#### RECREATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE MINUTES

Regular Meeting June 16, 2015

The Recreation Advisory Committee held a regular meeting on June 16, 2015 at 7:00p.m. at the Municipal Building, 150 Kennedy Rd. Tranquility NJ 07879.

**ROLL CALL:** Jim DeYoung, Peg Phillips, Patty DeClesis, Brad Jones, Brenda Grasso, Gladys Golder, and Colleen McLean.

Members present: Jim DeYoung, Patty DeClesis, Gladys Golder, and Colleen McLean. Also present was Christine Licata, Secretary. Members absent: Brad Jones, Brenda Grasso, and Peg Phillips.

**MINUTES:** Approval of Minutes of May 19, 2015.

Minutes of May 19, 2015: A motion to accept the minutes was made by P. DeClesis, second by G. Golder. Vote all ayes, motion passed.

#### **NEW BUSINESS:**

## 1. <u>Discussions</u>

- a. New Business
  - 1. No meeting in July
  - **b.** Unfinished Business
  - c. Activity Update

#### 1. Miss Green - recap

- The event went well. There were 4 contestants. Stephanie Amhad is Miss Green 2015. The contest ran efficiently by Kate and the judges. There were two judges this year.
- Next year will be Kate Mull's last year to run Miss Green. Kate has a person in mind and is preparing them to take over for an easy transition.
- C. McLean mention having Little Miss/Mister. P. DeClesis commented that it was brought up to Kate in the past but Kate did not to get involved as it gets very emotional to the littles when they don't win.

### 2. Summer Kickoff BBQ- recap

• 130 people signed and up and enjoyed the BBQ. A short thunderstorm passed through but it did not damper the event. Everyone seemed to enjoy the food, music and the crowning of Miss Green.

## 3. Summer Rec. - July 6-24th

• Currently 30 kids are signed up. P. DeClesis commented that parents approached B. Grasso at field day and mentioned they need to get their forms in.

- C. Licata mentioned that B. Grasso ordered and received supplies for Summer Rec.
- J. DeYoung commented that the committee should think about what a minimum number of participates should be to keep the event running.

### 4. Baseball Game – July 18<sup>th</sup>

- 100 tickets are available at Town Hall for purchase. The cost is \$8.00 a ticket.
- C. Licata will send the flyer to the school to be sent home.

## 5. Green Township Day- Sept. 19th- Time 1:00pm- 5:00pm

- J. DeYoung will reach out via email to the committee to outline the day and to make sure all are in agreement.
- Chef's is booked for the food and Kidz Play is booked for the inflatables.
- C. McLean confirmed that the football players and cheerleaders will run the games.
- 6<sup>th</sup> Grade is on board for selling drinks. If parents don't agree by Sept. 1<sup>st</sup>, C. McLean will move it to the 5<sup>th</sup> grade class to fundraise for their 7<sup>th</sup> grade trip.
- D. Miller has a DJ in place of him since the Firemen Convention is the same weekend.
- No watermelon contest this year.
- J. DeYoung will reserve the rentals at Sussex Rental this week.

### 6. Fall Yard Sale (October 3<sup>rd</sup>)

• No update at this time

## 7. Halloween Parade (October 25<sup>th</sup>)

• No update at this time.

# 8. Sands Casino Bus Trip (November 14th tentative)

• No update at this time.

### 9. Tree Lighting & Gingerbread Contest

• The idea is to expand the 20 minute tree lighting into a 2 hour event. More information to come in the upcoming meetings.

### g. Matters from the Recreation Committee

• C. Licata mention to the committee that resident Elizabeth Stroppa would be interested in teaching Yoga if Marybeth Holzhauer is no longer available or interested in doing it. P. DeClesis will reach out to Marybeth. C. Licata will follow up with E. Stroppa.

The next regular meeting will be held on August 18, 2015 at 7:00 p.m.

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Respectfully Submitted,	
Christine Licata	
Secretary	Date approved