

## **BOARD OF RECREATION COMMISSIONERS**

**March 21, 2019**

### **Members Present:**

Megan Johnson  
Mary Ann Shea  
Nancy Smith  
David Kelleher

Lisa Intrabartola  
Sean Rogan  
Fran Daley  
Brad Cohen

Sean opened the meeting at 7:30 pm

### **MINUTES**

Motion by Fran Daley, seconded by Sean Rogan, to approve the minutes of the February 21<sup>st</sup>, 2019 meeting. Vote all ayes, motion carried.

### **SUMMER RECREATION**

Megan, Lisa and Fran said there was a lot of chatter about the Summer Recreation Program as a result of the postings online. Lisa said most of the responses said they were looking for full day programs and she had been in touch with Camp Carr to perhaps partner with them. This idea would be for next year. Many responses said they were satisfied with the 9-12 program.

The Board of Education has approved the Sports Camp to run right after Summer Recreation.

### **SENIOR LUNCHEON**

The Senior Luncheon will be held on Sunday, May 5<sup>th</sup>, 2019 at the Clinton Fire House and Dino from the Towne Restaurant will again provide the meal. Dave will follow through with Dino about transporting the food. The Commission members will meet at 11 am to set up the tables and chairs at the Fire House. The letters will go out in April.

A Greet & Meet will be held at 12:30 pm with punch, fruit platters, cheese and crackers. The luncheon will be served at 1:00 pm.

Nancy will contact ShopRite about the hanging baskets and Mary Ann offered to pick them up. Nancy will shop for the tablecloths, plates, silverware, glasses, hot cups, napkins, tea and coffee

### **TENNIS PROGRAM**

Lisa spoke with the coach at North Hunterdon and Brad will work with him.

### **TOWN PICNIC**

Megan said that volunteers are needed to ask Town merchants for prizes for the Bake-Off Contest. Megan offered to contact Just Chill and Grounded for Life Cafe; David said he would contact Towne Restaurant and the Bike Shop; Mary Ann said she would contact Greens & Beans and Pru Ti; Sean said he would contact Citi Spot and Clinton Burger.

### **COMMUNITY CENTER PLAYGROUND**

Art Dysart sent an email stating that Fibar is needed at the playground and he would like to order a truckload. He asked if the Parks & Recreation Commission is still willing to pay for half of the cost as they have in the past.

Brad Cohen made a motion, seconded by Nancy Smith, to authorize the Parks & Recreation Commission to pay for half of the cost of the Fibar replenishment. Vote all ayes, motions carried.

Megan said that the Council approved our request to use Suburban Engineering for the redesign of the Community Center Playground. She is investigating the possibility of a grant from the Highlands, there is \$113,000 County Open Space Funds that is earmarked for the Town of Clinton.

#### **REQUESTS FOR COMMUNITY CENTER**

The following requests were approved:

1. Matthew Loscialo – Tricky Tray – Friday, May 17<sup>th</sup>, 4:00 pm – 10:00 pm
2. Walter Wilson – Special Olympics Basketball Practice – Sunday, March 24<sup>th</sup>, 1:00-3:00 pm

#### **FIELD REQUESTS – Gebhardt Field**

No requests received.

#### **VOUCHERS FOR APPROVAL**

Mendham Garden Center	3 Bales of Hay (Bonfire)	18-200-56-857-2-300	\$ 21.00
Amazon	22 Inch Glow Sticks (Bonfire And Town Picnic)	18-200-56-857-2-300	\$ 169.99

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

1. Town Dinner, April 5, 2019. Members were asked to respond to the Town Clerk by March 29<sup>th</sup>.
2. Paul Arnold was introduced and expressed his interest in becoming a member of the Commission.
3. Sean asked that we think about how we do business, for example the Tennis Program. Brad said he thought the idea that each member be responsible to run one event was a good plan.
4. Sean said that the Girl Scout Troop is using our projector on 3/29/19 for their movie night.

#### **ALTERNATE #2 POSITION**

Brad Cohen made a motion, seconded by Dave Kelleher, to recommend to the Mayor & Council the appointment of Paul C. Arnold as Alternate #2 on the Board of Recreation Commissioners. Vote all ayes, motion carried.

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

The meeting was adjourned at 8:33 pm. The next meeting will be held on April 18<sup>th</sup>, 2019 at 7:30 pm, at the Town of Clinton Municipal Building.

Respectfully submitted,

*Nancy E. Smith*