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PARKS & RECREATION MEETING

August 25, 2014

CALL TO ORDER

Chairwoman Jane Mitchell called the meeting to order at 6:03pm at the Dickinson Township Municipal Building located at 219 Mountain View Road in Mount Holly Springs, PA 17065.

ROLL CALL - The following were present for the meeting: Jane Mitchell, Beth Kikla, Molly Baehr, and Stephen Luckie.

VISITORS - Denise Gembusia

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE - Those present recited the pledge of allegiance.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES – A motion was made by Beth Kikla to approve the July 28, 2014 minutes, Jane Mitchell seconded and the minutes were approved.

FINANCIAL STATUS - The account balance is \$71,970.81 with no accounts payable.

OLD BUSINESS

1. There are 4 (soon to be 6) vacancies on the Park & Recreation Board

Michelle Line was named as a possible lead for board member.

2. Fall Yard Sale

The fall Yard sale will be held September 13 at Stuart Park. Bill Rodier will take the lead, and Jane Mitchell will be there to help.

3. Fall Harvest Event

The Fall Harvest Event will be held October 25, from 2-4pm.

4. 2015 Draft Budget

Jane Mitchell motioned to approve the 2015 P&R Budget to be taken to the Board of Supervisors for approval and Beth Kikla seconded the motion.

5. Posting and Signage at Stuart Park

The posted signs are currently on back order. The park rules to be posted will need to be abridged to be readable and fit on a sign.

6. Final Report for Ice Cream Social Event

221 Tickets were redeemed at the Ice Cream Social. The cost was \$629.

NEW BUSINESS

1. Additional Event

Jane Mitchell received an email from Board Supervisor, Bob Wrightstone, about a potential event for 2015. The event is “Backyard Forestry” with Guest speaker Dr. Jim Finley from Penn State. No date has been nailed down, but possibly March 12, 2015. Jane Mitchell will pass on that the P&R Board will be happy to work with him and the Cumberland Woodland Owners Association to have the event in March in lieu of the Gardening Seminar event.

2. Finalize Event Schedule for first half of 2015

January 15 – Bowling 6-8pm (Thursday)

February 19 – Skating 6:30-8:30pm (Thursday)

April 18 – Spring Yard Sale (Saturday)

May 9 – Fishing Derby (Saturday)

3. Report on plans for water and possible restrooms for Stuart Park

Board of Supervisors gave the green light for possible restroom facilities at Stuart Park.

4. Any other New Business

- a. Possible change to the Park & Rec Board Meeting time to 5:00 in January. All present P&R Board members are able to make a 5:00 meeting.
- b. The newly planted trees at Lindenwood Park need protection from deer. Beth Kikla has mesh that she is willing to donate. The plastic mesh will wrap around the trees to protect the bark.

ANY OTHER DISCUSSION & ADJOURNMENT

Next Meeting will Monday, September 22, 2014 @ 6pm.

Beth Kikla made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:47pm. The motion was seconded by Stephen Luckie and the motion passed unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,

Stephen Luckie, Secretary