



NEXT MEETING MAY 8 at 7:00pm  
MAC Firehouse Art Gallery  
81 Naugatuck Ave

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Minutes from Last Meeting: 4/10/2023

**Walnut Beach Association  
Meeting Minutes  
Date: 4/10/23  
Firehouse Gallery**

Officers in Attendance: Simon & Sherri  
Called to Order at  
Pledge of Allegiance  
A Sign-up sheet was passed around including update email information.

**Guest Speaker (if applicable)**

NA

**President's Report** – Need government liaison rep to inform us of town/govt news. New update: out of town NOT allowed to park @ Devon Pavilion.  
Meeting adjourned 7:55pm

**Vice President's Report – Simon McDonald.**

**Financial Report – Sherri Ton**

Balance as of: 4/10/23 Amt: \$20,639.11

Previous Balance as of: 3/13/23 Amt: \$20,786.89

**Expenses:** \$2000 check to Laurie Brodie for Leeza bench (not included in numbers as of yet)

**Income:**

**Secretary's Report – Gean Brown:**

Motion to accept the minutes: emailed out by Simon

**Membership Report – Pam Parisi**

# paid members = 85

Simon suggested reaching out to 3 people to increase membership to 100.

**Committee Reports – N /A**

McKenzie beach clean-up. 16<sup>th</sup> & FINAL on 5/6.

**Cornhole Tournament** – No report

## **New Member Social – N/A**

### **Walnut Beach Business Association –**

Website concerts posted, beach parking updated, minutes up to date. WBABA event to be posted.  
Mary suggested neighborhood trash day  
End of Laurel St – rocks falling down & dangerous. Needs to update on status.  
Erik updated on Stowe Ave Signage Project.  
Fund raising covered by Sustainable CT, no funding obligation by WBA

### **Concert Series – .**

Simon gave list of bands for season –  
July 30<sup>th</sup> West Rock  
Aug 6<sup>th</sup> American Honey  
Aug 13<sup>th</sup> Ave. Groove  
Aug 20<sup>th</sup> The Void  
Aug 27<sup>th</sup> Gun Street Revival  
Sept. 3<sup>rd</sup> Rumrunners

**Concert Series Fundraiser** - Simon reported we received a check from Milord Bank and he is getting sponsors for other concerts. He reported we may have a fundraiser but nothing in the works at this time.

**Government –** No report

**Website –** No report

### **Old Business**

Tina reports John is going to continue with McKensie's beach clean up. It will be Saturday May 6<sup>th</sup>. He will need WBA to put it on our insurance. Shei to call insurance company.

### **New Business –**

Simon introduced two new businesses in the area. Vern from Piece of Royalty, they have holistic workshops and wellness services.  
Shirly from Be Well Thermography. They scan the body looking for any issues.  
Simon asks if anyone has any ideas for Walnut Beach improvements.  
Geoff asks that we get more raffle tickets as there were no many left from last year. Simon said he has plenty of tickets.  
Simon talked about moving the meetings to Tuesdays or the 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday. Many in group unable to do Tuesdays. Simon will look into the 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday.

Motion to adjourn –

**Adjourned at - \_\_\_\_\_ 7:35\_\_\_\_\_**

Respectfully submitted,

Gean Brown  
Secretary, Walnut Beach Association