

Social Committee Meeting
April 11, 2024

Present: Connie Baran-Gerez, Alan Cohen, Suzanne Harding, Rick Holt,
David Salter, Cal Schram

Regrets: Merle Koven, Janine Schweitzer

1. Agenda was approved

2. Questions arising from March minutes – none

3. Past Events - March

- Bonus movie night – Wednesday, March 13; *Chicago* – seven attended
- Movie – Wednesday, March 20; *Quantum of Solace* – five attended
- Information session – Wednesday, March 27; *Owning and Operating an Electric Vehicle* – seven attended
- The committee will revisit the popularity and frequency of these events in the fall

*Solar eclipse gathering – Monday, April 8 – upwards of 30 residents gathered to share the experience on the terrace; many others enjoyed the spectacle from their balconies; a big thank-you to Dean for moving out the patio furniture and cushions that morning

4. Future Events

- Chilifest – Sunday, April 14; 6:00pm, lounge
 - Alan, Suzanne, Rick, and David will prepare four types of chili (including vegetarian)
 - Connie, Alan, Rick, and Cal will prepare cornbread muffins (Alan purchased packages of the favourite Jiffy mix in the US)
 - The Committee will provide a selection of chili toppings: hot sauce, green onions, white onions, grated cheese, sour cream
 - Rick will post notices to remind those who signed up for the event that Chilifest is this Sunday

- AGM reception – Thursday, May 30
 - Rick will ensure adequate supply of beverages
- Ice Cream Social – Saturday June 15; 7:00pm, terrace
- Wine and Food Pairing – Sunday, July 14; 7:00pm, terrace; a sub-committee will be formed at a future meeting
- The Committee again discussed a possible patio outing in August and brainstormed ideas for new fall/winter events

5. Recruitment

- The Committee continues to seek additional members to fulfil its mandate throughout the year

The next meeting of the Social Committee will be held on **Thursday, May 9 at 10:00am** in the lounge; Suzanne advised the Committee that she would be out-of-town on that date