

RECREATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE MINUTES
Regular Meeting

June 19, 2012

The Recreation Advisory Committee held a regular meeting on June 19, 2012 at 7:10 p.m. at the Municipal Building, 150 Kennedy Rd. Tranquility NJ 07879.

ROLL CALL: Peg Phillips, Patty DeClesis, Brad Jones, Jim DeYoung, Chris Bilik, Brenda Grasso and Gladys Golder

Members present: Patty DeClesis, Jim DeYoung, Gladys Golder, Brenda Grasso, and Chris Bilik. Also present was Christine Licata, Secretary. Peg Phillips was excused on motion made by Gladys Golder, second by Brenda Grasso, approved by all, motion passed. Brad Jones was excused on motion made by Jim DeYoung second by Gladys Golder, approved by all, motion passed.

MINUTES: Approval of Minutes of May 15, 2012.

Minutes of May 15, 2012: A motion to accept the minutes was made by Jim DeYoung. Gladys Golder second the motion. Vote: All ayes.

NEW BUSINESS:

1. Discussions

a. Movie in the Park

- Logistically everything went well.
- The weather was good. About 70 people attended the movie.
- The committee feels the short notice could have impacted the amount of people in attendance.
- The concession broke even. The committee has decided to add Hot Coco for the next movie. The popcorn machine worked well. It was suggested to either use a big bag or charge a \$1.00 or the small bag and charge \$.50. There were some complaints regarding the cost of the popcorn.
- The next Movie in the Park will be August 25th.
- Jim will send the information out to the movie companies.
- Some movie suggestions were: Happy Feet 2. Narnia, Adventures of TinTin, and E.T. Jim will send an email for all to vote on the movie.
- Christine will inform Lake Tranquility of the movie title and date so they don't end up showing the same movie.

b. Green Township Day

- September 22nd from 11:00- 3:30pm
- Rock Climbing Wall- no update- Jim would like a better understanding of the proof of Insurance and the hold harmless.
- Mark Ghia- Patty still working on the insurance information with Mark.

- Vendor table- Christine will invite Janice to the July meeting.
- St. Barnabas Smoke House-Christine will find out from Linda Peralta if they need a certificate of Insurance or Hold Harmless.
- Top O NJ- The committee asked if they can continue to fly throughout the day then possibly do a big show @ 1:00pm. Christine will contact them to find out.
- NJ Search and Rescue: No update. Still need contact information.
- Equine Tranquility Wellness Center- Christine will reach out to Colleen to see if she is still interesting in coming.
- Parking- No Update
- Fire Safety Smoke House- all scheduled. Chris Bilik talked to the Chief of the FD to have some guys to help man. He informed Chris that the FD is at their disposal for the day.
- Patty will talk to Hannah about making hoops for Green Township Day. The winner of the contest will get to keep the hoop.
- The committee would like the July meeting to focus on the set up of Green Township Day.

c. Summer Rec

- There are 63 kids currently signed up.
- Brenda will meet the road dept on June 29th to move supplies to the school.
- Brenda will like a write up of the expenses so she can figure out what she can pay the counselors.
- Brenda mentioned that there was @ \$1500.00 left from last year and wanted to make sure she could spend that money. Christine will double check with Linda Padula.
- Christine will check with Linda Padula to verify if the town or if Rec pays for the insurance.
- Christine will talk with Linda Padula to see when she needs the payroll information from Brenda.
- Brenda would like to use the popcorn machine for movie day. There was not objection from the committee.
- Brenda will use the leftover ice cream from the ice cream social. Chris will keep it in the freezer at his store and bring it up to the school.

d. Miss Green/Ice Cream Social

- Katie Wall was the only contestant and crowned Miss Green.
- The committee needs to discuss setting a better date so that it doesn't interfere with proms, and exams.
- Other than Katie's family members, the seniors were the only ones there for Miss Green and the Ice Cream Social.

e. Camelbeach Waterpark Day Trip

- Reserved for August 29th.
- 20 or more people, the cost is \$22.99
- The event is posted on the website and flyers are posted at Town Hall, the Tranquility Post office, and the Park. Christine will give Chris Bilik a flyer to post in the store.

f. Other

- There was discussion of purchasing a freezer for the pavilion. The committee would like to look into the cost.
- Chris Bilik brought up the idea of the GTSC-Booster Club to the Recreation Committee. The committee would be able to reserve the pavilion any day that it is not being used by anyone else. The Booster club would sell concessions during events at the park. Chris believes this could generate a lot of revenue. Chris mentioned the Booster Club would need to have someone manage the pavilion and that this should be a paid position. Brenda expressed interest in the position. The Booster club would be run through the GTSC. To get started, they would have to set up a bank account and ask the Township Committee if they can store stuff at the pavilion and for some start up money.

The next regular meeting will be held on July 17, 2012 at 7:00 p.m.

Upon motion duly made and a vote of all ayes, the meeting was adjourned at 8:15 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Christine Licata
Secretary

Date approved