



Meeting Minutes

Leisure Services Advisory Board

April 1, 2024, 6:00 p.m.

Sunrise Civic Center Community Room

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order by board chair, Danny Perez.

Moment of Silence

Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call

Present: Lorelei Boyden, Peter Fox, Danny Perez, Satnarine Ricketts-Weller

Hazel Kistow-Vasquez, Tonya Nolen Williams

Absent: Larry (Todd) Shipley,

City Liaison: Kevin Pickard, Director of Leisure Services

Open Discussion

Approval of Minutes

A motion to approve the minutes from the March 4, 2024 Leisure Services Advisory Board Meeting was made by Peter Fox and seconded by Lorelei Boyden. The motion carried without board opposition.

Old Business

Past Special Events - Participation numbers for recently held events:

- 3/9, 10a-1pm- Classic Car Show w/ Bike Safety Expo- Welleby Park- 2,000

Danny Perez shared that he liked the layout of the event, lots of unique cars. The event continues to grow each year and the added bicycle safety portion was very popular.

- 3/13, 7-9pm- Taste of Sunrise- Civic Center Ballroom- 514

Board members shared that there was a good variety of food items and attendees enjoyed the entertainment, there was a good vibe!

- 3/15, 6-9pm- Tunes & Trucks- Studio 54- Flamingo Park- 550
- 3/30, 10a-1pm- Royal Egg Hunt- Sportsplex- Postponed from 3/23- 600 children/ 1,800 total

Past Theatre Shows and Programs - Participation numbers for recently held shows:

- 3/9, 2pm & 7pm, 3/10, 2pm- 13: The Musical- by Broadway Kids Studio- 3 shows- 477 total
- 3/15, 6-9pm- Lyrical Lounge Writing Workshop- 27, Open Mic performers- 32
- 3/23, 7pm, 3/24, 2pm- The Cemetery Club- by Curtain Call Playhouse- 2 shows- 140 total

New Business

Youth Athlete of the Month- Due to the program's spring break hiatus, the selection was tabled until next month to allow coaches more time to send in nominations.

Summer Camp Registration Process- New this year, a one-day, in person only registration will be held in the Civic Center Ballroom, starting at 8:00 a.m. on a first come, first-served basis. The eligible age range has also been changed to ages 6-14 to accommodate those that need childcare the most.

Upcoming Special Events

- 4/5, 9am-12pm- World Health Day- SAC
- 4/6- 10am-1pm- Earth Day- Sawgrass Sanctuary
- 4/12, 6-9pm- Tunes 'N Trucks- Soul Circus Cowboys- SAC
- 4/13, 10am-12pm- Autism Swims- Civic Center Pool
- 4/19, 7-9pm- Special Populations Spring Fling Dance- Civic Center Ballroom
- 4/20, 8am- SUMMER CAMP REGISTRATION- Civic Center
- 4/27, 11am-2pm- Community Resource Fair- City Park

Upcoming Theatre Shows and Programs

- 4/5, 6-9pm- Art Gallery Reception- Civic Center Art Gallery
- 4/17, 6:30pm- Louder than a Bomb Florida Indy Finals- Civic Center Theatre- General Admission \$5
- 4/18, 7pm- Douglas, (rhythmic and romantic bolero songs)- Reserved seating \$20
- 4/21, 2pm- The Three Mess-keteers- (funny educational children's show)- Reserved seating \$7
- 4/27, 7pm- Brazilian Voices: Jazz Across Cultures- Reserved seating \$20

Good of the Order

Lorelei Boyden shared that the Art Plaza has started to come together. Kevin Pickard shared that the completion is expected in the May-June time frame. Ms. Boyden was happy to also share that she enjoyed being trip leader for the first time on a recent Senior Center outing.

Peter Fox commended Sunrise Fire Rescue for a quick response and treating him so well when he recently needed aide.

Danny Perez commented that he would like to see traffic enforcement at the intersection at N.W. 44th Street and N.W. 115th Terrace. Kevin Pickard suggested that he send him and email reminder and it will be forwarded to the Police Department.

Adjournment

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Satnarine Ricketts-Weller and seconded by Tonya Nolen Williams. Motion carried without board opposition.

Transcribed by: _____

Karen Gallagher, Board Secretary