

L.I.F.E. Advisory Board

February 22, 2018

Meeting Minutes

Board Members	Status	Staff Liaison	Status	Council Liaison	Status
Trish Parrack – Chairperson	Present	Karl Miller – Director	Present	Andrew S. Friedberg, Mayor	Present
Kevin Newman – Vice Chairperson	Resigned	Cheryl Bright – Assistant Director	Present		
Carmen Ulabarro – Secretary	Present	Victoria Arevalo-Recreation Supervisor	Present		
Roberta Murray	Present			Guests:	
Pat Tracey	Absent			Ryan Smith – Athletics Aquatic Superintendent	
Pat Westwood Connie Eicher	Present Present				

These minutes are not a verbatim record of the meeting and are intended only as a summary.

Call to Order

Meeting was called to order by Trish Parrack at 12:11 PM.
January Meeting Minutes Approved.

Visitors Comments

Mayor: Commented on Ryan Smith's contribution during Hurricane Harvey helping out. Apologized for missing last months meeting.

- Flood Hazard mitigation group should release their analysis on March 19 at City Council Meeting. This group allows Bellaire to meet FEMA requirements. Task force was established the week before Harvey made landfall. One area of focus was around Southdale area. Bellaire does not own many of the run-off areas.
- City Municipal Brand Identity – Logo being set aside since there is no immediate need to update the logo – Identity of who/what Bellaire is has gone well. New Bellaire residents are looking for traditional neighborhood like previous families but with much less blue-collar workers. Mayor suggests that if you have any comments about City identity or logo please submit them to City Council. Cost to implement new logo: none except for when replacement materials are needed and then it is part of replenishment

Staff Comments/Report

Karl commented that Cheryl is going to go work for City Managers (community relations) office and be leaving Parks and Recreation. Job description is still in flux. She will retain phone number and email for contact purposes. Person before Cheryl has moved to position of City Manager in Wimberly.

City Manager is receiving an award from U of H.

Activities and Trips: see Attachment A

Old Business:

Victoria went over trips from past month.

- Bee Weavers trip (Navasota)
- HBU trip – lunch at cafeteria praised. Group noted that they can go there anytime.
- Let's do Lunch – 16 people – good turnout. March event is not on calendar.
- Movie – “Paris Can Wait” – 31 people
- Pain Management speaker
- Craft Day – gumball machine –

Future Trips and Activities:

- Bellaire Treatment plant – 15 signed up. Los Tios lunch after tour.
- Toyota Factory – 33 signed up –
- Next quarter trips have been announced and will be mailed out next week.
 - o Lucky Land. Food buffet will be available.
- Governor's Mansion trip
- Rodeo Luncheon – next week
- Volleyball Tournament on March 20 versus West University.
- Words with Waffle- May 11– Roberta will not be available.
 - o BLIFE will be supporting and will take place of Meet and Greet
 - o Free Bingo Card if you bring someone new
 - o New Membership paperwork will be reintroduced.
 - o Victoria holding off on getting volunteers to make Waffles.
- Life Striders will be every Friday and will start 4/6/2018.
 - o Trish commented to Evelyn's Park is a pleasant facility
- Older American's week – various activities planned.
- March 22, 2018 is next BLIFE meeting

New Business:

- No sub-committee meeting date set due to Trish not having a calendar and Kevin not being present due to having resigned.

Board Comments:

- Trish called for Board Comments. No comments.

Adjournment:

- Trish made the motion to adjourn the meeting. Pat Westwood concurred.

Respectfully submitted,

Carmen Ulabarro, Secretary,
L.I.F.E. Advisory Board Meeting

Attachment A:

January & February Numbers

Trips – January

Trip to Lone Star Flight Museum Cancelled

Trip to Round Top	30
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Activities – January

Men's/Women's Club	Cancelled
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Monday Bridge 46

Bunco 12

Crafts & Conversation 20

“Gifted” Movie 26

Friday Bridge 49

Craft Day	8
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Bingo	18
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Yoga for Beginners	0
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Games Day	3
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Let's Do Lunch 12

Lunch N Learn	6
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Trips –February

Trip to Houston Baptist University 18

Trip to Bee Weavers 31

Activities – February

Men's/Women's Club (Cancelled)

Monday Bridge	50
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Bunco	12
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Crafts & Conversation 8

“Paris Can Wait” Movie 31

Friday Bridge 32

Yoga for Beginners	4
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Bingo	21
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Speaker on Pain Resolution 14

Games Day	12
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Crafts Day 11

Let's Do Lunch 16