

Desert Cove Homeowners Association

Recreation Center Director's Report General Meeting April 30th, 2024

As we are all aware the last few months have included some very sad events for the board and others. One of those sad events left a huge gap in the board and its ability to carry on the fantastic work it was doing. We, as residents, thank the remainder of the board for "stepping up to the plate" in order to fulfill the duties left unattended by the passing of much loved board member Jim Horsford. We are very pleased that Elaine Horsford has returned to continue on in her role as kitchen coordinator.

I was pleased to have been asked to return to my old role on the board of directors to carry on Jim's legacy as Recreation Center Director until at least September's annual meeting. Since my return I have participated in the bi-annual inventory of DCHA's assets which is carried mainly for insurance purposes but also to update the assets themselves where needed. i.e. get rid of stuff we no longer need.

We have acquired two indoor flag poles to display both the provincial and federal flags during meetings and other events such as Remembrance Day. The board commissioned a new and improved photo display board for the directors' mug shots.

Some minor repairs have been done to the DCHA's assets in order to keep them in good working order. During the inventory five unused crib boards were unearthed and will be renumbered (Thanks Steve Fulbrook) and refinished and will be sold and/or used as prizes.

Most recently I got railroaded into flipping pancakes for the very successful Volunteer Appreciation Breakfast. A big thank you to ALL the volunteers that make this such a wonderful community to reside in.

I would like to particularly thank Director Mary Mate and those residents that help her out for taking on the task of the refundable container return program which is a huge feather in the caps of DCHA residents.

Finally, I thank the board for my invitation to be a part of such an active board that is really dedicated to enhancing the lives of all that live and play in the "Cove"

Respectfully submitted,

Laurie French

DCHA Recreation Centre Director