KCCA Hello Neighbors Committee

Minutes – February 7, 2025

Recorded and submitted by Dennis Williams

Members in attendance: Peggy, Cherie, Sherry, Pat, Steve, Elaine, Sandy, Mary, Merrilee, Ron, Thia, Karen, Terri, Judi, Megan

Treasurer's Report – Megan

- Our yearly KCCA board contribution to our budget increased to $14,000
- We made $1385 from the New Year's Eve event.
- We made $101 from 50/50 at the Sunday musical.
- We are paying for Sunday musicals: $250 - $300 for each event.

New Residents' Packets – Sherry and Teresa

- Sherry and Teresa are putting together the packets.
- There were 10 new residents at the Feb 2nd event.
- The KCCA office staff has been helping update documents and copy packets.
- There is a discrepancy between those residents that RSVP and the residents that show up to the event. Still exploring ways to improve communication and messaging.
- Exploring offering 4 events instead of three each year.
- Idea: Encouraging any resident who wants to attend regardless of how long they have been a resident. Suggested blurb: If you've never been to a New Resident's meeting, please feel free to attend.

Movie Time – Terri and Dennis

- Friday, February 21st movie: The Six Triple Eight.

  During WWII, 855 women joined the fight to fix a three-year backlog of undelivered mail. Faced with discrimination and a country devastated by war, they managed to sort more than 17 million pieces of mail ahead of time.

- Friday, March 21st movie:

  September 5 unveils the decisive moment that forever changed media coverage and continues to impact live news today. Set during the 1972 Munich Summer Olympics, the film follows an ABC broadcasting team that quickly adapted from sports to reporting live coverage of the Israeli athletes taken hostage.

First Sunday – Elaine

- Elaine needs help for March First Sunday.

4th of July Planning: Summary of January 23, 2025 meeting

Approved

The parade will stage in the KCCA parking lot at 9:30am. The parade will leave the parking lot at 10:30am. HNSC will provide donuts, coffee, juice, etc. during the staging hour. The police and fire department will lead the parade, followed by the Grand Marshal, walkers, bikers, golf carts and classic cars.

The route will be fined tuned, but it will follow last year's route to Fischer Road and then go into the Edgewater community. The exact route in Edgewater is yet to be determined, but the walkers and bikers will go to King City Community Park. At a point still to be determined, the golf carts and cars will go back into the KCCA community with a police escort, and follow King George to the clubhouse.

There will be children's activities, vendor stalls, music, food carts at the King City Community Park from 11:30 – 2:30. A shuttle bus/van will run from 9 am to 3 pm between various locations in KCCA and King City Community Park.

KCCA HNSC will host a hot dog feed like last year for residents. Prizes will be awarded to the carts and cars.

The parade will not go past Senior Village this year, but there will be an area cordoned off at the corner of Queen Elizabeth and Royalty Parkway for their residents. They will judge the cars and carts as they have done in the past.

The city will provide insurance and police escorts for the parade.

February Monthly Musical – Judi

- Megan, Terri and Dennis volunteer to help Judi with set up, clean up, serving coffee and cookies, and the 50/50 raffle.
- Judi will be inquiring where attendees are coming from and ask for emails to help with future promotions.
- February 9th: Billy and the Rockets 2-3pm
- March 9th: Minidoka Swing Band/Choir (17 band members, 2 singers)

Val-o-grams – Peggy/Megan

- 86 Val-o-grams have been sold so far (5 are for puppy dogs)
- Assembly at Sandy's house Thursday, Feb 13th at 2pm (16660 King Charles)

Arts and Craft Fair – Peggy/Tamara Sanders

- Tamara is asking for help and support from HNSC
- Community minded event designed not to compete with Lion's Club Fall Bazaar
- Artist can display arts and crafts. They can sell items if they choose.
- Promotion through newsletter with a cut-off date of July 1
- Suggestion to add this event to Hot August Nights

Shamrock Soup

Approved

- Sunday, March 16th, 4 – 5:30pm, Ballroom
- $5 charge
- Soups:
    - Minestrone – Mary
    - Hungarian Mushroom – Peggy
    - West African Chicken Peanut – Thia
    - White Bean Chicken Chili – Ron
    - Split Pea – Judi
- Bread and/or rolls – Merrily
- Dessert: Ice Bars - Ron
- Put recipes in the newsletter in the month after the event.
- Make recipe cards available at the event.
- Flyer – Megan
- 50/50 – Terri and Dennis

Saturday Brunch – Judi and Ron

- Saturday, April 12th 11am - 12:30pm
- Pancakes, Egg casserole, Biscuits and gravy…
- Community event – free event
- More discussion at the next HNSC meeting

Cinco De-mayo – Sherry and Merrily

- Sunday, May 4th instead of Monday, May 5th ?
- Judi will check with First Sunday Church group as the when they will finish their service.
- Possible menu: taco bar, margarita's
- Advertise only the start time and 50/50 time
- Community event – free event
- Check with Julie about catering or have volunteers to make seasoned beef and chicken.
- More discussion to follow.

Memorial Day Potluck

- Monday, May 26th
- More discussion to follow at next HNSC meeting

New and Old Annual Membership meeting – Peggy and Cherie

- Candidates speak
- Need to determine when voting begins to set a date for the event. Tentative date May 20th or May 24th.
- Provide coffee/treats
- More discussion to follow at next HNSC meeting

Monthly Dance – Ron and Merrily

Approved

- Set up a dance once a month. 4th Sunday of each month.
- Band would cost $350
- Charge $10 per person. Sell tickets at the door
- Need 35 to break even.
- Possibly provide incentive to the band with a sliding scale depending on revenue.
- BTOB and bring your own snacks.

Approved