

**TOWN OF HENNIKER
CONCERT COMMITTEE
Draft Minutes**

Thursday, February 18, 2010
At the Henniker Community Center

Members present: Tom Dunn, Ruth Zax, Blithe Damour, Betty Watman and Cathy Dias.

One of the goals for the evening was to listen to some sample music of potential performers for the concert series. We were able to listen to two performers, however, technical difficulties made continuation of the process impossible. Tom will burn a CD of some of the groups; others have links, which we will use to listen to their music. Therefore, decision making in this area has been deferred to a later meeting.

The 2010 concert series will have a total of twelve shows, eleven summer concerts and one Holiday concert. We had previously chosen five performers to return. One of those groups has decided not to return.

We had a brief discussion of the December 2009 Holiday concert.

We discussed the venue for rain date concerts. Currently, the Henniker Community Center is used if necessary. Although the location is great, it is not ideal due to issues of ventilation and acoustics. We have considered contacting representatives of NEC to discuss the possibility of utilizing the Simon Center as our rain event venue. We also decided to have a conversation with members of the Community Center Committee to see if there is a possibility of adding ventilation to the building.

July 4, 2010 will be the date for our Family concert this summer. Ruth will speak with Terri Trier to discuss the possibility of a joint effort for this event. We will perhaps solicit vendors and performers thru the Henniker Outlook.

The minutes of the October 22, 2009 meeting were approved unanimously as amended. The next meeting will be held on March 25th at 7:00pm at the Henniker Community Center. The meeting adjourned at 8:30pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Cathy Dias
Secretary, Henniker Concert Committee
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