# TOWN OF CLINTON Recreation Commission Meeting Minutes

June 18, 2020

#### **Members Present**

Brad Cohen MaryAnn Shea Meghan Johnson

Nancy Smith Paul Arnold Dave Kelleher

Lisa Intrabartola Fran Daley

Minutes were approved by Nancy and seconded by Dave

#### **Drive-In Movie**

Scheduled for Saturday August 22<sup>nd</sup> at Hunt's Mill Park. The sub-committee used google maps to determine field layout. The recommendation is to limit the number of cars to 100. We will charge \$25 per car. The cost to run the event is approximately \$2800. We are looking for a sponsor to cover the cost. The builder for the old A&P lot will be approached to see if they're interested. Any monies we would make on the event would go to the Open Cupboard Food Pantry. The Buildings and Grounds Committee need to be consulted regarding parking cars on the grass and the use of the bathrooms. We have committed to a company to run the event and did not need to make a deposit. The start time for the movie will be 15 minutes after sunset. No food will be offered at the event. The movie selection will be dictated by Swank unless Janice is able to help us with other connections. We will use Eventbrite for the advance purchase of tickets which will include a fee. The event will be limited to the Town of Clinton residents and possibly Glen Gardner.

### Field Requests

Clinton Miller's Baseball, West Jersey Baseball and Jessica Miller's Special Needs Fitness Event

Approval by Lisa and seconded by Fran

These organizations will need to provide proof of insurance and they need to be notified that there will be no bathrooms available

## **New Business**

The new form on the Town of Clinton Website should now be used for all field and facility requests. Janice and Rich Phelan are to approve Kaitlyn in the municipal office being the point person for

maintaining the calendar for all requests. There will be an email blast sent out to make residents aware of the ability to reserve the fields and parking lots for outdoor activities.

Meghan announced that the Freeholders have approved the open space grants for the town. This money is approximately \$120,000. Kathy will be setting up a new bank account for these funds. We will form a new subcommittee to get things started. Meghan, Lisa, Fran and MaryAnn have joined. We will ask community members to be involved as well. The engineers will make a proposal to the community at a future date.

Meghan also announced that the governor has approved fireworks displays. She will check with the mayor about this option and whether we can consider planning an event for July.

Dave spoke about the success and great turnout for the CPS 8<sup>th</sup> grade graduation parade. The idea was presented that perhaps we could sponsor this in subsequent years. He is going to inquire about the cost.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:37.

The next meeting will be June 16th at 7:30pm.