

MEETING JUNE 11, 2024

Meeting called to order at 6:30

Minutes read.

Treasury report given.

Chuck announced sponsors for the upcoming community day.

Lyn Weaver-\$2500

Another sponsor \$500.

Still waiting to hear amounts from Red Hill Hardware and Outdoor.

We will have face painting, bouncy house, fire trucks, bee keeper, and free yoga. We may have a horseshoe competition. BCCC will provide burgers and hotdogs for the community. This year will be BYOB if you choose to. Events starts at noon and ends at 3. Need 7 volunteers to serve food. David Ray volunteered to cook. Need to get propane tank from Laurie and Day needs to check that the grill that was donated works

Dog Park. Cliff presented the cost for the 20 foot x 10 foot cover for the dog park, Materials total cost is \$1059.58 The structure will have 12 foot post and will be split between the small dog park and the large dog park so that there will be shade in both parks. We will need volunteers to build and are possibly looking at July 14th or 21st to build. Additionally it was discussed and agreed to put a retaining fence at the drive of the dog park to prevent cars from backing into the ditch. Phil has 6 posts he is donating to construct the fence.

Music Day October 12th.

Chuck Costanzo will MC the event. Michael Yehon, Rod Spear and Jay Brown will provide music for the day.

HAM Radio group will be at the community center June 22-23rd. Anyone interested in HAM radio should stop by and talk to the operators there.

The community center has been rented 65 times this year. Due to the increased activity we have hired a cleaner 2 times a month and need to raise the rental price starting in 2025 to help cover the cost. Chuck suggested raising the rates for a party to \$175.00, Weddings \$350.00. and \$150.00 for an extra day for any event. Board voted and passed. New prices start January 2025.

Day Ray is to check into cost for a Private Event sign and a Bulletin board for the Community Center.

Meeting adjourned at 7:14

MEETING MAY 14, 2024

Meeting called to order 6:35 pm

Minutes read

Treasury report given by Shirley

We received the \$2000 grant from Hickory Nut Gorge for the playground. We received \$750 from NC Ag extension.

We still have 4 outstanding grants we are waiting to hear if we will receive them. We should know by August. The community voted to wait until August to re-do the playground to see if we get one of the additional grants to go with the \$2000 grant we received. Additionally, Lake Lure has applied for grants to re-do their playground and if they get it we may be able to get their old equipment.

A small dog park was completed. Pam and Cliff Swan donated fencing and the community came together to install it. Pam and Cliff are the Chairpersons over the dog park. They are looking at getting a 11 x 20 structure for shade with the remaining money allocated to the dog park this year.

Chimney repair-chimney is still leaking. Repair person to come out on 5/17 to look at it again.

Leading Ladies of Lake Lure yard sale raised \$500 for Lake Lure Academy lunch program.

Joe Malley donated and installed horse shoe pits for the community.

Westin Woodard won a \$1250 per year for 4 years scholarship plus \$500 extra for freshman year from WNC Community.

A cleaner has been hired 2 times per month to help clean the community center and Noah Ray has been hired to cut the grass 2 times per month.

Meeting adjourned at 7:06

MEETING APRIL 9, 2024 OLD BUSINESS

Meeting called to order at 6:30

Minutes read.

Treasury report given.

We received a \$1000 donation; we also received a \$2000 grant that has been mailed for playground upgrade.

We have applied for other grants and should hear if we will receive any of them between April 15-20.

Dog Park-Volunteers have completed the improvements for the dog park completing the area for the small dogs.

Shed- shed for the lawnmower has been completed by volunteers.

Classes- We continue to have Yoga classes on Tuesday at 3pm for a cost of \$10.00

First Aid Class- we have 19 people signed up. We may do another class next year.

Yard Sale-There are 15 tables rented so far. Money goes to support LLA for food for children.

Community Day for kids is scheduled for July 27, 2024. Free hotdogs and hamburgers. We will have a bouncy house for kids.

Dave and Kris received a 3-burner gas grill donated for the community center. Lori Hardin will donate a propane tank for the grill.

Board voted to sponsor a whole on the golf course for the Lions Club for \$100.00.

NEW BUSINESS

Merchandise pays once a month, around the 15th, for any community purchases direct to BCCC checking account.

Chuck may order some shirts to sale at community day.

Maria and Steve need “the CAT’ out of their house. Shirley stted the “cat” is ugly. Board voted to name the “CAT” Shirley.

Bills Creek Fire Department may bring a fire truck for community day for fire safety awareness.

We now have NARCA in the cabinet for needed use.

Meeting adjourned at 7:20