RECREATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE MINUTES Regular Meeting – Virtual Meeting May 18, 2021

The Recreation Advisory Committee held a regular meeting on May 18, 2021 virtually through Go To Meeting and it began at 7:03pm.

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

MINUTES: Approval of Regular Minutes of April 20, 2021.

Patty made a motion to accept the minutes and Brad seconded. All Ayes. No discussion.

Robert Bozzone from Green Township joined the meeting.

OLD BUSINESS: None

NEW BUSINESS:

<u>Miss Green</u> – The Recreation Committee determined it was too late to change Miss Green to a live event. The decision to do a virtual event was made in the beginning of the year because there was still so much uncertainty about what was going to happen and whether everything was going to open up in time. Miss Green will go on as scheduled.

<u>Green Township Day</u> – Green Township Day was approved by the Township Committee and will be held on September 25th. The Rec Committee will proceed to plan this event as if everything will be open and all mandates lifted. If changes need to be made to accommodate any restrictions, they will be done on an as needed basis.

There was a brief discussion about bringing in food trucks along with Chef's to help ease the lines and spread people out a little more.

Patty will look into Chef's for that date. Colleen will look into a food truck and will check into whether the school would like to sell the drinks again this year.

Vendors will be invited back.

We will rent an open-air obstacle course instead of a bounce house.

We will rent 18 holes of mini golf from a company in RI this year to offer something new.

The dunk tank will be skipped this year because the water is so cold.

The DJ will remain the same.

No cotton candy but we will still do FREE popcorn.

Kim reached out to Janice Ferguson of pixie painters but is still waiting to hear back from her.

Kim suggested Classic Cars as an additional option. Brad will look into finding a car club.

Robert Bozzone left the meeting.

The soccer kick and basketball free throw will be discontinued because it is difficult to find volunteers, the hula hoop contest will remain.

Kim will ask Dawn Costello of the Weekend Bag program to run the games tent. The Rec Committee will help set everything up and provide the prizes. They can have a box for donations.

Kim will check with Pub 517 to see if they still want to run the Corn Hole Contest.

Patty will check with Western Hills to see if they would like to run the whiffle ball contest again.

Kim will send out email to all the vendors from 2019.

Information tent will remain.

Patty will send an email to Kevin Conn from the Historical Society.

Letters will go out to all the businesses in town promoting the vendor/information tables.

<u>Neighbors Teaching Neighbors</u> – Kim still has not received any information from Yvonne for her class so this event is shaping up to be more of a winter event and will be tabled until next month.

Kim announced the Township Committee wants all meeting to be in person from here on out so the June meeting will be in person.

MATTERS FROM RECREATION COMMITTEE MEMBERS: None

After a motion to adjourn by Patty and a second by Cyndy this meeting was adjourned at 7:51pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Kim Mantz Recreation Secretary

Date approved: