

The Club at Prescott Lakes
SOCIAL EVENTS COMMITTEE MEETING

Minutes of August 21, 2015 Meeting

Members in Attendance:

Pam Milewsky, Chair	Susan England, Vice Chair	Fran Blakely
JoAnn Burkholder	Joy Chandler	Jackie Fitzpatrick
Lori Gaucher	Betsy Lee	Mary Alys Lillard
Lucia Leavitt	Jan Massimo	Debra McVey
Ray Milewsky		
Mike Joyal	Greg Paydock	Kelli Welch

Members Not in Attendance:

Joleen Metzler	Diane Shrager
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Meeting called to order by Chair, Pam Milewsky at 11:05 a.m.

Minutes of July 2015 committee meeting were approved.

Pam introduced our new Members Relations Coordinator, Kelli Welch, and welcomed Mary Alys Lillard as a new member of our Committee.

Western Night De-Brief: Susan England reported the evening was a success even though fewer people attended this year and the Prescott Lakes Line Dancers did not attend (mostly because of a competing Line Dancing Night at the Adult Center). The Committee discussed the on-going issue of scheduling conflicts due to the numerous activities in Prescott. Pam will check with the Adult Center to see how far in advance their events are scheduled and report back to the committee.

New Year's Eve Party: Chef Matt spoke to the Committee about his ideas for the menu/food for The Club's first New Year's Eve Party. He's proposing both "sit down" courses and "action stations" and a menu of "Surf, Turf, and Chirp". For example, the first three courses would be served at the table and could be shrimp cocktail, grilled artichoke, a sorbet palate cleanser. Then "action stations" could offer prime rib/New York strip, seafood choice such as grilled swordfish and/or mussels, another station with chicken or confit duck, and of course the usual starches/vegetables. Dessert could be some kind of dessert/liqueur, maybe bananas foster or cherries jubilee. There will be one seating with the "Ball Drop" at 10:00 local time (midnight New York Time). Greg and Matt are trying to keep the cost reasonable for this event. The SEC is excited about helping with this event. There was also discussion about how best to encourage members to dress appropriately for New Year's.

Current Calendar Events Updated – SEC Hosted:

Fashion Show, Friday, November 6: The Subcommittee reported fashions will be supplied by Classy & Sassy, Fancy That, Chico's, and Christopher and Banks. Debbie Riso may also have her purses on display/for sale. All reservations for this event will be

prepaid and the Subcommittee will create a “cheat sheet” to help the people at the Athletic Center Front Desk manage reservations. The Subcommittee will continue to work with Management on the menu/price. Another volunteer is needed to help Sue Degen the day of the event – she assists the models getting dressed.

Chili Cook-Off, Saturday, October 3: The Subcommittee members are Jan Massimo, Lucia Leavitt, Debra McVey, Dianne Shrager, Joy Chandler, Ray Milewsky, and Pam Milewsky. Pam reviewed the contestant guidelines – contestants are needed.

GM Report:

- Greg reported Blues n BBQ with Road One South on August 7 was great.
- The first Prescott Lakes Pub Crawl on August 15 was also great and the SEC agreed.
- Golf membership is close to full again.

On-Going Business:

- The Committee discussed how to get more singles involved in Prescott Lakes social activities. Mary Alys will work with the Chair of the PL Singles Club.

New Business:

- Management is already working on the 2016 calendar.
- One SEC suggestion is to have an “International Night” similar to the recent Pub Crawl, but have stations serving international food/drink.
- Another SEC suggestion is for a Ladies Night with games, drinks, entertainment or a Women’s Tea/Garden Club. Greg asked the SEC if there was any interest in High Tea and the answer is no unless it could be done properly with china/tea cups, etc.
- Greg told the SEC that one of the clubs he has worked at had “The W Club” that women could join and then participate in special events. One idea is have a tea luncheon and have attendees bring their own tea cup. Susan and Jackie and Betsy volunteered to talk with Greg about “The W Club” at Prescott Lakes.
- There is no interest in a Halloween Adult Costume party.

Meeting adjourned at 12:55. Next meeting is Friday, September 18 at 11:00.

Respectfully submitted,
Betsy Lee