

BEAUTIFICATION COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

MARCH 14, 2017

Present: Marie Leonard, , Barbara Allman, Gerry Gennoe, Betty Scott, Clare Ansink, Holly Janney, Kathy Pierre, Marianne McGill and Arleen Higginbotham

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Holly Janney at 1:34 pm.

The minutes from the November 9, 2016 meeting were read silently and approved.

Tonight's class, Detox Clutter to De-Stress, begins at 6 pm and we should arrive a little early to assist with set up. Six people have signed up for the class with others calling to inquire about the class and saying they plan to attend. Refreshments for tonight are berries, cookies, cupcakes and water.

How to improve Celebrate the Season was briefly discussed. Attendance for the Madrigals concert portion of the event was not as well attended this year. We will have to find a replacement Santa for 2017 Celebrate the Season as last year's Santa was unkind to some of the children. Arleen has purchased additional decorations for the trees and plans to purchase additional patriotic decorations after Fourth of July when those decorations go on sale. We will probably use the three tree set for the rotunda this coming year.

The Beautification Tour will be held on Thursday, April 27, 2017. We will meet at the Town Hall at 9:30 am and Arleen will rent a van from Enterprise for the tour. Arleen will take some pictures in advance of some of the category entries for us to judge. An amendment was made Tuesday, March 14 evening to change the Thursday, April 27 date to Tuesday, April 25 for the tour. Clarity Pointe will not be eligible to receive the award again as they threw away the sign last year.

The Beautification Awards will be presented in June and Arleen will email us with the exact date.

The banners were discussed. Marie noted that the Dogwood banners were in poor shape. However, they were purchased by the Dogwood Committee and it is not up to our committee to replace them. The additional new flag banners have been ordered and they are the same as the old ones except the new Farragut logo has been added. A sample picture of the new banner was passed around. The flag banners are up from June until after September 11th.

Our next meeting will be held on Tuesday, August 8, 2017. A reminder email will be sent.

Meeting was adjourned at 2:00 pm.