Report to the Board 20240624 from the Social Commission

The Social Commission continues preparations for Park Tower's Annual Independence Day Picnic. Wristband distribution continues through Management's generous support both inperson and via email.

So far we have 5 coolers to be lent for the party and we need 5 more. Many volunteers have stepped forward. As of June 22nd, we have 82 volunteer positions filled by 39 volunteers and 17 positions yet to fill. We're on the way to having enough coolers and volunteers but we need more.

Please step forward if you haven't already and encourage your neighbors too so too. We will not be able to successfully put on this party without filling these missing coolers and volunteers.

The party will be in our Party Room and Deck on July 4th to synchronize with the beautiful fireworks put on by our neighbors, The Saddle and Cycle Club. The hours are 5:30-8:30 pm. Entrance is free to owners and registered residents but wristbands are required. Guests are not free but are discounted through the end-of-day June 25th. The 25th is not chosen randomly but because on the 26th we need to put in all of our food orders based on the number of people who have signed up by then. That number is critical to figuring out how much food to buy and to not run short.

Wristbands are available, in person and via email, now through July 3^{rd} at 10 am through Management. After that wristbands are available on July 4^{th} at our Lobby Table, 5:30-8:00 pm. Guest wristbands via Management may be paid for with a check or added to your monthly assessment. On July 4^{th} we will accept cash only.

New this year will be 2 food lines, in order to speed things up, that will be primarily self-serve. Also new is that volunteers who work during party hours are welcome to eat early, by reservation, 4:30-5:15.

For more details, see me after tonight's meeting, see our flyers on the bulletin boards, our enlarged flyers by the front desk, notices in Management's *Weekly News & Updates* or join our email list by emailing us at ptcasocial@rcn.com.

The next meeting of the Commission will be Monday, July 15, 7pm on Zoom, at which time we'll review the picnic and plan for next year's activities.

There is a monthly Game Night organized by Shira Behal that meets the first Tuesday of every month in the Atrium at 6pm. This event is not organized by the Social Commission but we do support it and are thankful to Shira Behal for organizing it.

Sincerely submitted, Sheldon Atovsky, Acting Chair Social Committee Park Tower Condominium Association