16

- Comedy Night 4/4
 - Monica will be helping to plan this
 - Tickets on sale 3/7
 - Newsletter advertising/Facebook/eventbrite
 - \$25/members and \$30/guests
 - 3 comedians
 - Signs

- Wine Night 5/8
 - Save the date
 - Check prices on wine glasses

- Yoga-voted to let Athletics take this over

The meeting was adjourned at 7:05pm

Submitted/written by: Ami Nickel-Co Chair
Approved by: Kristen Neu-OIC

House Activities Minutes, January 7, 2020

Attendees: Ami Nickel, Kim Stecher, Kristen Neu, Dave Neu, Pat Degnan

The meeting was called to order at 6:03 pm.

Old Business

- Holiday Party – Survey results (very good overall)
 - Drink specials need to be better advertised;
 - Food good just not enough--keep to strictly finger food, ‘slider’ size sandwiches next year;
 - Committee discussed no DJ & either have our own music on speakers or hire a band to start at 9:00 pm
 - Changing name from *Holiday Party* to *Holiday Open House* to encourage open attendance
- NYE
 - 107 tickets sold; Nothing but good feedback – had 1 complaint about music
 - Staff from Jacques were great; plenty of food
 - Pat took inventory of supplies – not much needed for next year besides tiaras

New Business & Upcoming Events

- Holiday decorations- Historically Maintenance takes down and stores them away, will continue to do this
- Craft Beer Tasting – Saturday, February 8
 - 56 tickets sold to date, are expecting a sell out
 - Kristen reached out to distributors and waiting to hear back
 - Food truck will be parked outside
 - Ordered additional rectangular tablecloths, beer glasses and restaurant-style bins
 - Will make a lot of ice made ahead of time
 - No band this year – Dave & Teresa to work on play list
 - Look into ‘branded’ glasses for next year
 - Student volunteers will be helping with tickets, wristbands, glasses
- Comedy night
 - Kristen will work with Office re: sell dates and ad for February newsletter
 - Committee voted in favor of hiring Tony
- Summer Kick-off
 - Date set for 5/31/20 from 12-3; Looking into hiring Mr. Sams rather than sno-cones
 - Possibly hire band and focus on more outdoor (weather permitting) activities
- Beach Party/BBQ
 - Date set for 6/13/20 on Beach 1 (rain or shine); Committee still in discussion on finalized plans
- Kristen to sit with Ryan to review 2019 expenses/revenue and report back to committee

2020 Event dates

- Comedy Night – April 4th
- Wine Tasting Event – May 8th
- Summer Kick Off – May 31st
- Beach Party/BBQ – June 13th
- Halloween Party – October 24th
- Fall Comedy – November 7th
- Holiday Decorating – December 6th
- Holiday Party – December 12th
- NYE – December 31st

The meeting officially adjourned at 7:45 pm

Minutes written by Kim Stecher & approved by Kristen Neu (OIC)