



Occidental Community Council Minutes – March 15, 2014

PRESENT: Diane Masura, Carolyn Neiman, Fawn Nekton, Candi Penn, Mary Szecsey, Donald True

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: Yes.

MEMBERSHIP: No new members.

PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Bodega Land Trust Marine Lab Tour – Sat. March 22, 10am – Noon.

KOWS.fm Benefit: Dhyana Center – Fri. March 28th – 7pm – 186 N. Main St., Sebastopol - \$15

Harmony Union School Spring Concert – Wed. April 2nd - 6:30pm

April Fool's Parade – Saturday, April 5th – 1pm

TREASURER'S REPORT: March Balance: \$10,821.36

Holiday Crafts Faire Financials – Income: \$6683.00; Expenses: \$1568.22; Net: \$5,114.78

Young Writers' Showcase at HUSD funded \$700.

WEBSITE:

Fool's Parade graphic from OCA to post coming from Steve Fowler.

Will be posting the KOWS.fm Benefit poster.

Community Center Survey will be posted online next month. (OCCAC)

CRAFTS FAIRE:

As a way to track attendance, we could give each person a Unique Raffle Ticket for a specific prize.

CORRESPONDING SECRETARY:

Sec. of State Filing Due 5/13/14 – Mary Szecsey will take care of this.

RAC Thank you letter received.

OCA Events, Gazette Postcard, and Scoop Newsletter received.

RESOURCE COMMITTEE: 0

NEW BUSINESS: 0

SCHOOLS:

Spring Concert April 2nd - 6:30pm.

Bus Drivers Needed. \$15/hr + benefits. \$500 training paid. Call: 707 206 9988 by 3/23/14.

Kathy Anderson and Lola True are retiring.

HUSD will be participating at the Green School Conference.

Community Service is no longer a requirement for graduation.

THE "Y": The Community Center Survey will be posted next month on our website, upon receipt from Stephanie at Praxis Architects, sponsored by the OCCAC.

HEALTH CENTER: Open House was Great. There was a popular raffle.

OCCIDENTAL EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS (OEP):

The OCA Board is considering the facility be used for emergency shelter. Each classroom at school has food and water for two days for all students.

COMMUNITY: OCA Donation of \$100 unanimously approved and delivered to Diane Masura. The Sewer and Water Meeting at OCSD reviewed four plans from the County. Members of the community presented a proposal with 1/3 the cost using ultra violet light instead of chlorine. Costs are very high for downtown businesses. The Broadband meeting was attended by more than 180 concerned citizens. Options are still being discussed. For more info: <http://www.connectjoyroad.com>

KOWS.fm – 107.3fm:

The new antenna / placement contract has been signed. Fundraiser on Friday, March 28th, 7pm – Dhyana Center – 186 N. Main St., Sebastopol. \$15. New shows include Occupy Santa Rosa, and the Rotary Club.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:30am.

Next Meeting: April 19, 2014 – 10:30am - Occidental Community Center