

City of Calistoga COMMUNITY POOL ADVISORY COMMITTEE



Committee Members: Alf Burtleson
Hazel Cole
Kerry Eddy
Rachel Melick
Shirley Blomquist

MEETING MINUTES Monday, February 13, 2017 5:30 pm Calistoga Community Center 1307 Washington Street

1 **The meeting was called to order at 5:30 p.m.**

2 Committee Members Cole, Eddy, Burtleson and Recreation Services Manager
3 Melick were present. Bloomquist absent

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5 **Public Comment**

6 No public comment.

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8 **Adoption of Meeting Agenda**

9 All in favor

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11 **Scholarship Program**

12 Calistoga Recreation Services is seeking donations to go towards the Calistoga
13 Recreation scholarship fund. The scholarship fund allows more children to
14 participate in recreation programs, which include youth soccer, swim lessons, and
15 summer camps. Recreation Services Manager Melick asked committee and
16 community members to contact her for more information.

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18 **Spring Schedule**

19 The recreation department is aiming to provide 3 mornings of lap swim and water
20 aerobics, and 3 afternoons of lap swim and water aerobics, as well as one
21 weekend day. Recreation Services Manager Melick is continuing to speak with the
22 Calistoga Elementary School regarding swim lessons. The spring schedule will go
23 from April 17th until June 5th.

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25 **Water Aerobics**

26 Recreation Services Manager Melick explained that the recreation department is
27 aiming to enhance and add variety to the current water aerobics program. There
28 will be a punch pass, and the season pass will include the water aerobics

29 program. Recreation Services Manager Melick said Stacey has confirmed she
30 will continue to teach 2-3 evenings a week.

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32 **Swim Team**

33 Kevin Twohey has spoken to the Waves Aquatics board members about hosting
34 a satellite summer program in Calistoga. Recreation Services Manager Melick
35 said practices would be two afternoons a week for an hour. The Waves program
36 would run in Calistoga from the beginning of June to the beginning of August.
37 Community members asked about the high school swim team's practices.
38 Recreation Services Manager Melick explained that the high school would be
39 practicing in St. Helena this year, and explained the costs associated with
40 running the pool for swim team.

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42 **Lifeguard Training**

43 Recreation Services Manager Melick explained that there will be two lifeguard
44 trainings, one in March and one in April. Committee Member Cole asked about
45 the returning lifeguards. Recreation Services Melick said some guards had
46 expressed interest in returning, but she would have a better idea of the number
47 of returning guards closer to the spring and summer seasons.

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49 **Junior Lifeguard Camp**

50 Recreation Services Manager Melick said there will be a Junior Lifeguard Camp
51 in July.

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53 **Committee Member comments and Ideas for Discussion and Future**
54 **Agendas**

55 Committee Member Eddy asked if season passes would be for sale before the
56 next meeting. Recreation Services Manager Melick said that passes would be
57 available for sale by the next meeting. Community members asked that water
58 aerobics, and swim team be on future agendas.

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60 **Adjournment**

61 The meeting was adjourned at 6:01 p.m.

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