

**Blackburn Community Association (BCA)**  
**Minutes of the Meeting**  
**Held on Thursday September 18th, 2008**

**IN ATTENDANCE:**

Charles Kennedy  
Al Ross  
Tom Scott  
Helen Rosseau  
Evelyn Budd  
Sarah Cloutier  
Lynn Leduc  
Belinda Leung

**CALL TO ORDER**

The meeting was called to order by Charles at 7:35 p.m.

**CHAIRPERSON'S REPORT**

Thanks to Roger for all his hard work putting on Volunteer Appreciation Night. Rainer drew the winning name for the Membership Draw. The names of the winners, Jack and Diane Nadelle, will be published in the BANAR, as will the names of all the contestants. Submissions for the Volunteer Nominations will have to be in by the December meeting. A Meet the Candidates Night will be planned, if possible, in the Community Hall. Tom will contact the candidates.

**COMMITTEE REPORTS**

**FUNFAIR**

Will be having a meeting to a lot shares September 29<sup>th</sup>. The fair was a financial success. The BCA only had to pay the honorarium.

**SENIORS**

Sarah's seniors group had suggested building a Bocce court in one of the parks. Tom will look into the details.

**BANAR**

The next BANAR is November 1<sup>st</sup>. Bernard Booth's letter regarding speeding will appear in it. Police have been busy in the Hamlet stopping speeders and Rainer will obtain statistics, such as the number of tickets given, for the BANAR to publish with the letter.

Evelyn asked that something be done to compensate for the extra cost that credit card payment surcharges add to the BANAR. As these costs offset the greater management problems caused by cheque payments, the BCA will cover the extra surcharge costs.

**PARKS AND RINKS**

The rocket at Joshua Bradley park has been removed and replaced by a new structure. Rainer will investigate the reason for the difference why the new structure is different from the one chosen last year.  
The Park clean up will be continued until Thanksgiving.

**COUNCILLOR'S REPORT**

Kettle Island has been chosen as the preferred site for the Inter-provincial Bridge. A public consultation is planned .

The Transportation Master Plan has been tabled. Stage 1 includes the downtown tunnel and the light rail to Blair Station.

There will be a 1 day Special Waste drop-off at the WSI Navan Dump on Sunday the 21<sup>st</sup> of September.

**NEW BUSINESS**

The Greenbelt Master Plan will be going under review. No dates are set yet for public consultation.

**NEXT MEETING**

Next meeting's agenda should include updates on Wally's and the Greenhouses.