



Occidental Community Council Minutes – April 18, 2015

PRESENT: Diane Masura, Carolyn Neiman, Fawn Nekton, Candi Penn, Mary Szecsey & Donald True.
Guest: Anne Maurice.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: Yes.

MEMBERSHIP: New - Anne Maurice – Associate Member \$25.

PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENTS:

New Mural at Harmony Village (Dave Gordon) – 2nd Public Input Meeting April 24, 7pm at OCA.

ConnectJoyRoad.net – Survey online for internet/phone fiber optic project.

Occidental Choir Concerts: May 2-3, 8-10.

School Art Show in OCA Gallery: May

More KOWbells Ball – May 3rd – HopMonk Tavern Garden in Sebastopol. 3pm – 10:30pm.

TREASURER’S REPORT: Balance: \$11,332.67

WEBSITE: Diane will get traffic stats from Nadja/Sonic for next meeting.

CORRESPONDING SECRETARY:

Received Senior Resource Center Newsletter - Scoop

\$175 Donation Received from Ad Hoc Committee/Gateway/Bodega Land Trust/Town Hall Meeting.

Request from OCCAC (Steve Kay) to post Agenda/Minutes on Council Bulletin Board downtown.

Vote: Approved unanimously. Candi will print and post...with colored paper.

RESOURCE COMMITTEE: No action.

NEW BUSINESS:

Portable Toilet. Fawn has contacted Kim/Market with no reply. More research to be done.

New signs for outdoor basketball courts are being researched. Fawn will order new nets.

Chamber of Commerce is looking to June for a meeting of local businesses.

SCHOOLS: We would like to have a school representative attend meetings.

Fawn will ask if Allison, the 5th grade teacher would like to join OCC.

THE “Y”:

Community Center Advisory Council Meeting: 6:30 PM, Tuesday, May 5th.

Agendas & Minutes will be posted on the OCC Bulletin Board downtown.

<http://www.occidentalcommunitycenter.org>

Ann Maurice (Jumpstart Occidental) has been developing more activities at the YMCA, including Ping Pong: Friday afternoons from 3:30 to 6pm and Sundays from 2-5pm.

Interest in starting Pickle Ball on the tennis courts is beginning. There is a crack that needs fixing, and Ann is talking to the County about it.

African Dance/Music Class possible in future.

Also, a new floor for the gym has been suggested/submitted to the County (\$33K).

HEALTH CENTER:

Dr. Lee is leaving. Replacement hired starting in October. Opening for new doctor now.

Measles and Pertussis are still being treated here.

Candi will contact Jane Barry to find out about the OHC Emergency Trailer.

COMMUNITY:

Sonoma County's Adult Agency on Aging offers a Balance Class for Seniors.

St. Philips Catholic Church. April 10 – May 29, 2015 from 10:00am until noon.

The suggested donation for the series is \$20.00.

Laurie Singleton: lsingleton@schsd.org 707 565 5936

The Qi Gong class with Emilio Gonzalez at St. Philips on Thursdays from 9 -10am is ongoing. \$5

Sonoma Wine Country Games (50+) is scheduled for June 4-14 around the county.

Registration is open from March 1 – May 22. 707 525 0143 - Council on Aging

<http://www.Winecountrygames.com>

KOWS:

More KOWbells Ball at Hopmonk Tavern Garden in Sebastopol. Fundraiser. 11+ Bands!

Sunday, May 3rd, 3pm to 10:30pm \$25/\$15

John Parry funded and New Mixing Board.

New programmers are expanding the station. Now includes 70 show hosts.

New Transmitter locations are being considered, as well as a possible new frequency.

The KOWS Indiegogo.com fundraising goes thru June.

<http://www.KOWS107-3.org>

Meeting was adjourned at 11:30am.

Next meeting is May 16, 10:30am at the Occidental Community Center.