

BAYBERRY COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION, INC.

Minutes of Bayberry Community Association

December 1, 2024 at UCC

Attendance (alphabetical by last name): Kyle Adams, Louise Benfy, Jordan Curtis, David Jordan, Gina Schell, Stacey Schloop, Ryan Vollmer

- Meeting called to order at 7:01pm by President Ryan Vollmer
- Motion to approve minutes from November 3, 2024 made by Stacey Schloop, second by Kyle Adams

Treasurer's Report by Kyle Adams:

- Some funds coming in. Joe McMullen completed audit; everything was fine. Half of social media boost cost posted. \$120 for cookie drive (need to repost on social media).

Town Affairs by Jordan Curtis:

- Town of Clay Town Board meeting to be held on December 2, starting at 7:30pm.
- Syracuse Metropolitan Transportation Council held open house November 30, more meetings to come.

School Affairs by Mary Eidt (via email):

- 160+ students inducted into National Honor Society.
- Dr. Jerome Mehin, past superintendent, passed away. Visitation (9am) and Services (10am) December 27 at Cathedral at Columbus Circle.
- District seeking community members for Advisory Audit Committee; new mascot will be "Legends."

New residents:

- David had question about renters/owners paying dues.

Website updates:

- Kyle said Turbify received transfer documents; Gina mentioned concern about ease of updating.

Veterans Affairs by Debbie Magaro-Dolan (not in attendance):

Upcoming Events:

- Cookie drive – Shelley may get cookies December 4. Ryan/Jordan may pickup and deliver Friday December 6.
- Santa's drive-through – Jordan will place signs and get suit to Joe Cavataio on December 5. Push social media.
- Holiday decorating contest - Stacey Schloop received one response for judges. David will find more judges.

Sponsor Engagement:

- Nothing new (see Treasurer's Report).

Other items:

- Yard signs:
 - o Gina and Shelley will lead designs; Ryan wants to have signs ready for next year.
 - o No dates on signs, six signs per event, QR codes: Garage sale, Saturday; Monthly meeting, Sunday 7pm; Ice cream social (swapable); Meet the candidates, Sunday; Earth Day Cleanup, Saturday; Halloween event (or trunk or treat), Saturday. No Santa drive through signs needed.
- Ryan spoke to Highway Department about planting trees to replace those cut near Cherry Tree Circle green area. David raised question of Christmas tree lighting. Jordan mentioned someone cut new path into Friendship Forest from Route 57. Recliner still dumped by USPS/Bayberry Plaza. Ryan will text Debbie Magaro-Dolan about it. Sponsor highlight for next Newsletter could be Jreck Subs.

Next meeting: Sunday, January 12 at 7pm at UCC. Motion to adjourn at 8:07pm by Stacey, seconded by Ryan.