

RECREATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE MINUTES
Regular Meeting – Virtual Meeting
October 19, 2021

The Recreation Advisory Committee held a regular meeting on October 19, 2021 at the Municipal Building, 150 Kennedy Road. The meeting began at 7:13pm.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Colleen McLean, Patty DeClesis, Brad Jones and Cyndy Devesly

MINUTES: N/A

ACTIVITY UPDATE:

Green Township Day – The event went well with about 350-400 people in attendance. There were issues with the attendants from Any Excuse for a Party which ran the Mini Golf and the Ax Throwing. Colleen suggested changing the parking areas. The mini golf was not well attended but we believe if it is moved to a different area next year it may get better foot traffic. We will contact Lisa from Chef's as soon as the date for Green Township Day is set at the Reorganization meeting.

Drive In Movie – This event was postponed and will be rescheduled at a later date. We will try for November if not, then it will be done in the spring.

NEW BUSINESS:

Card Club – This event was discussed and will be part of the Recreation Committee moving forward. A hold Harmless will be signed by each member that attends.

Letters to Santa – This event will begin on November 22nd and run through December 17th. No letters can be guaranteed to arrive by Christmas Eve after that date.

Gingerbread in a Bag – This event was discussed and Brad will get the gingerbread house kits for \$5.00. The bag will also contain an ornament craft. These bags will be put together at the November meeting.

Tree Lighting – Tree Lighting will be held on December 5th at 4:30pm. There will be hot cocoa and cookies along with a small giveaway for the kids after meeting Santa. The GTFD has confirmed Santa will be available. We will not be renting heaters this year and DPW will be given the date to get the lights up in time. Colleen will be calling the schools to look for students to sing.

House Decorating Contest –The Rec Committee meeting will be moved to December 14th and the judging for this contest will take place that night after the meeting. The prizes will be \$25 Shoprite gift cards for the top three houses.

Budget – Kim will request an increase in the budget by \$500 for the Gingerbread, Green Township Day and Entertainment in the Park accounts.

MATTERS FROM RECREATION COMMITTEE MEMBERS:

Patty asked about a trip for adults/seniors for next year. She will look into the options.

The bicentennial is coming up in 2024 and a committee needs to be formed with representatives from the Rec Committee, Historical Society, DPW, Township Committee and Seniors. We will need to think about anyone else to bring in for this committee since it will be the largest event Green has had.

After a motion to adjourn by Patty and a second by Cyndy this meeting was adjourned at 7:56pm.

Respectfully Submitted,



Kim Mantz

Recreation Secretary

Date approved: 1.18.22