

Recreation Club Council Monthly Meeting Minutes December 10, 2024

Call to Order: By President Dave Jacobsen 11:30 AM @ Thomas Center

Additions to Agenda:

Minutes of Last Rec. Council Meeting:
As Posted

Recreation Club Treasurers Report:
As Posted

Old Business:

Copy write for “Tuesdays with Morrie” presentation
55 year anniversary dinner trying for next season and then every 5th year.

New Business:

Proposed increase in dance ticket prices will go to \$10 next season

Committee Reports:

Bingo Larry Gilbert

Well attended and going well.

Wednesday Breakfast: Bonnie/Doug Stanley, Dan Zimmerman, Elnora Colley

Will begin the second Wednesday in January, then every other week

Cards Mike Tessier

Nothing to report

Christmas Cheryl McLeod

Sign up sheets are posted for volunteers to help

Shuffle Lori Bradford

Palm Resaca Park had invested a lot of space and money in our shuffle courts. They are one of the first things

our residents and visitors notice when they come to Palm Resaca.

On Dec 9, Monday evening, 20 people played on 5 of our 10 courts. In a few weeks, those numbers are going

to swell to 30 or more as more people arrive at the park. I will have to ask them to attempt a game on cracked

courts in the dark or turn them away. The lights around the shuffle court are either burned out or insufficient and the lack of proper drainage is causing the cracks in the courts to become worse.

I don't think Dave Jacobson's, the Rec club President's request in early November to Misty for a replacement light on the northeast corner has been looked after promptly.

I am making a formal request to the BOD to ask that they have that bulb replaced with one sufficient for our needs before the end of this month.

Playing Shuffle was not the priority when the lights were replaced in the past with insufficient bulbs. I'm sure the new ones are a lot cheaper to operate and the money saved was the priority over our residents' activities but they are not sufficient for our game.

Play in the day! Yes, I can understand how that would make things a whole lot easier as far as the lighting is

concerned but that leads to another problem. Our courts have no protection from the sun. Palm Resaca has

one of the few courts in a 55+ park that isn't an indoor facility. At this time we have shuffle 3 times a week at 10

am and by the end of those games, the players are half-cooked by the sun. It's impossible to stand on the

courts for a full game in the afternoons on most days so we can't schedule games then. I'm not asking for a new building.

I am requesting that our BOD consider providing some type of fixed, permanent shade over the ends of the courts.

No one at PRP missed the fact that the rains last week caused our courts to be under 3 inches of water.

I am asking the BOD to have the drains on the court properly cleaned, not just the debris removed from

the covers but the pipes themselves routered so they work properly.

It is that soaking water on the courts that is making our cement cracks worse and resurfacing is going to be required if the drainage isn't addressed properly.

With shade, drainage, and proper lighting, our shuffle courts could become a thriving activity in our park once again.

We have already invested a lot of money to build and maintain our courts, our residents enjoy playing the game and now I am asking for some serious attention to the maintenance.

Cre8Time

Lori Bradford

Going great

Dances

Deb Coleman

Raising ticket prices (as above), Saturday seems the only possible day for dances, and looking to arrange for shows to entertain but not dance.

Decorations

Cindy Melsby

Decorations are doing fine

Electronics

Dennis Pepe

Replacing one of the mikes used in board meetings

Garden

Dale Murray

Nothing to report

Golf

Janet Pickard

Nothing to report

Thomas Center/Calendar

Bev Dressell

Please let Bev know directly for entries to the calendar. Facebook postings don't work for her.

Hospitality

Kitchen

Linda Rogalsky

Expenses for maintaining the kitchen oven: \$200 to \$250 for cleaning

Library

Bill Robart

No books have been banned or burned

Qigong

Bill Robart

Well attended with new members

Nominations

Patio Bill Davlin, Don Jacobsen

Nothing to report

Park Trips Pam Jablonski

Nothing to report

Pickleball Dan Wisneski

Basketball net needs to be replaced. Motion by Dan Wisneski to spend up to \$100 to install solar lights at the courts was seconded by Roe A. Motion passed unanimously.

Religion Carol Peters

Nothing to report

Sunshine Tina Hays

Nothing to report

New shareholder background Dianne Miller

Bowling Larry Klaus

Is very well attended

Pool Room Dan Zimmerman

Additional electrical outlets for the TV and dart machine have not been approved. Acquisition of the TV and installation are still in progress.

Motion to adjourn the meeting by Larry Klaus seconded by Laurie Haase.

Meeting adjourned 12:00 PM

Recreation Club Council Monthly Meeting Minutes November 12, 2024

Call to Order: By Roe Abshire for President Dave Jacobsen 11:30 AM @ Thomas Center

Additions to Agenda: None

Minutes of Last Rec. Council Meeting:
As Posted

Recreation Club Treasurers Report:
As Posted

Old Business:
None

New Business:
None

Committee Reports:

Bingo Larry Gilbert

Running every Wednesday at 7:00 PM at the Thomas Center

Wednesday Breakfast: Bonnie/Doug Stanley, Dan Zimmerman, Elnora Colley
Starting in December. Schedule to be on the Park Calendar

Cards Mike Tessier

Christmas Cheryl McLeod

Shuffle Lori Bradford

Trying Monday evenings, and Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 10 AM with Monday mornings depending on attendance. Also, Lori would like shufflers to report wins and losses so that rankings for the tournament can be more competitive.

Cre8Time Lori Bradford

A lot of volunteers to teach creative projects. Fibers to continue Mondays 9:00 – 12:00 AM.

Dances Deb Coleman

Decorations Cindy Melsby

Electronics	Dennis Pepe
Garden	Dale Murray
Golf	Phil Oliver

Janet will not be at the Park this season. Bernie Schneider will coordinate this season. Golf begins December 12th.

Thomas Center/Calendar	Bev Dressell
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Hospitality

Kitchen	Linda Rogalsky
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Library	Bill Robart
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Thanks to all those who return books into the return “bucket”.

Nominations

Patio	Bill Davlin, Don Jacobsen
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Patio Parties	Bill Davlin
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Activities to begin in January

Park Trips	Pam Jablonski
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Pickleball	Dan Wisneski
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Religion	Carol Peters
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Service November 17th with alternate weeks bible study with Dan Wisneski.

Sunshine	Tina Hays
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Bonnie Stanley is creating a special card for Helen’s 105th birthday.

Qigong	Bill Robart
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It was decided to return to the original policy of compensating a Qigong instructor \$40 per hour and \$25 per hour during the summer. Park residents will still pay \$4 per session.

Thanksgiving

The \$193.67 has been approved for utensils used for meals at the Thomas Center. Volunteers to do soup are needed for December 12th.

50th anniversary

The question of copyright cost for “Two Days of Glory” will be pursued by President Jacobsen.

New shareholder background	Dianne Miller
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Adjournment: 12:05 PM

Recreation Council Minutes - March 12, 2024:

Minutes of the last Recreation Council Meeting - Motion by Dave Jacobson to approved and seconded by Deb Coleman.

Recreation Club Treasurer's Report: Motion for approval by Dan Zimmerman, seconded by Laurie Haase.

Recreation Council Committee Reports:

Dave Jacobson - Dances are going well. We lost \$46 on one, all of the others were profitable, between \$100 - \$125.

Dates set for next year: Dec 14 & 31, Jan 11 & 25, Feb 8 & 22 and March 8 & 22.

Old Business:

- Tabled the copyright question. No one there to present.
- Need a coordinator for the 50th anniversary party next year. We may consider catering the food.

New Business:

- Introduced new board members: Dan Zimmerman and Laurie Haase
- Budget will be set at next meeting

Shuffleboard - Lori Bradford will take over shuffleboard next year. Tournament is scheduled next week.

Patio Socials (Bill Gavlin) - The patio socials have been making \$200-\$250 per event; we made \$375 on the ribs night. Two patio parties are left this year. Are working on coordinating patio parties and golf opposite of breakfasts. May move patio parties to Wednesday.

Golf (Janet Pickard) - Golf has gone well. Next year, first golf on December 19 and then January-March it will be the 2nd & 4th Thursday at VICC.

Breakfasts (Dan & Elly and Doug & Bonnie) - Breakfast will continue next year January-March. May add December. Will work on dates for next year.

Cre8time - Art show made around \$300. Will do art shows every other year, so the next show will be in 2026.

Garden Club - (Dale Murray & Lori Bradford) - Looking at starting community gardens. Four 8x4 and 2ft high. This would allow eight gardeners to have half of a garden box. Approximate cost, \$1500

Dale is asking to increase the garden club budget to \$500.

Don Jacobson stated that most clubs raise their own money.

Sunshine (Tina Hayes) - If anyone knows about someone being sick, in the hospital or a death, please contact Tina and she will prepare a card.

Church (Carole Peters) - Averaging 70 churchgoers

Decorating (Cindy Melsby) - Asking for a budget increase from \$200 to \$300 to buy new and replace old decor.

Patio Sale (CelineBoulianne & Cindy Melsby) - There were 23 individual sales in the park. Floated the idea that individuals pay \$10 to Rec Club to have an independent sale. This will be table for now since we are making money. We made \$1,043 and have three items on Ebay. Next year the sale will be moved to January 30 & 31st. The committee is asking that no activities be scheduled the night before the sale - too crunched for time.

Christmas Dinner (Cheryl McCleod) - Will do it again next year. Cheryl has a list of items she would like purchased for the kitchen. The list will be forwarded to Linda R. Increase budget from \$2000 to \$2500.

Book Club (Sylvia Bauder & Deb Coleman) - The club is expanding - there are currently over 20 members. We will be hosting in doublewides next year to accommodate. Time changes from 10 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. so as not to conflict with Monday walks. The current budget to buy one selection for the library with a budget of \$75. There is a request to increase the budget to \$100. Since the numbers are growing, there is also a request to increase to \$200 and buy two books for the library.

Kitchen (Gayle Jacobson & Linda Rogalsky) - The park usually hires a deep cleaning of the kitchen after the last patio parties. Gayle will coordinate this with Misty.

Wine Tasting - (Dan Zimmerman & Elnora Colley) - We did not make money - lost \$257 because of "no shows". Also would have made money if they hadn't had Abby (music). The food trucks were a hit and they are interested in coming back again.

Minutes of Monthly Meeting
Recreation Club Council
February 13, 2024

The meeting was called to order at 11:30 by Don Jacobsen.

Additions to Agenda: A discussion ensued regarding accountability for Rec Club funds and the procedures to be followed in line with the club bylaws. The issue was tabled for consideration by the newly elected board in March.

Minutes of last Rec Exec meeting as posted was accepted.

Mark Vander Molen moved.

Dave Jacobsen seconded.

Treasurers Report as posted was accepted.

Mark Vander Molen moved.

Dave Jacobsen seconded.

Rec Club Balance \$13,053 with \$5,039 budgeted, and \$5,049 in reserve.

Old Business: The issue of having an anniversary dinner for those married from '72 to '75 was tabled for consideration by the newly elected Rec Club board in March.

New Business: Palm Resaca Park Players would like to put on the play "Tuesdays with Morrie", and is requesting \$300 to pay for the rights to put on the play. Request to be forwarded to the newly elected board for consideration in the budget for next season.

Committee Reports

Religious Committee: 78 people attended last Sunday, and 77 the week before.

The committee would like to purchase and plant memorial trees for deceased shareholders, and will approach the park board for approval.

Dances and entertainment: The schedule for dances and the bands playing is complete will be sent to the park calendar.

Shuffleboard: The tournament in March will be \$5 for each entry.

Game Room: Changes and additions to the electrical system will be presented to the park board along with the request to purchase two 42" TVs. One of the pool tables needs new cloth and bumpers. Research is being done to find a service provider to do the work.

Pickleball: Dan Wisneski was appointed the new Pickleball Coordinator. A request was made to allow for one-hour reservations on the North court after 10:00 am. Details of procedures on reservations will be developed by the Pickleball coordinator and Rec Club secretary. Reservations will be allowed when the procedures have been completed.

Cre8time: Qigong and Body Grove continue to be well attended. The Art & Craft Show plans and preparations continue to develop. A reminder that funds for the silent auction will be used by the Rec Club for its activities.

Potluck Dinners: Dan Wisneski was appointed the coordinator.

Meeting adjourned at 12:20 was accepted.

Moved by Dave Jacobsen
Seconded by Don Jacobsen

**Minutes of Monthly Meeting
Recreation Club Council
January 9, 2024**

Meeting was called to order at 11:30 by Don Jacobsen.

Additions to Agenda: None

Minutes of last Rec Exec meeting as posted was accepted.

Gale Jacobsen moved

Bill Davlin seconded

Treasurers Report as posted was accepted

Gale Jacobsen moved

Bill Davlin seconded

Old Business: None

New Business:

Gale suggested bringing the issue to the Rec Club that we revive the 50th anniversary dinner for those married from '72 through '75.

Committee Reports

Religious Committee: 60 people attended last Sunday

Dances and entertainment:

Pool Room: Stools and chairs being delivered, small tables will be added soon.

Decorations:

Bingo:

Cre8time:

Potluck Dinners: 20 signed up for the first one. Basically a self supported activity by participants.

Tours: Going well

Meeting adjourned at 11:42 by President Don Jacobsen