

Neighborhood Advisory Committee
Monday, May 16, 2016
Council Conference Room
3:00 p.m.



MINUTES

Committee Members in Attendance:

Beverly Braunschiedel- *Midland CC*
Cyndie Burnett- *Lake Pinehurst (alt.)*
Tony Elms- *Donald Ross*
Tom Cruce - *Clarendon Gardens*
Kay Wildt- *Doral Woods (alt.)*

Bill Keith- *Village Acres*
Maureen Quinn- *Pinehurst No. 7*
Rosie Ruggles-*Oakmont Circle*
Jim Walls – *Burning Tree*
Jan Kane- *CCNC*

Committee Members Absent:

Tom Campbell- *Monticello*
Heather Doolittle- *Pinehurst Manor*
Christy Eibel- *Lake Pinehurst*
Bill Hauser- *Pinehurst No. 7*
Mallory Hickey- *Old Town*
Bert Higgins- *Doral Woods*

Leighton Smith- *Pinewild*
Carolyn Jamison- *Civic Group*
Jim Vigilis- *Pinehurst No. 6*
Paula Womack- *Taylorhurst*
David Ward- *Pinehurst Trace*
Frank Collins- *St. Andrews*

- I. **Call to Order by Mayor Pro Tem.**
Mayor Pro Tem John Cashion called the meeting to order for the Neighborhood Advisory Committee.
- II. **Review notes from April 18, 2016.**
Approved by the committee.
- III. **Village of Pinehurst Parks and Recreation Update**
 - *Summer Events*
 - *Athletics and Programs*
 - *Splash Pad Update*

Mark Wagner, Ashley Hunt, Dave White, Nicole Benbow, and Courtney McNeill presented information about the Pinehurst Parks and Recreation Department and services offered to Village residents.

Ashley Hunt shared information about the upcoming event in the Arboretum on Saturday, June 4 called Eats, Beats, and Brews which is a new food truck event. She also shared information on the 4th of July events and the need to recruit volunteers to help with these festivities. She noted that the US Kids Golf Parade is coming in August along with the Community Flea Market and other fall events being planned now. Ashley noted the new Parks and Recreation activity guide will be out in August.

Nicole Benbow shared information Parks and Recreation programs. She explained June is the beginning of summer camps for kids. This year the Village is also offering cooking camps for kids, pottery camps, and a Junior Fire Academy. Martial arts classes for ages 4 years and up begin in June along with a teen summer adventures trip to Myrtle Beach. Youth swim team starts tomorrow and the Village is recruiting coaches for these teams. There are several senior adult trips over the summer including a trip to Southpoint Mall and a museum. Yoga classes, StrollerStrides, BodyBack, and dog training are also continuing to be offered through the department and there is programming also for special needs kids and teens.

Neighborhood Advisory Committee
Monday, May 16, 2016
Council Conference Room
3:00 p.m.

Dave White shared information on the Village's athletic programs. He noted information about the coach pitch baseball program, tennis lessons for ages 5 and up and adults. He shared every Friday night is hockey skate night at Rassie Wicker Park for youth and adults have pickup games on Wednesday and Sunday evenings at 8:00pm. He shared that a free disc golf clinic at West Pinehurst Community Park last weekend. Coming up in July and August will be adult softball and adult and senior basketball. Also coming up will be the following for kids: soccer, lacrosse, baseball sports camps, and golf camps at Pinewild. The Village will host the 77nd annual Pinehurst Junior Tennis Classic tournament July 14-16. There is also a trip to the Durham Bulls game on June 22 for ages 7 to 15 and flag football for 9-12 year olds starts in the fall.

Mark Wagner explained the total number of people who participate in their programs (excluding special events) is approximately 4,100 participants throughout the year, with about 70% residents and 30% nonresidents. Mark shared the Facebook post from May 3rd when the splash pad project started which reached 4,700 people. He also shared www.pinehurstrec.org where anyone can register for programs online. Mark Wagner shared a general concept plan of the 2500 sf splash pad which is concrete with ground sprays and above ground features. Mark explained this is a recycled water, continuous flow system. Scheduled to be done June 14 or 15 and plan to have a grand opening event around June 17.

IV. Other Business- Neighborhood Reports

- Bill Keith of Village Acres: Asked if the speed limit on Murdocksville Road could be reduced. He noted the meeting with Bill Keith, Tom Pashley, and the Mayor has not yet been scheduled yet. Noted several drainage issues with missing bricks Old Hunt and Sandhill Circle. Shared that Longleaf Drive W had a water main break and the side of the roadway has not been fixed yet. He reported Lassister Lane and Longleaf Drive W has a ditch exposed with cones around it. Asked about adding POA and neighborhood contacts to the new website. Asked about the streetlights and sidewalks in Village Acres and if there needs to be a committee from the neighborhood to help with location decisions. Noted there is still an issue with kids getting across Highway 211 from Village Acres due to the fast crosswalk light. Walt's team helped move a street sign in their neighborhood for a better visual placement.
- Rosie Ruggles of Oakmont Circle: Reported McKenzie and Lost Tree now has a beautiful street light. She wanted to thank Nancy and Jeff Batton for this. A neighbor asked if we could include a reminder about how to store solid waste carts in the Village newsletter.
- Cindy for Lake Pinehurst: no report.
- Tony Elms of Donald Ross: Noted a neighbor said the stoplight at the new Harris Teeter entrance was not as nice as the other stoplights closer to Pinehurst. Asked if a wayfinding sign on Highway 211 directing people to Highway 5 could have flowers added to make it appear nice. Highway 211 median looks tatty between Rattlesnake and Olmstead Village.
- Kay Wildt of Doral Woods: Observed several potholes that have been filled and fixed around town. She complemented the berm on Highway 5 where you turn onto Highway 5 from Highway 211. Noted a cul-de-sac in Doral Woods that the truck cannot get around.
- Tom Cruce of Clarendon Garden: no report.
- Maureen of Pinehurst No. 7: no report.
- Jim Walls of Burning Tree: There is a need for a streetlight at corner of Pine Vista and Linden and the speeding issue on Burning Tree continues and something needs to be done.
- Jan Kane of CCNC: no report. All of the Parks and Recreation programs are marvelous that she learned about today.

Neighborhood Advisory Committee
Monday, May 16, 2016
Council Conference Room
3:00 p.m.

Other Business:

Lauren Craig reminded the NAC members that she would contact everyone individually to ask if they are willing to commit another year as a neighborhood representative on the NAC over the summer months. The next meeting for the NAC will be held on June 20, 2016 at 3:00 p.m. The NAC will not meet in July or August. Send Lauren an email with any suggested topics for the future meetings.

V. Adjournment by Mayor Pro Tem John Cashion at approximately 4:10 p.m.

Respectively submitted by:

Lauren Craig

