

NBC Bridge Committee Minutes

Date, Time: August 17th, 2022, 4:30pm by Zoom

Attendance: Linda Capone-Newton (chair), Karin Elofson (scribe), Margo Mallar, Tookie Harris, Rev Will Green, Joanne Sterling

Meeting call to order: Linda

Prayer: Rev Will

Approve Last Minutes: July 20th minutes were approved as written.

TOPICS:

1) Date Night! August 19th

- a) 15 children registered, including 3 toddlers.
- b) Registration forms printed out and provided to Rev Will.
- c) Good number of adult volunteers.
- d) Pizza and movies.
- e) *After event note – It was a success and parents are looking forward to the next one!!*

2) Family Dinner – September 9th, celebrate start of school!

- a) Event to be open to the community – dinner and games suggested, and/or movie.
- b) A kid-friendly menu, taco bar is suggested.
- c) Karin, Linda, Tookie and Will all volunteered to organize the meal and activities.

3) 2023 Island Directory:

- a) Next meeting to include review of advertising/revenue process. Lulu and Rob to be invited.
- b) Barring and Tyler working on format Excel data file generated through online forms.
- c) Missy and Tookie reviewing categories of Businesses for Yellow Pages.
- d) Anne to put out request for volunteers.

4) October Rummage Sale:

- a) Following general format of July Rummage Sale, i.e., limit time for item collection to 2 weeks, starting September 25th.
- b) Linda re-emphasized the importance that a volunteer team be organized to cleaned up after sale **and deliver** left-over goods to Portland collection sites.

5) Social Justice Task Force:

- a) SJTF considering organizations for donations
- b) SJTF planning a presentation on Reproductive Justice at the Aug. 28 Assembly meeting)
- c) It is important to provide space for discussion and safety for people to express their feelings and opinions
- d) This discussion highlights the importance of OWL Training; Joanne to investigate further.

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- 6) Linda is moving off-Island in October but plans to continue participating in the Bridge Committee as is possible. She will be well supported by the team!!
- 7) The meeting was adjourned at 5:30 pm.
- 8) Next Bridge Committee meeting is Wednesday, September 21st at 4pm (Zoom)