

## **Rancho Rialto Activities Board EDITORIAL UPDATE**

This summer has been a busy one. One wouldn't think that with the Club House closed and hardly no scheduled activities going on. Residents are using the pool and hot tub, billiards room, and work out room and often we can hear the sound of someone playing pickle ball. RR has welcomed about 35 new residents, since March. Things are very quiet around here and people staying in, due to the weather and covid,

The bylaws committee, Jerry Sims, Penny Weigel, Carol Shewmaker, Larry Pixler, and Jane Miller worked with Ginger Morrison and Sandra Thiesen to rewrite the bylaws, Standard Operating Procedures and Officers duties. Ginger took input from all the committee members, talked to them on the telephone and wrote many drafts and worked with the board before finalizing the drafts on July 30, 2020. Be sure and read the original by laws and the drafts, as we have deleted the officers duties from the bylaws and made them separate and outlined many procedures from ticket sales to committees, bank accounts and more to the Standard Operating Procedures. They make for good reading. The committee and the board felt the new drafts were ready for public comment, in hopes that the committee could have a couple public hearings on the drafts before they came to a vote, but we will have to wait and see when and if we have the Club House open and if we can have a quorum to meet the Bylaws and the Counties regulations on COVID. Special thanks to all the committee for their input and determination to get this done, even though many were absent from RR. The Bylaws, Standard Operating Procedures and Officers Duties are posted in the "Members Only" section on the website. All registered residents will receive their own copy through the blast email or delivery of the newsletter.

The entertainment committee and board worked hard on getting the 2020-2021 schedule completed and contracts signed in April. Since then we have had two entertainers cancel due to moving or the group breaking up. All contracts with the entertainers state that we have to cancel two months prior to the event, so we have had to cancel two events for November. However, those entertainers booked again for the 2021 season. Now, we will wait and see how September and October goes. The yearly schedule will be put onto the web site. Many of the residents from Canada are hoping to come down after the first of the year or before, if the border opens up. That is a month to month decision. So due to the cancellation of entertainers, lack of people and not knowing the rules surrounding covid, the board decided to cancel all of the November activities.

The board is looking forward to seeing everyone this fall, in hopes we can get on with the activities we all enjoy during our fall and winter season. Happy travels to all and stay safe.

**Ken Sutherland, Director**  
**Tara Meadus, MFH Rep**  
**Pauline Morin, RV Rep**  
**Ginger Morrison, Secretary**  
**Sandra Thiesen, Treasurer**