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Events Committee Meeting

Date: January 7, 2020

Attendees: 11 residents with 2 childcare volunteers

Discussion Topics

- House Decorating Contest Results/Winners
- Sip & Paint
- Events Committee childcare
- Poker Night temporary hold on event.

There were 9 entries for the House Decorating Contest. There were 3 winners based on overall decorating, most creative, and most colorful lights. The winners each received a gift card and a framed photo. Ideas were discussed on how to drum up more interest in contest for next year. Ideas presented: to increase promoting during Trunk or Treat, to reach out to residents who have decorated their homes but didn't sign up (to possibly add their address for residents to view their homes. A number of residents asked for homes that they could view with their children.)

To-Do Items (include item and responsible party, highlight any assistance/coordination needed with the SLPOA Office, Board or Maintenance Staff)

- Sip & Paint is scheduled for January 25 with a snow date for February 1st. Painting will begin at 6 PM but we could use volunteers to help set up tables and chairs according to Melissa-the instructor from The Craft Room in Honesdale. The event will be 2 hours long and fee is \$30.00. Fee includes \$5.00 going for the supply of appetizers and non-alcoholic beverages. Committee will provide vegetable tray, fruit tray and cheese and cracker platters. All else is BYOB. Anyone can bring a food item, but it will be on a volunteer basis.

- Childcare will be offered at most if not all events committee meetings. Volunteers are high school students who use the time towards their Honor Society credits. Residents wanting to attend with children need to inform the office of how many children they will be bringing on the day prior to the meeting date. Residents asked if childcare would be included in any other meetings-committee will bring the issue up to the SLPOA BOD.
- Poker Night for February is temporarily on hold but will be rescheduled for early March. Dues Raffles will be available for purchase at event. Committee discussed the possibility of raising some money for future events from the “Buy In” price but will discuss this option with the event organizer.
- Discussion regarding additional Events Committee events: Activities for children was suggested and wanted. Suggestions for activities include: inspirational rock painting for children, building/painting birdhouses or other craft kits for children, box car derby, a charity collaborated walk-a-thon with percentage of funds given to a charity of the residents choosing and other used for future events. A gingerbread decorating event was suggested for next Christmas season. A resident may have a donation of ceramic goods which do not require being fired in a kiln and could be used for a future event. A Classic Car Show hosted at the ball field was also an event that was discussed.
- There was preliminary information given about a basketball league which might begin this year with other communities in the area. The Events Committee offered to supply a concession stand for home games and possible practices. More information will be supplied as it becomes available.
- There was discussion of a Movie Night. There would be an entry fee which covers pizza, an Ice Cream Sundae Bar and popcorn. It will be a family friendly movie. (Resident has offered the use of his projector for movie)
- Sunrise Lake Field Day was also discussed which would be a day of family games including Corn hole, Bocce ball, Horseshoes, water balloons and other competitions and races. More details will be discussed at future Events meetings.

- Casino Trip tentatively for mid to end of March. A van maybe rented if a bus cannot be filled. Resident suggested that Resorts World in Monticello, NY offers extremely good group rates and they also have a water park attraction for other events. Mike DePeri will gather information on this event.

Discussion Topics for Next Committee Meeting:

- Easy event to host for February
- Poker Game for March
- Ideas for an event each month
- Ideas for Events in 2020:
 - Casino trip for Spring, Botanical Gardens, Baseball game, Theater/musical with Dinner (Sight and Sound theater), trip to NYC, group rate for Knoebels, Great Wolf Lodge or other action park, Sunrise Lake Field Day, Movie Night, Classic Car show at ball field

Next Meeting Date: February 4, 2020