

Town of Southwest Ranches Education Advisory Board Official Minutes

May 10, 2021 7:00 pm

Via Zoom

Board Members

Kathy Sullivan, Jennifer Montgomery, Christine Brownlow, Priscilla Prado-Stroze, Page Giacin, Leah Castello, Francesca Case, Debbie Green, Rosina Marrapodi-Bove

Council Liaison Mayor Breitkreuz

Staff Liaison

Debra Ruesga

Members present:

Kathy Sullivan Jennifer Montgomery

Priscilla Prado-Stroze

Debbie Green

Page Giacin Leah Castello

Francesca Chase

RFNRAB Members absent:

Chris Brownlow

Rosina Marrapodi-Bove

Staff present:

Debra Ruesga

Council present: Gary Jablonski

Mayor Steve Breitkreuz

Jim Allbritton **Bob Hartmann** David Kuczenski

Call to order at 7:00 PM.

The members present reviewed the minutes of the April 2021 meeting.

Debbie Green motioned to approve the minutes of the April 2021 meeting. Jennifer Montgomery seconded and the motion passed unanimously.

Discussion Items:

- Financial Report by treasurer reflected a balance of \$37,616.38 + \$500 that was approved by Country Estates HOA to be brought to Town Hall.
- We will finalize the scholarship amount at the June 14th meeting. Only a couple applications received, and expect about 12 or so applicants by the deadline. The scholarships will be distributed at the Town Meeting on June 24th. Discussed sending invitations to those that contributed to the Flamingo Flocking to attend the Town Meeting when the scholarships will be distributed and may be some kind of slide show to present during the meeting.
- Town Hall will open to the public in June.
- Bingo raised \$985
- Shared information from the SWR Parks Board to make residents aware that the Monarch Butterflies population has declined tremendously in recent years. Through the National Wildlife Federation's Mayor's Monarch Pledge, U.S. cities, municipalities, and other communities are committing to create habitat for the monarch butterfly and pollinators, and to educate residents about how they can make a difference at home and in their community. Monarch butterflies like the milkweed plant.

There being no further business to discuss, the meeting adjourned at 8:00 pm.