

Calumet Grove Social Club  
Board Meeting - October 8, 2015

**Present:**

Tama Allen - President  
Marge Ross - Vice President  
Jan Weingard - Secretary  
Jan Ennes - Advisory Member

**Treasurer's Report:**

Balance: \$2, 814.95 (\*)

(\*) Deposits for the caterer and entertainment for upcoming Holiday Party are already paid.

**Charitable Donations:**

Tama suggested we think about donating \$1,000 to Marion County Food Pantry this coming Holiday season. Jan Ennes told us about SOZO, the Children of the Forest of Ocala. We will discuss further to decide where to donate our extra monies. We may give \$500 to each of these organizations. We would like to keep these donations in Marion County.

**New Residents of Calumet Grove:**

Tama discovered that over 60 homes in our Village sold this past year. She typed up a flyer with news about the Social Club and upcoming events to hand out to these new residents. Tama will copy all the addresses and distribute to the four of us on the Board. Within the next couple of weeks, we hope to personally go to these homes to hand out these welcome flyers and introduce ourselves to our new residents.

**Ladies' Day Luncheon: (To be held on Tuesday, October 13th)**

Marge asked all the board members to be there at 11:30 to please help her and Jan get the room ready for the luncheon. (Francesco's has another function in our room earlier in the morning and we cannot allow our women in the room until 12:00 noon) She will double check with the restaurant about Rosemary Webster and Nancy Burbank selling our 50/50 Raffle tickets just outside of the restaurant. Marge happily reported that the majority of signups for this event were done online.

**Meet & Greet: (To be held on Wednesday, November 4th)**

We decided to do an Ice Cream Social. This event will be free to our residents of CG. The club will provide brownies, bananas, ice cream, syrups, and toppings. We will hopefully get some men to be our "scoopers" and then have a "topping station" where everyone can fix up their individual dishes how they choose. We will play a card game called, "Up Your Giggly!" or affectionately, "Screw Your Neighbor." Tama will teach the Board Members this game before the event, and then each of the Board Members will sit at different tables to make it easier for everyone to understand and play this game.

Tama will also have Holiday Flyers made up to pass out to guests at this event. She will make an announcement at this event for our upcoming Holiday Party (see below).

**Holiday Party: (To be hold on Friday, December 11th at Savannah Center)**

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After much discussion, we decided to ask the Caterer to provide servers for the Meat & Pasta Stations. We also will allow our Guests to reserve tables of 8 again. We all felt this went over well last year. We will have name tags at this event. Marge will research information regarding permanent name tags. We may provide a link to a website to order special name tags just for Calumet Grove residents. Residents outside of CG, and personal friends of our Residents will also be allowed to attend.

After some discussion, we decided on the following price schedule:  
Tickets bought from November 5 - November 16th will be \$25.00 pp.  
Tickets bought after the November 16th will be \$30.00 pp.

To facilitate payments and signing up for this event, Jan and Tama will provide baskets on the front porches of their houses for people to drop off their checks for the Holiday Party. Checks (based on the price schedule) should be made out to: Calumet Grove Social Club.

**2016: (We have the following dates reserved for next year)**

February 17 - Mulberry American Room  
April 28 - Mulberry American Room  
October 15 - Night Golf, Saddlebrook  
November 10th - Mulberry American Room  
December 9 - Holiday Party- Savannah Center

??? October 25 ??? - Ladies' Luncheon

Jan Ennes and Marge Ross will determine what date works for them. Jan Weingard will check out Providence Independent Living to see if that facility can possibly work for our Ladies' Luncheon Group.