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**Tenaflly Welcome
MINUTES
April 11, 2011**

NEXT MEETING May 16, 2011 AT 1:00
BOROUGH HALL

In attendance: April Uram, Chairperson, Stanley Kapp, Phyllis Lin, Christine Evron, Roxana Surrey, Alida Kratnoff, Regina Herring, Diana Buck, Chiew Kwei Kaw

The March 2011 minutes were approved.

Chairperson's Report – April Uram:

- The committee welcomed Chiew Kwei Kaw to her first committee meeting.
- Temple Sinai requested to advertise their pre-school in the Tenaflly Welcome! book. It was noted that it is already listed in the business section. The committee discussed the possibility of adding licensed pre-schools to the school section of the Welcome! book. April Uram will discuss the possibility with Council liaison Nadia LaMastra.
- The 2011 committee goals will be updated after April Uram and Carol Schulter meet with Gina Webb-Metz, the director of the library, to discuss collaborating on a new resident event again this year.
- A new design for the postcards was discussed and will be presented at the next meeting.
- Chien Kwi Kaw commented that it is beneficial for new residents to meet current residents at new resident events. The committee then decided to try and repeat last year's library event which included current residents.
- The committee discussed supporting a summer concert in the park.

Committee Reports

Events Planning – April Uram

- A suggested date and time for the September new resident event is Wednesday, September 14, 2011 from 6:00 – 8:00pm. April Uram will get feedback from School and Borough Personnel.

Welcome Packet – Christine Evron

- There are 8 new books
- It is necessary to order pre-punched three hole paper because the new copy machine does not make holes. April Uram will discuss with the Borough Administrator.

Contact Business – Christine Evron

- Leslie Wickham will add coupons from Palmer's Crossing Restaurant to the business section of the Tenafly Welcome! book

Web Site – Phyllis Lin

- The February minutes were posted on line

Identify New Residents – Roxana Surrey and Phyllis Lin **Error! Bookmark not defined.**

- 38 new residents in March 2011
- Our calendar year is from 9/1 – 8/30
- 4 books were picked up from Borough Hall since the last meeting
- The committee discussed whether we should send postcards for book pick up to the oldest new residents or the most recent new residents. The committee decided to make a lot of books and mail out all past postcards as soon as possible.

New Business – No report

Submitted by Roxana Surrey