

A group of 19 people met at the City Hall at 8 p.m., April 23rd for the purpose of forming a club to provide recreational activities for both the young and older people of the community.

The following nominations were made for President:

Harold Kummer
Ole Olsen
Howard Olanie
Henry Hering
Harold Kummer elected as President.

Nominations for Vice President:

Marguerite Dooher
Frank Dooher
Frank Turk
Mrs. Marguerite Dooher elected.

Bill Mann was unanimously elected as Treasurer and Evelyn Turk as Secretary.

President appointed the following people as a committee to draw up a Constitution and By-Laws for the Club.

Alice Olsen
Mary Chartrey
Henry Hering
Clarence Christensen

It was decided the Club should meet once each month - the first Monday of each month: a special meeting to be held on Thursday, May 1st, in order to adopt the Constitution and By-Laws.

Henry Hering turned over to the President \$29.90 received from the old Commercial Club and donated to the treasury of the new club.

Secretary instructed to see Mrs. Dore and ask her to send in an account to both the Hillsboro and Forest Grove papers regarding the new club, the success of the dance held to raise funds for the club and the \$29.90 donation made to the treasury.

A name for the Club was discussed. Several were suggested and a name will be voted on at the May 1st meeting.

Mrs. Margarette Doohar was appointed to look into the matter of a story hour for the smaller children, Mrs. Evelyn Jackson to see what the "teen-agers" preferred and Mr. Frank Turk to see what athletics the boys preferred.

No further business it was moved and seconded that the meeting adjourn.

Evelyn M. Turk, Secretary

Nominations for Vice President:

Margarette Doohar
Frank Doohar
Frank Turk
Mrs. Margarette Doohar elected

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Turk as Secretary.

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and a date will be voted on at the May 1st meeting.

CONSTITUTION
OF THE
CORNELIUS COMMUNITY RECREATION CLUB

Article I
"Name"

This organization shall be called:

1. Active Club
2. Cornelius Good Will Club
3. Cornelius Youth Recreation Club
4. Cornelius Community Club
5. Cornelius Community Circle Club
6. Community Activity Club
7. Community Action Clun

Article II
"Object"

The object of this club shall be to provide, promote and supervise community recreation.

Article III
"Membership"

A membership in this club shall consist of the immediate family group.

Article IV
"Officers"

- Section 1. The officers of this club shall be a President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer.
- Section 2. The executive board shall consist of the officers and three other members - one being the retiring president.
- Section 3. The duties of the officers shall be such as belong to their several offices in similar clubs.
- Section 4. All officers shall give written annual reports.

Article V
"Meetings"

- Section 1. The regular meetings of the club shall be held at 8 p.m. on the first Monday of each month.
- Section 2. The annual meeting shall be held at 8 p.m. on the first Monday in January.

Article VI
"Amendments"

The Constitution may be amended by drafting through the executive board and reading at three successive meetings and passing by two-thirds majority vote.

By-Laws
Article 1.

Section 1. The membership of this Club shall be unlimited.

Section 2. Charter members shall be those present at the reading of the constitution.

Section 3. All adult members shall share in the work and responsibility of the club.

Article 11

Section 1. Special meetings may be called at any time by the President.

Section 2. Seven members shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

Section 3. Meetings of the Executive Board shall be held at the call of the President.

Article 111 Duties of Officers

Section 1. The President shall preside at all meetings of the club and act as Chairman of the Executive Board; shall sign all orders drawn upon the Treasury when approved by the Club and shall perform all other duties pertaining to the office.

Section 2. In the absence of the President the Vice-President performs all the duties of the office.

Section 3. The Secretary shall keep a true record of all business transacted at the meetings of the club and Executive Board; shall authenticate all acts and orders of the Club; conduct the necessary correspondence and give an annual written report.

Section 4. The Treasurer shall receive all moneys and deposit the same in a bank approved by the Executive Board. All bills shall be presented and upon approval of the club be paid by check signed by the Treasurer and countersigned by the President. A full financial report shall be given at the annual meeting and when called for during the year upon a week's notice.

Section 5. The Executive Board shall meet at the call of the President and act as an advisory board.

Article IV "Elections"

Section 1. Election of officers will be held at the annual meeting.

Section 2. Officers shall be elected by secret ballot upon nomination. A majority of the votes cast shall constitute an election.

Article V
Dues & Finances

- Section 1. Dues shall be \$1.00 a year per membership.
- Section 2. Dues shall be payable at the first of the year or upon joining. Any new member will pay full dues for the current year.
- Section 3. No appropriation shall be made from the Treasury until it has been passed on by the Executive Board.

Article VI

Roberts Rules and Orders shall be the authority on all questions not covered by the constitution and By-Laws.

Article VII

The By-Laws may be amended at any regular meeting of the club by a two-thirds vote of the members present and voting, providing the amendment has been submitted in writing and read at the preceding meeting.

Kummer ✓
Hering
Barackman
Jacksons
Christianson
H. Kraemer
N. Chartey
H. Bolton
Oppenlander
J. Ruth
G. Hillis
Alsen
Hooker
Wheeler
C. Hoffman
Manns X,
H. Bean
Lees
Halls
Turk X
Olanie
Harleman
Opheim

unverricht
Kunkle
W. Rice
J. Bohmson
C. Andersen
Earl X
H. Hoffman
W. Van Lom
Rev. Reitz
L. Melanson
H. Rasmussen
P. Senko
Don Fischler +
Francis Cooper
E. Claycamp
J. Buchanan
J. Markle
J. Robinson ?
J. Allen
R. Tisdale
C.C. Ruth

K. Orives
J. Kabach
D. Kizer -
L. Strick
J. Hagner
P. Wyffels
J. Simantel
M. Steinback
P. Hillis
J. Zupt
Murray Tyre
Ray Thompson,
Herb. Lawrence
Munford

May 1, 1947

The special meeting of the Club was called to order by the President.

Minutes of the first meeting read and approved.

Treasurer's report read showing \$195.15 on hand.

The Pres. asked for a report from the committee appointed to draw up a constitution and By-Laws for the Club. Henry Hering read the new constitution and By-Laws drawn up by the committee.

ARTICLE 1. NAME

Members voted on name for the club and Cornelius Community Recreation Club received largest number of votes.

ARTICLES 2,3,4,5 and 6 all voted and passed on.

ARTICLES 1,2,3,4,5,6 and 7 of the By-laws voted and passed as read except ARTICLE 4.

Motion made and seconded that the word plurality be stricken and word majority be used instead in ARTICLE 4.

Mrs. Jackson reported on recreation for "teen-agers" and Mrs. Dooher on story hour for small children.

President asked if anyone present would attend a meeting in Hillsboro on Friday night relative to "teen-age" recreation. Mrs. M. Dooher and Mrs. E. Jackson volunteered.

Nominations in order for 3 members to the Executive Board.

Frank Dooher, Mrs. Mabel Bean and Henry Hering chosen.

Mr. Kummer, Pres., reported on the matter of safety and insurance. Motion made and seconded that Ashley Jackson print forms to be signed by the parents to guard against law-suits.

Next meeting to be held May 5th at the school gym. Everyone asked to bring a new member and some doughnuts - Henry Hering to furnish the coffee.

Mr. and Mrs. Doohar and Mr. and Mrs. H. Kraemer were appointed on the "eats" committee. Mr. and Mrs. John Oppenlander and Mr. and Mrs. M. Barackman on the "clean-up" committee.

Meeting adjourned.

Evelyn M. Turk, Secy.

May 5th, 1947 Regular Meeting

The first regular meeting of the Cornelius Community Recreation Club was held at the school gym with approximately 50 people in attendance.

Meeting called to order by the President and Minutes of the previous meeting read and approved.

President stated that he and Mrs. Kummer, Mrs. Jackson, Mrs. Dooher and Mrs. Bolton attended the "teen-age" recreational meeting in Hillsboro on May 2nd and that many helpful ideas were obtained from the meeting.

President stated that the Executive Board had appointed the following committees:

Mr. & Mrs. Tom Lee) Membership
" " M. Barackman	
" " N. Chartrey	

Mr. & Mrs. Gene Hillis) Athletic
Ole Olsen	
Frank Turk	
Jack Bohnsen	
J. Oppenlander	

Mr. Kummer asked for volunteers to help lay-out and investigate the cost of a tennis court and the following were appointed:

Mr. John Ruth
" C. Christiansen
" J. Bohnsen

A discussion was held as to the duties of a supervisor and a motion was made and seconded that a committee be appointed to draw up the duties of the supervisor.

President asked for suggestions on ways to raise money and members voted to hold a dance and sell lunch on Saturday May 17th at the school gym.

Appointed to the dance committee:

Mr. & Mrs. Gloyd Hall
" " H. Krahmer
M. Barackman
J. Bohnsen

Lunch Committee:

Mr. & Mrs. N. Chartrey - Chairman
" " Carl Hoffman
Harold Kummer
Henry Hoffman

Treasurer's report read showing \$217.15 on hand.

No further business meeting adjourned.

Secretary

following committees:

Membership)
Mr. & Mrs. Tom Lee)
" " M. Barschman)
" " H. Chartrey)

Athletic)
Mr. & Mrs. Gene Hillis)
Ole Olsen)
Frank Turk)
Jack Bohannon)
J. Oppelander)

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at the school gym.

Appointed to the dance committee:
Mr. & Mrs. Givd Hall
" " H. Kummer
" " M. Barschman
" " J. Bohannon

JUNE 2, 1947

Meeting called to order by the President. Minutes of the May meeting read and approved.

Jack Bohson, Chairman of the Dance Committee, reported \$64.80 cleared on the dance held May 17th.

Mary Chartrey, Chairman of Lunch Committee, reported \$38.92 cleared on the lunch sold at the dance.

Mrs. Chartrey also reported on the membership committee.

President read a list of duties of the Supervisor and asked for suggestions as to any new ones to be added.

Appointed to the lunch committee for the July meeting:

Mr. & Mrs. M. Barachman
F. Unverricht
W. C. Rice
R. Kunkle

John Ruth reported on the tennis court stating that a double concrete court would cost approximately \$450.00.

Mr. Jackson moved that the Club sponsor a junior organization without restrictions. Motion seconded.

Mr. Harleman amended the motion that there be no age restrictions. Motion seconded by Ole Olsen and carried.

Nominations in order for a committee to organize the junior Club.

Mrs. Margarete Doohar
" Louise Hoffman
" Rita Hillis
" Mary Harleman nominated.

Motion made and seconded that nominations be closed.

Motion made by Henry Hering that everyone including the children meet at the school grounds each Wednesday evening during June for the purpose of working over the ball grounds and organizing baseball practice. Motion seconded and carried.

A discussion was held regarding a supervisor for the Club and Mr. Mann suggested that the Secretary insert a notice in the paper that a Supervisor is wanted. Mr. Hall moved that we set \$30.00 per month to be paid the Supervisor and Ole Olsen seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Treasurer's report read showing a balance on hand of \$345.10.

Meeting adjourned.

Evelyn M. Turk, Secretary

July 7th, 1947

Meeting called to order by the President. Minutes of June meeting read and approved.

There being no members present representing the Junior Club committee, Mr. Kummer reported on the young people's activities being held at the Gymn each Friday night.

The President asked the opinion of the members regarding sponsoring a softball team in the Hillsboro league. Motion made by Hank Hering and seconded by Mr. Rice that we do not sponsor the team. Motion carried.

Motion made by Gloyd Hall that the Wednesday night baseball games be carried on until further notice. Ashley Jackson moved to amend the motion to read that the baseball games be held more than once a week if needed. Motion seconded and carried.

Mrs. Kummer reported that the Junior Club was in need of records for their dances. Mary Oppenlander and Clara Hering were appointed to see Bill Martin about records for the Junior Club. Bill Mann moved that \$5.00 be the limit for records purchased from Mr. Martin and Mrs. Kummer seconded the motion. Carried.

Secretary asked to write a letter of thanks to Don Fishler for his work on the ball grounds. Motion made and seconded that a membership card be sent with the letter in appreciation of his work.

A bill for \$5.00 to John Jacobsmullen for disking the ball-grounds was presented. Motion made by Henry Hering and seconded by Myrtle Mann that the bill be paid. Motion carried.

Treasurer's report read showing balance on hand of \$344.10.

Treasurer was asked by Mr. Hall to read the list of the membership which was complied to by Mr. Mann.

A motion was made by Gloyd Hall and seconded by Henry Hering that the baseball committee buy some light weight bats for the baseball practice. Motion carried.

Mr. Harleman moved that a committee of five (5) be appointed to plan a picnic for the last Sunday in July. Motion seconded by Bill Mann. Executive board appointed to this committee:

1. Mr. & Mrs. Ole Olsen
2. " " H. Rasmussen
3. " " Jim Harleman - *chairman*
4. " " Ashley Jackson
5. " " Gloyd Hall

Appointed to the lunch committee for the August meeting were:

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| Mr. & Mrs. Jack Bohson |
| " " " H. Earl |
| " " " A. Jackson |
| " " " Carl Anderson |

No further business a motion made and seconded that the meeting adjourn.

Evelyn M. Turk, Sec'y

There being no members present representing the Junior Girl committee, Mr. Kummer reported on the young people's activities being held at the gym each Friday night.

The President asked the opinion of the members regarding sponsoring a softball team in the Hillsboro league. Motion made by Hank Hering and seconded by Mr. Rice that we do not sponsor the team. Motion carried.

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Secretary asked to write a letter of thanks to Don Fisher for his work on the ball grounds. Motion made and seconded that a membership card be sent with the letter in appreciation of his work.

A bill for \$5.00 to John Jacobson for taking the ball-grounds was presented. Motion made by Henry Hering and seconded by Myrtle Mann that the bill be paid. Motion carried.

Treasurer's report read showing balance on hand of \$344.10. Treasurer was asked by Mr. Hall to read the list of the membership which was compiled to by Mr. Mann.

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- 1. Mr. & Mrs. Ole Olsen
- 2. " " H. Raussen
- 3. " " Jim Hartman
- 4. " " Ashley Jackson
- 5. " " Gloyd Hall

Appointed to the lunch committee for the August meeting:

- Mr. & Mrs. Jack Johnson
- " " H. Hall
- " " A. Jackson
- " " Carl Anderson

AUGUST 4th, 1947

Meeting called to order by the President. Minutes of the previous meeting read and approved.

No old business to be brought up before the Club.

New business: Mrs. Kummer moved to pay the following bills:

Seconded by Mr. Barackman.

Picnic Supplies	\$7.62
Mowing	7.50
Baseball Equip.	33.52
Wax	<u>1.20</u>

Total \$49.84

Motion made by Mr. Harleman, seconded by Clara Hering, that the Club hold another picnic.

Motion made and seconded that the Executive Board appoint the Committee to plan the picnic.

Mr. Rasmussen moved that the picnic be held August 24. Motion seconded by Henry Hering. Carried.

Motion made by Ole Olson and seconded by Bill Mann that the punch and coffee be paid for from Club funds.

A motion was made and seconded that the Sept. meeting be held on Saturday evening, Sept. 6th, and that it be a joint meeting of the senior and junior clubs and be both business & social.

Motion made by Mrs. Doohar and seconded by Mrs. Harleman that each family bring a pie.

Treasurer's report read showing \$302.46 on hand.

Evelyn M. Turk, Sec'y

Minutes taken by Margarett E. Doohar

C O P Y

Cornelius, Oregon
July 14, 1947

Mr. Don Fishler
Cornelius,
Oregon

Dear Mr. Fishler:

The membership of the Cornelius Community
Recreation Club wish to thank you for the work
you ~~done~~ on the baseball grounds at the school.

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In appreciation of this work we ~~are~~ en-
closing a membership receipt for the balance of
this year.

Yours very truly,

Secretary

September 6, 1947

Meeting called to order by the President. Minutes of the previous meeting read and approved.

The President gave a brief history of the Club and it's activities and Henry Hering read the Constitution and By-Laws to the members present.

Mr. Ole Olsen was asked to report for the Athletic Committee, Mrs. Doocher on the Junior organization, Mary Chartrey on the lunch committee, Jim Harleman for the first picnic committee and Francis Cooper for the second picnic committee.

Bill Mann, Treasurer, reported that \$363.10 has been raised by the Club, \$54.57 paid out, and \$308.53 still on hand.

A motion was made and seconded that Ole Olsen take care of the baseball equipment for the Club at his home with the stipulation that he will not be responsible if his home is destroyed by fire.

President asked for suggestions for the winter program and Henry Hering moved that a committee be appointed to meet with the school board and work out a winter schedule. Those appointed were:

Mr. Henry Hering
Mr. Jim Harleman

Mr. Harleman asked if the members would be interested in having a Club night at the Portland baseball game. Henry Hering was appointed to get the tickets for all who wished to go to the game on Thursday, Sept. 11th.

Mr. Kummer stated that Mrs. Margaret Steinback was willing to teach knitting, crocheting or sewing to anyone interested - young or old.

The Treasurer reported on three bills - \$3.15 from Mary Oppenlander for records, approximately \$10.00 for the picnic and approximately \$10.00 for the Saturday night party held at the Gymn on Sept. 6th. Motion made and seconded that the Treasurer be instructed to pay these bills.

A proposed ammendment to the constitution was submitted by Ashley Jackson proposing to change the regular meeting night from the first Monday to the first Saturday of each month.

A discussion was held as to whether or not cards should be sent out for meeting notices and a motion was made by Mr. Harleman and seconded that cards be sent out for special meetings only.

No further business, meeting adjourned.

Evelyn M. Turk, Secretary

Route 2, Box 46
Cornelius, Oregon
Sept 16, 1947

Mr. Henry Hering
Cornelius, Oregon

Dear Mr. Hering,

The Board of Directors of School Dist. #2 has decided that the Recreation Club may use the School Gym two nights a week, on Tuesday and Thursday. If the School should at any time need the Gym on either of these nights, the School shall have first right to same.

The Recreation Club is to assume responsibility for cleaning the Gym after use by the Club and for any damage which it might incur.

Very truly yours,

Emelia L. Jaenicke

Clerk of School Dist. #2

October 6, 1947 .

Meeting called to order by the President and minutes of the September meeting read and approved.

Henry Hering reported on the committee meeting with the School Board; stating that the Board had offered the use of the Gymn to the Recreation Club for two nights a week (Tuesdays & Thursdays) - the Club to be responsible for any damage and the cleaning up and the school to have first right to the Gymn if needed on either of these two nights.

Motion made and seconded that this offer be accepted. Carried.

President stated that Mr. and Mrs. Harleman were interested in supervising the Winter program. Mr. Jackson made a motion that the winter program be supervised and that a supervisor be hired for the girls and for the boys. Motion seconded and carried.

A motion was made and seconded that Mr. and Mrs. Harleman be accepted as Supervisors - Mrs. Harleman for the girls on Tuesday nights and Mr. Harleman for the boys on Thursday nights between the hours of 7 and 9 o'clock.

For the protection of the Club in case of an accident, a motion was made and seconded that all children of non-members be required to have a form signed by their parents before being allowed to take part in the winter sport program at the Gymn.

Mr. Kummer stated that Herbert Rasmussen was in favor of the Club holding a Halloween party for the children of the town. It was decided that the Club in conjunction with the school hold a Carnival at the School Gymn on Friday night, October 31st.

A motion was made and seconded that the President appoint a committee from the Club to meet with the school teachers to make plans for the Carnival. Those appointed to this committee were:

Mr. & Mrs. Herbert Rasmussen
Mr. & Mrs. Gene Hillis
Mr. & Mrs. John Oppenlander
Rev. Armin Reitz

A motion was made by Evelyn Jackson that cards be mailed out to members as meeting notices and that she would help to address same.

Treasurer's report showing \$287.66 on hand read.

The Amendment to change the meeting night from Monday to Saturday night read for the second reading.

No further business the meeting adjourned.

Evelyn M. Turk, Secretary

November 3, 1947

President called the meeting to order and minutes of the previous meeting read and approved.

Mr. H. Rasmussen reported on the Carnival stating that \$220.20 was the net profit from the Carnival.

Motion made by Ole Olson and seconded by Mrs. Hall that letters of thanks be written to Campfire girls, Boy Scouts, teachers, and Mrs. Joy McCormick, fortune teller, for helping to make the carnival a success.

Gene Hillis, Herb Rasmussen, Ashley Jackson and Charles Munford gave their ideas on how to improve the carnival for another year.

Motion made and seconded that Bill Mann see Mrs. Shaver about her expenses for the Mystery House and pay her what is due.

Mr. and Mrs. Harleman reported that their play nights at the Gymn were a success both as to attendance and a good time.

Bill Mann reported that he, Hank Hering and Mr. Jim Harleman met with the City Council and received approximately \$60.00 for recreational equipment.

A motion was made and seconded that the \$220.20 cleared from the Carnival be retained in a separate fund by the Club until such time as enough money is raised for a motion picture projector to be used by both school and Club. Motion carried.

Motion made by Herb Rasmussen that the President appoint a nominating committee to prepare a slate of candidates for election at the December meeting. Motion seconded by John Ruth and carried. Nominating committee:

1. Mr. & Mrs. Frank Doohar
2. Mr. & Mrs. Henry Hoffman
3. Mr. & Mrs. Clarence Christiansen, Chairman
- 4.

Motion made and seconded that the Treasurer be instructed to pay the Supervisors each month without it being voted upon at each meeting. Motion carried.

Mrs. Harleman asked if the membership would be interested in sponsoring a home talent play or a minstrel show as a money making scheme.

Motion made and seconded that a committee be appointed to check into this matter as well as a director for same and to report at the December meeting. Those appointed were:

Mrs. Mary Harleman, Chairman
Mrs. Rhea Hall
Mrs. Alice Olsen
Mr. Ashley Jackson

C O P Y

Mrs. Armin Reitz, Leader
Campfire Girls
Cornelius, Oreg.

Dear Mrs. Reitz:

The members of the Cornelius Community
Recreation Club wish to extend their thanks to
you, your assistant leader and your Campfire
Girls for their help in making the fish pond a
success at the Carnival.

Yours very truly

Secretary

December 1, 1947

Meeting called to order by the President. Minutes of the previous meeting read and approved.

Mr. Leonard Opheim, Chairman of the card party committee, reported that a net profit of \$68.03 was made from the party.

Mrs. M. Harleman reported that her committee had obtained some excellent material for a minstrel show. Motion made by Margarette Dooher and seconded by Clarence Christiansen that the Club sponsor a minstrel show starting work on same after first of year. Motion amended by C. Christiansen that the standing committee go ahead with the show. Seconded by Bill Mann and carried.

Gene Hillis reported that a new bus shelter had been built and asked if the Club would be willing to be responsible for its up-keep. He suggested that the name of the Club should be painted on the shelter as an advertisement for the Club. Motion made by Mrs. Annie Allen and seconded by Mrs. Mary Wyffles that the Club take charge of the station and have its name painted on same. Motion carried.

Mrs. John Ruth asked if the Club members would like to take the children of the town and go Christmas caroling. Mr. Kummer asked Mrs. Ruth to be responsible for this undertaking.

Meeting turned over to Clarence Christiansen, Chairman of the nominating committee, who presented the membership with a slate of candidates for election at the annual meeting.

PRESIDENT:

Jim Harleman
Gene Hillis
Mary Oppenlander
Clara Hering

VICE PRESIDENT:

Mrs. Frank Dooher
Mrs. Harold Kummer
Rev. Elmer Claycamp
Mary Chartrey

SECRETARY:

Mrs. Frank Turk
Mr. Herbert Rasmussen
John Ruth
Mrs. Helen Uhlir

TREASURER:

William Mann
Leonard Opheim
Rev. Armin Reitz
Joe Haynes

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

Mr. & Mrs. Ole Olsen
Leonard Sticka
John Buchanan
Clarence Christiansen
Carl Hoffman
Ashley Jackson

There being no new nominations a motion was made and seconded that the nominations be closed. Carried.

Motion made and passed that we pay the janitor \$5.00 for his work at the Gymn the nights of the carnival and card party.

Treasurer's report read showing a net of \$300.69 in the general fund and \$220.20 in projector fund.

No further business the meeting was adjourned and Herbert Rasmussen entertained the members with a moving picture show.

Evelyn M. Turk, Secretary

VICE PRESIDENT:

Mrs. Frank Ducker
Mrs. Harold Kerner
Rev. Walter Ostrom
Mary Garter

TREASURER:

William Mann
Leonard O'Brien
Rev. Anna Reitz
Joe Rayner

PRESIDENT:

Jim Hartman
Gene Hillis
Mary Opendlander
Clara Hering

SECRETARY:

Mrs. Frank Turk
Mr. Herbert Rasmussen
John Ruth
Mrs. Helen Miller

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

Mrs. A. E. Olsen
Leonard O'Brien
John Ostrom
Clarence Ostrom
Earl Ostrom
Askel Jackson

ANNUAL REPORT

The Recreation Club was organized on April 23rd at the City Hall for the purpose of providing the community with recreation activities.

Harold Kummer was elected President, Margarett Docher, Vice President, Bill Mann, Treasurer and Evelyn Turk, Secretary.

The new President appointed a committee of four with Henry Hering as Chairman, to draw up Constitution and By-Laws.

May 1st: A special meeting was held on May 1st when the new Constitution and By-Laws were adopted and the name CORNELIUS COMMUNITY RECREATION CLUB was voted to be the name of the club.

Nominations were in order for 3 members to the Executive Board and FRANK DOCHER, MABEL BEAN & HENRY HERING were elected.

MAY 5th: The first regular meeting of the Club was held at the School Gym.

President appointed membership and athletic committees. Also one for investigating the cost and laying out of a tennis court.

At this meeting it was voted to hold a dance & sell lunch on Sat. night, May 17th and a dance & lunch committee were appointed.

JUNE 2nd. Chairmen of the dance, lunch, & membership committees reported. It was moved to sponsor a junior organization and Mrs. MARGARETTE DOCHER was appointed chairman of a committee to organize the junior club.

HENRY HERING suggested that everyone including the children meet at the School grounds each Wednesday evening of June for the purpose of organizing baseball practice and preparing the grounds.

JULY 7TH: It was voted at this meeting to continue the Wednesday nite baseball games through the summer season.

Mr. Harleman asked that the Club sponsor a picnic the last Sunday in July and a committee of 5 with Mr. Harleman as chairman was appointed.

AUGUST 4TH:

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It was voted that the September meeting be held on Saturday evening September 6th and that it be a joint meeting of the junior and senior clubs.

SEPTEMBER 6th: President asked for suggestions for the winter program. HENRY HERING AND JIM HARLEMAN were appointed to meet with the School Board to work out a winter schedule.

Mr. Harleman suggested a club night at the Portland baseball games. It was voted on and HENRY HERING was appointed to get tickets for all who wished to go.

A proposed ammendment to the constitution was submitted by ASHLEY JACKSON proposing to change the regular meeting night from the first Monday to the first S TURDAY of each month.

OCTOBER 6TH: HENRY HERING reported on the meeting with the School Board stating that the board had offered the use of the Gymn to the Club for two nights a week (Tuesdays & Thursdays) the club to be responsible for any damage and the cleaning up and the school to have first right to the Gymn if needed on either of these two nights. This offer was accepted.

Mr. & Mrs. JIM HARLEMAN were elected to serve as SUPERVISORS at this meeting - MRS. HARLEMAN to supervisor girl's night on Tuesdays and Mr. HARLEMAN boys night on THURSDAYS.

It was decided that the Club in conjunction with the school hold a ~~night~~ HALLOWEEN carnival on Friday night, October 31st. A committee was appointed to meet with the teachers to plan for the Carnival.

A motion was made by EVELYN JACKSON that cards be mailed out to members as meeting notices and that she would help to address same.

NOVEMBER 3RD: Herbert Rasmussen reported for the Carnival committee stating that \$220.20 was cleared. It was decided that this money be retained in a separate fund by the Club until such time as enough money is raised for a motion picture projector to be used by both Club and School.

It was moved that a nominating committee be appointed to prepare a slate of candidates for election at the January meeting

~~MRS MARY HARLEMAN was appointed chairman of a committee to present a Minstrel show sometime after the first of the year~~

The proposed amendment for changing the meeting night was voted on and defeated

Mr. & MRS. LEONARD OPHEIM were appointed as chairman of a committee to make plans for a CARD PARTY to be sponsored by the Club on November 22, at the gymnasium

DECEMBER 1ST. MRS. MARY HARLEMAN WAS appointed chairman of a committee to present a Minstrel show sometime after the first of the year.

GENE HILLIS asked the membership if they would be willing to be responsible for the up-keep of the new bus shelter and suggested that the name of the Club be painted on the shelter as sponsors. The offer was accepted.

Meeting turned over to CLARENCE CHRISTIANSEN, Chairman of the nominating committee who presented a slate of candidates for election at the January Meeting

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Mrs. John Ruth was appointed in charge of the Christmas caroling .

President's Report for 1947
Cornelius Community Recreation Club.

This Club was started by a group of Cornelius Citizens who recognized the need for supervised recreation for the children of the Cornelius Community, not just the city of Cornelius. Twenty one families were represented at the first meeting to draw up a Constitution and by-laws, also to elect officers. At the present time there are sixty families represented in the Club.

One regular meeting a month has been held since the by-laws were adopted, with new members attending each meeting. Many details had to be attended to in order that the Club could grow and accomplish what it had set out to do. A meeting place had to be found; playgrounds acquired; work on grounds to get them in shape after the cooperation of the school board was obtained; Money to buy equipment had to be raised. This was done by dances, card parties and new members. Many activities for adult and children were held. Evening ball playing and Picnics on Sundays made our Community

one in which the next door neighbor really became your neighbor instead of a stranger.

As time went on and the Club saw the winter activities coming on and more money would be needed, the city budget committee was asked to put in the budget an appropriation for play equipment. The committee did this and \$200⁰⁰ was voted by the city for use by the recreation Club. So far very little of this \$200⁰⁰ has been used and should be before the next budget. It is my belief that our City Government has a place in our recreation program and it is their duty to support our program or one of their own.

Most of our townspeople have been very good supporters of our program even if they are not members and have recognized the good we have done. There are many of the boys and girls we have not been able to get to take an active part, their parents haven't taken part either. Our project for the coming year should include getting parents and children alike interested.

Our Club is only eight short months old. During its young life it has accomplished

a big lot for our Community. The first assignment was our evening recreation from 6:30 until dark on Wednesday nites. This continued until school started. This project was handled by a very capable athletic Committee. Two dances were given to obtain funds to pay for equipment. These functions also were put on by very capable Committees. Two picnics on Sundays for members and friends, these picnic Committees seemed to know what people really wanted for a real good picnic. A large party for members, families and friends was held in the school gym, about 200 attended this function. A Carnival was held to raise money for a movie projector and also to entertain the children on Halloween. This was a real success with the School Teachers, school children, Campfire girls & boy Scouts cooperating with the Clubs Committees. Our winter supervised program, which is running two nights each week for children and grown ups is a marked success. A Card party given in the fall by a hard working Committee was an example of the Cooperation in our Club. A minstrel show now in the making and is shaping up very nicely.

Every member is expected to support the Club as Committee workers when appointed and needed. Every member to his assignment and did his or her best to fulfill the assignment given them. Some just seemed to fit in as if it was their everyday work. Your board of directors fulfilled their duties exceptionally well. If this cooperation is continued our coming year cannot help but be a complete success.

Pres 1947

Harold N. Kummer