

Centennial Committee Regular Meeting Minutes June 10, 2024 – 11:30 a.m.

Co-Chair Hansen called the Regular Centennial Committee Meeting to order at 11:31 a.m. on June 10, 2024.

The following attended at Town Hall, 441 White Pine Drive, Laurel Park NC 28739:

- Co-Chair Paul Hansen
- Co-Chair Kristin Dunn
- Pamela Sacco
- Knox Crowell
- Jim Wilson
- Lutrelle O'Cain
- Phil Drake
- Gary Anderson
- Town Clerk Tamara Amin
- Daphne Kirkwood- IDaph Events

The following were absent:

• Finance Officer Kirk Medlin

APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

Mr. Wilson moved to approve the agenda. The vote was unanimous in favor of the motion.

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

Mr. Wilson moved to approve the minutes of May 13, 2024. The vote was unanimous in favor of the motion.

OLD BUSINESS

SPONSORSHIPS UPDATE

Co-Chair Hansen suggested not limiting the highest sponsorship to just one. He believes the Committee will need at least two good sponsors. The committee agreed there should be a fancier sponsorship package that includes a letter, logo, history of Laurel Park, sign up form and colored brochure. The Sponsorship committee was agreed to include Mr. Wilson, Co-Chair Dunn, Ms. Sacco and Ms. O'Cain.

Ms. O'Cain joined the meeting at 11:36 a.m.

a. Draft Sponsorship Package - The aforesaid draft is attached to, and made part of, these minutes as Appendix 1.

Mr. Crowell said he has a brochure that he will share.

The Committee agreed on having two or more premier sponsors. Mr. Wilson provided a list of previous and potential sponsors the Friends of Laurel Park uses.

b. Potential Sponsors List - The aforesaid list is attached to, and made part of, these minutes as Appendix 2.

SURVEY UPDATE

A draft survey was presented to the Committee.

c. Draft Survey- The aforesaid draft survey is attached to, and made part of, these minutes as Appendix 3.

The Committee discussed adding History Brochure, Scavenger Hunt etc. to the list and which they would attend. The Committee discussed putting this in the Newsletter to look at the survey as a guide not a Commitment. Co-chair Hansen asked Town Clerk Amin to look into an online survey.

MEDALLION UPDATE

Co-Chair Hansen presented the Committee with the draft medallion/plaque update for the 100-year homes in Laurel Park

d. Draft Medallion/Plaque - The aforesaid plaque is attached to, and made part of, these minutes as Appendix 4.

Co-Chair Hansen said the biggest change is the Laurel's being moved and one removed. They are 9.8 x 6.4-inch brass that would cost \$400 each, 42 houses total cost \$16K through Summit Marketing. Mr. Anderson suggested looking at 3D printing. Ms. Kirkwood said the number 2 looks like a 9 and the font should be modified. Ms. Kirkwood said she knows a metal company that can price them out for us.

PICNIC UPDATE

Co-Chair Hansen and Mr. Wilson stopped by Laurel Green Park, and they believe 2 tents 30x65 and they hold 215 each will fit in Laurel Green. The event will be from 4-6 p.m. that will include children's activities like bounce house, facepainting, crafts, balloon artist, and bubbles. Someone will need to contact and ask if anyone is available and the prices. Ms. Kirkwood suggested letters for a photo op. The committee suggested booking for the band and food. Mr. Wilson was

instructed to book Russ Wilson for both the picnic and Gala. The big band orchestra for the Gala and a small 6/8-piece band for the picnic. Co-Chair Hansen was instructed to book Carolina Ace BBQ for July 5.

NEW BUSINESS

TURKEY TROT RACE/JOR RACE- IDAPH

There was much discussion about having a special Laurel Park race. Town Clerk Amin suggested piggybacking on the already booked May 10th race. Ms. Kirkwood asked the Committee to come up with what they wanted out of the race, i.e. donations, advertising, etc.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, Co-Chair Hansen adjourned the meeting at 12:26 p.m. on motion by Mr. Anderson.

ATTEST:

Tamara Amin, CMC, NOCMC

Town Clerk/Deputy Tax Collector

LAUREL PARK IS CELEBRATING 100 YEARS. PLEASE
VIEW OUR ANNUAL SPONSORSHIP PACKAGES TO
JOIN IN THE CELEBRATION ALL YEAR LONG

CENTENNIAL SPONSORSHIPS

PREMIER	Presenting sponsor of Gala & Pig Picking Opportunity to speak at both events 6 Gala tickets, 6 pig picking tickets Large color Logo on all Centennial marketing materials including banners Full ad for Centennial in The Lightning Individual Social Media Shoutout x2	\$15,000 X1 ONLY
GOLD	Large, Colorful Logo on all Centennial marketing materials 2 Gala tickets, 2 pig picking tickets Half ad in The Lightning Individual Social Media Shoutout	\$5,000
SILVER	Logo on Centennial Marketing Materials 2 Gala tickets Quarter ad in The Lightning Social Media Shoutout	\$2,000
BRONZE	Name listed on Centennial 2 Gala tickets 2 pig picking tickets Marketing Materials Social Media Shoutout	\$500
FRIEND	Name listed on Centennial 2 Gala tickets Marketing Materials Social Media Shoutout	\$250°

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FLP Previous and Potential Sponsors

Wild Birds Unlimited

Boyd Chevrolet

Pardee UNC Healthcare

Century 21 Mountain Lifestyles

Hendersonville Country Club

Valley Hill Fire & Rescue

Henderson Oil Company

Mail Box and Pack

Laurel Park Animal Hospital

First Congregational Church

iDaph Events

Laborde Eye Group

Yam Yoga

Hendersonville Racquet Club

Carolina Village

Laurel Park Shopping Center

Millers Fine Dry Cleaning

Beverly Hanks

Weichert Realtors

Laurel Park Auto

Times News

The Lightning

Entegra Bank

Wells Fargo

The Crate

Fleetwood Plaza Regime

Mast General Store

First Citizens Bank

Clearwater Environmental

Tarheel Paving

Horizon Heating & Air

Echo Mountain Inn

Agudas Israel Congregation

Sherman Sports

Appalachian Coffee

Mountain River

Kindred at Home

Edward Jones

Always Best Care

Waste Pro

Selee

Champion Comfort Experts

Looking Glass Eye Center

Hendersonville Family Dental

Sutherland Insurance Agency

First Bank

Bank of America

Sun Trust

Home Trust Bank

Park National Bank

SECU

PNC Bank

United FCU

TD Bank

Berkshire Hathaway

Keller Williams

ReMax

Coldwell Banker

Looking Glass Realty

Western Carolina Reg Animal Hosp

Southern Appalachian Brewery

Triskelion

Guidon

Dry Falls

D9

Sanctuary/Oklawaha

2nd Act

Parks Ford

Autostar Chrysler

Bryan Easler Toyota

Hendersonville Nissan

Appendix-3

Help us plan our Centennial Events. Please let us know if you would attend any of the following:
Roaring 20s Gala on Saturday March 1 st at 6 pm Dinner, band, and dancing. Tickets \$50 per person at Hendersonville County Club.
July 5 th , 2025 picnic. Little Laurel Green Park at (whatever time) No charge for Laurel Park residents. (or up to \$10 per person) whatever we decide
Scavenger Hunt of Laurel Park Historic Markers contest throughout the year
5k through Laurel Park with registration fee (Thanksgiving)
A list of the sponsorship levels and the perks.
For information about these events and being a sponsor please contact:
Please return survey by

