

DTPR MINUTES

Dickinson Township Parks and Recreation Board

September 23, 2024, Dickinson Township Meeting Room
6:00 pm

Attendance

Board Members:

Chairwoman Julie Quigley, Vice Chair Ed Rosenberry, Mike Shenk, Henry Koch, Diane Gill

Staff:

Marge Bear

Visitors:

Marty Williams

The September 23, 2024, Parks and Recreation Board meeting was called to order at 6:00 by Chairwoman Quigley followed by Roll Call and the Pledge of Allegiance.

Opening Announcements

A reminder was said that more information about our community can be found on our website at www.dickinsonrtownship.org.

Agenda Approval

A motion was made by Ed Rosenberry and seconded by Mike Shenk and unanimously passed to approve the agenda.

Approval of Minutes

A motion was made by Mike Shenk and seconded by Henry Koch and unanimously passed to approve the August 26, 2024 minutes.

Public Comment - Agenda Items Only

There was a lengthy discussion on the Barnitz Mill, the work being done by Friends of Barnitz, the condition of the mill, the future options of the mill, the need for funding for the mill, and what direction will be taken to demolish, stabilize, renovate or restore the mill. The Friends of Barnitz have submitted an article to be placed in the fall newsletter, along with a link to a survey for community input.

A motion was made by Mike Shenk and seconded by Ed Rosenberry and unanimously passed to support the survey link being placed in the newsletter, pending a veto vote by the Board of Supervisors.

Financial Report

A motion was made by Ed Rosenberry and seconded by Chairwoman Quigley and unanimously passed to accept the financial report as provided.

Staff Reports Nothing to report

New Business/Request for Board Action

1. Bowling Event – A motion was made by Chairwoman Quigley and seconded by Diane Gill and unanimously passed to set the bowling event for February 6, 2025 at Midway Bowling, and to reserve ten (10) lanes with three time slots each at 5:30 PM, 6:30 PM, and 7:30 PM, at a cost of \$1,050. A limit of not to exceed \$2,000 was set, if the pre-registration indicates that additional lanes are needed. Pre-registration will end two weeks prior to the event. Mike Shenk will organize the lane assignments. The Board agreed to all wear the same color shirt with name tags to indicate their leadership at the event, since they do not currently have an official shirt. Mike suggested a member of the Park & Recreation Board should write a blurb for the newsletters.
2. Events for 2025 – A motion was made by Mike Shenk and seconded by Chairwoman Quigley and unanimously passed to hold three events in 2025. The winter event will be bowling. The spring event will be a combination of the yard sale, gardening seminar, and ice cream social. The fall event will be a combination of Heritage Day, fall fest, and possible yard sale. Cumberland County is celebrating their 275th Anniversary in 2025 which could be an opportunity to do something in conjunction with that.

Old Business

Closing Announcements Nothing to report

Public Comments - Non-Agenda Items Only No comments

The Board adjourned at 7:40 PM