**House Activities Committee Minutes, December 6, 2023**

Attendees: Ami Nickel, Kristen Neu, Bev Nemiroff, Pat Degnan, Mike Ilardi

The meeting was called to order at 6:12 pm.

Old Business

* Comedy Night- November 18, 2023- We received positive feedback from attendees; will send a survey; discussed tablecloths- will keep using black fabric.
* Clubhouse Holiday Decorating- Décor looks great!

New Business & Upcoming Events

* Holiday Party- Dec 9
* Catering from The Fruited Plain in Parsippany and dessert from Costco will be picked up on Friday; Shrimp platters picked up on Saturday.
* Tables will have votives with candles, Hershey kisses, black tablecloths; Meet at 6p to set up.
* NYE
* Tickets are on sale; EB and FB events are created.
* Discussed having champagne available at the bar before the midnight countdown instead of at the table, as some people don’t drink the champagne.
* Eventbrite updated with end date for ticket sales for EOD 12/29; Pat’s contact info added to EB/FB
* Set up Saturday morning if there’s no evening event; will check with Maintenance.
* Dueling Pianos- Jan 12
	+ Ticket sales begin Saturday Dec 9; at Comedy Night, we looked at the layout and decided on a similar layout for Dueling pianos, except the stage is in the middle of the room; we will also add card tables to accommodate all group sizes.
* Craft Beer- February 17th
	+ Will reach out to the breweries this week.
	+ Revisited adding mugs with images so people can keep them; will not have the year on the mug.
* Comedy Night- April 13
	+ Motion to hire Antonio Camacho - 5 in favor, 0 opposed.
	+ Will submit motion to the December board meeting; deposit to be sent in January.
* Ladies Comedy Night- May 11
	+ Due to the demand in tickets for the November Comedy Night, we looked at the calendar for additional spring dates; proposed holding a comedy night the Saturday night before Mother’s Day; theme would be “Ladies Night”; discussing having a ticket option that includes drink tickets; will discuss costs with B&R.
	+ Motion to hire Antonio Camacho - 5 in favor, 0 opposed.
	+ Will submit motion to the December board meeting; deposit to be sent in January.

**Upcoming Event dates**

* Holiday Party – December 9th, 7-11p
* NYE – December 31st, tickets on sale now
* Dueling Pianos- January 12th, 7-11pm, ticket on sale December 9
* Craft Beer- February 17th, 7-11pm, tickets on sale Jan 13 for members, Jan 27 for guests
* Spring Comedy- April 13th, 630-10p, Tickets on sale March 2
* MNO Comedy- May 11th, 630-10p, Tickets on sale April 6
* Summer Kickoff- May 26th
* Beach Party- June TBD
* Fall Comedy- Nov 2nd

The meeting officially adjourned at 6:55 pm
Minutes written by Kristen (Co-Chair) & approved by Mike I. (OIC)