

Clifton Family Church Council Meeting

3/11/2016

Attendance: Mr. Alex Beebe, Pastor Manoj Jacob, Mrs. Kyoko Andersson, Mrs. Noriko Sprague, Mr. Atsushi Takino, Mr. Zeth Bell, Mrs. Naria McGee, and Mr. Terry McMahon.

Absent: Mrs. Kathaleen Sato

- Meeting was called to order at 8:20pm
- Opening prayer was given by Pastor Manoj
- The CIG motto and new Council Mission Statement was read

Agenda:

A. Review Agenda

- Game Day fundraiser report was added to agenda

B. Review of minutes for 2/26/2016

- Minutes were corrected as they were reviewed
- Minutes will be approved after final corrections

C. Review Community Meeting Report by Mrs. Sprague

- Proposed title and date is: NJ Community Open Council Meeting on the 2nd Friday of the month at 7:30pm
- In attendance were Mrs. Noriko Sprague, Mr. Atsushi Takino, Mr. Terry McMahon, Mr. Kuninobu Miyazawa
- There would be a report made by representatives for all areas of the church: Pastor's monthly report, membership attendance/Finances, ACLC & witnessing, National & District Council, Building Committee, Ocean Challenge, Go, YUM, Kodan, Camp Sunrise, WFWP, UPF, BFD, and Golden Age.
- Management of reporting time and structure was discussed.
- It was suggested to have short reports followed by short discussions, to allow time after the meeting for members to make further inquiries to the respective presenters. (The vote was unanimous.)
- It was suggested to refrain from making corrections of minutes during meetings.
- The community reports should be given followed by the council agenda.
- All were in favor (unanimous.)
- It was proposed that Mrs. Sprague and Mr. McMahon be co-organizers for the Open Council meeting. (The vote was unanimous).

D. Review Camp Sunrise Board minutes

- Discussion will be postponed

E. Action Items:

- Informing community about open community council meeting and contacting representatives of different church groups will be done by meeting organizers.
- Rev. Sato will work on finalizing Council Handbook
- Mr. Beebe will work on Camp Sunrise Scholarship Development

- Mrs. McGee will work on meeting minutes
- Mr. Bell will work on finishing the Council website

F. Game Day Fundraiser

- Zeth Bell held a Game day fundraiser for Camp Sunrise on Sunday 3/06/2016 after Sunday service.
- There was a \$2.00 charge to play video and board games. Made \$58.00 profit.

G. Announcements

- 3/12 - Captain's Training for NJ Boating (2:30-4:30 pm)
- 3/16 - YUM (8pm)
- 3/18 - 51st Anniversary of the Founding of the NJ Holy Ground
- 3/19 - 51st Anniversary of the Founding of the NJ Holy Ground Event (10-11 am)

The meeting was closed in prayer by Mr. Alex Beebe at 9:57pm

Secretary,

-Naria McGee