

The Retreat at Greenbrier Condominium Association Social Committee
Minutes for July 19, 2018 Meeting

Present: Bob Banes, Co-Chair; Bobbi Wittern, Roxann Forster, Phillis Whitehead, Laura Michon, Elizabeth Woods, Carole Calabrese, Cathy Antonaccio, Debbie Pierson, Mary Lu Babcock, Laura Ostrander and Jean Hildebrandt. Fayeelaine Haddaway attended as Board President.

Bob Banes, Co-Chair, called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm.

The minutes from the June meeting were previously reviewed via email. The minutes were approved and have been posted to The Retreat website.

Calendar Review

1. July

- a. July 7 - Fond Memories - 40 people attended
- b. July 13 - Left, Right Center - 19 people attended. Winners: Pudgie Barnes, Gary Gompers and Don Snipes
- c. July 14 - Mid-Summer Party - 70+ people attended. The Grounds and Maintenance Committee sponsored and coordinated this event. The guys did a great job and everyone had a fun time.
- d. July 22, 3:00 pm - Ice Cream Social - Coordinators: Bobbi Wittern and Roxann Forster
- e. July 27, 7:00 pm - Bingo - Callers: Aretta and Paul Matthews

2. August

- a. August 4, 7:00 pm - Beach Party Karaoke - Coordinators: Lou Antonaccio and Dana Gilbert. A reminder about this event will be included on the Weekly Events. Fayeelaine will post a flyer on the web site.
- b. August 25, 4:00 pm – End of Summer Pool Party - Coordinators: Mary Lu & Don Babcock and Fayeelaine Haddaway & Tom Szelest. A report will be given at the August meeting.
- c. August 31, 7:00 pm – Bingo. This event has been moved from August 24 due to the pool party the next day. Callers are needed for August and September. An email will be sent out requesting volunteers.

3. September

- a. September 22, 7:00 pm – Welcome New Residents Party (changed from Music Appreciation Party) - Coordinators: Elizabeth Woods and Phillis Whitehead. Cheese, crackers and fruit will be served. Laura will ask Glenna for a list of new residents over the past 3 years. A report will be given at the August meeting.

4. October

- a. October 20, 5:30 pm – Oktoberfest - Coordinators: Debbie Pierson, Fayeelaine Haddaway, Jean Hildebrandt. A report will be given at the next meeting.
- b. October 26, 7:00 pm – Bingo – Caller: Bob Banes

5. November

- a. November 11, 3:00 pm – Veteran’s Appreciation. Coordinators are needed.

b. November 17, 6:00 pm – Motown Magic – Coordinator/Sponsor: Janice Ellis. Janice will attend the September meeting to brief the Committee on details. Music and soul food will be provided.

Old Business

1. Christmas Gala

a. December 8, 6:00 pm, Greenbrier Country Club. The contract will be signed soon. The minimum will be probably be 80 people, like last year.

b. We still need coordinators. Bob and Jean will pursue this.

b. Fayeelaine and Bobbi will meet with Greenbrier to discuss details and prices.

c. Some suggestions to reduce costs were discussed. Food and service should be equal to last year.

New Business

1. Genealogy Class - Laura Ostrander presented a draft flyer and briefed the Committee on the upcoming genealogy course for our residents. There will be 4 one-hour sessions per month beginning October 3. All classes will be on the first Wednesday of the month 10:30 am-11:30 am. RSVP's will go to Laura since there is a minimum of 15 attendees for the course. A flyer will be posted on the website and information will be included in the August *Retreat Roundabout*.

2. 2019 Budget Review – Event budget summaries for 2017 and 2018 events were provided to help with budget planning for 2019. Events and their budget for 2019 were tentatively agreed on. Jean will draft the agreed-to events/budget and email to the Committee before the August meeting. Budget discussions will continue at the August meeting. The final budget is due to the Board 1 September.

The meeting adjourned at 8:45 pm.

Recorded and Submitted by
Jean Hildebrandt