

Castleberry Circle Club Survey Results

(46 surveys received – not everyone answered every question)

1. Continue Monthly Meetings: Yes = 35; No = 2; Don't Care = 6
2. Have a Program Committee: Yes = 27; No = 3
3. Willing to serve on Program Committee:

Ann Benson, Shery Canger, Jan Davenport, Bill Doherty, Sharon Dunkel, Judy Fahey, Paul & Jeanne Farineau, Carrie Harless, John & Sue Henry, Dennis & Vilas Hinkle, Fred & Dianne Kelley, Barry & Judi Killick, Lonnie Levy, Jan Morell, Joan Patrick, Suzanne Rydel, Mary Stauts, Terry Vece

4. Willing to host or co-host a meeting:

Benson, Berkaw, Canger, Cody, Doherty, Fahey, Farineau, Glanz/Rydel, Haase, Haggadone, Harless, Hinkle, Johnson, Killick, Krysiak, Levy, Morell, Renner, Vece

5. Meeting theme ideas:

- Don't have a program – just socialize
- Ethnic potluck dinners – Italian, Mexican, Irish, Hawaiian, etc
- Horse races; others said no races
- Games: Trivia, 10,000 Pyramid, Bingo, Casino Night, Name That Tune
- Speakers – VHA, POA, Villages Senior Living Options (including Brownwood apartments), Long-term care insurance, Healthcare options; aging services
- Tips for unplugging from Comcast/using streaming services (maybe someone from the computer clubs)
- Home safety
- Caring for mature landscapes, Xeriscaping options
- Golf cart trip event; golf card poker run
- Report on good movies/books
- Report on what other clubs that CCC members are involved in; what makes them good/not so good
- What I did on my summer vacation
- Musical acts – flutes, harp, etc.
- Silent auction
- Doggie circus
- Special Talented Neighbors

6. Dinner (or some food) at all meetings: Yes = 15; No* = 15

Even those who said no agreed food does increase attendance

Additional Comments:

- Form a committee to get new residents involved
- Charge dues
- Okay to pay small fee for entertainment
- Food should be provided (doesn't have to be dinner; could be appetizers and/or dessert); charging would be fine; better attendance when food is provided
- Meet from 7 to 8:30; no food
- Divide all who said yes to #1 into groups and let them select the program
- Bi-monthly meetings; have two meetings per year, eliminate either June or September meeting
- In lieu of monthly meetings, have a monthly newsletter that would cover all topics currently discussed at monthly meetings. If we had a monthly newsletter we may be able to do away with the website.