

HAMBURG RECREATION COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES

March 20, 2018

OPEN MEETING / FLAG SALUTE

In accordance with the Open Public Meetings Act, with regards to notices, the regularly scheduled meeting of the Hamburg Recreation Commission was called to order at 7:00 PM., March 20, 2018 with a flag salute.

ROLL CALL

Present: Paula Marino, Joyce Oehler, Sam Villagomez, Suzette Villagomez

Absent: Tara Scrittore

Also Present: Kathy Garrett, Councilman Chris Fitzpatrick

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Motion by Paula Marino, seconded by Sam Villagomez to approve the February 20, 2018 Regular Meeting Minutes. All members present in favor. Suzette Villagomez abstained.

FINANCE

Treasurer's Report

The Treasurer's Report as prepared by Christine Licata showed a balance of \$11,424.38.

Motion by Sam Villagomez, seconded by Suzette Villagomez to accept the report as given. All board members present in favor.

The new budget money is not reflected in the total as the budget has not been adopted to date.

OLD BUSINESS / NEW BUSINESS

Clinics

Councilman Fitzpatrick gave an update on the clinics: Sam attended the hockey clinic in his place where 8 kids attended and each child received a hockey stick to keep. Sam did suggest in the future having the kids start a half hour early as it took that long for them to put on pads and for the sticks to be measured for them.

Golf-K-3 had 15 kids; golf-4-8 had 6; arts and crafts and speed training are coming up.

Easter with the Bunny

Joyce said the event is being held on March 24th at 9 am at the firehouse with the bunny coming at 9:30 am.

There is a \$5.00 charge for everyone except under age 1 for a breakfast of pancakes and sausages. The Auxiliary sent flyers to the school.

Motion by Sam Villagomez, seconded by Paula Marino to make a donation of \$150.00 towards the event. All board members present in favor.

Sparta Bowling Lanes

Kathy contacted Tommy at Sparta Bowling to cancel the March 23rd date. Members still want to hold the event and if possible Kathy will reschedule for May 4th. Sam said he would be in attendance to collect the money from those that attend. Other rec members cannot commit at this time but will attend if available. Kathy will email everyone with a confirmation of the reschedule date and information.

Family Fun Night

Members discuss the flyer and make changes. Kathy will print and Chris will deliver to the school. Residents must register by April 13th. At that time, if there are not enough registrations, the event will not be held.

Ice Cream Social

Joyce will fill out the temporary food vendor application required by the Board of Health. Kathy will make up a flyer and Joyce and Suzette will do the shopping closer to the event. Kathy will also contact Tom Gardner

to see if he is interested in performing at the social.

Miss Hamburg Contests

The contests will be held on June 10th beginning at 1 pm at the Hamburg School, with members arriving at 12 noon for set up. Kathy will send out the applications to the high schools, Hamburg School, and pre-schools.

2018 Miners Baseball Schedule

Chris has a singer for the National Anthem. Joyce will ask Jennifer Brennan and Ricky Padget to throw out the 1st pitch.

Evening in the Park

Kathy will continue to contact the NJ Musicians and ask about an August 11th or 18th date.

Hamburg Day

The date for Hamburg Day will be Sunday, September 9th from 12 noon to 4 pm. Paula received a price quote from Real Amusements- face painter/tattoo artist, bounce house, obstacle bounce house, fire truck ride, boxing ring, rock climbing wall, petting zoo/pony ride- a total of \$7240.00 which includes staff and generators to run all items. Discussion includes total price, music, balloon man, bubble man, food, and vendors. Members decide that the boxing ring is really not necessary and Paula will find out how the cost will differ if that is cut out. Kathy will contact Ray Sikora, Ed Miller, and Mark Ghia to see if they are interested in performing. The vendor application will stay the same with the fee being \$20.00, non-profits free of charge, and also clinics vendors free of charge. Kathy will make the necessary changes and post to the website.

Summer Basketball League

Recreation received a request from Mr. Sharvez Brown asking for help in starting up a summer basketball league here in Hamburg, playing on the school outdoor basketball court. In discussing his email that he provided, he was asking for rec's support to operate the league under its umbrella and assist with permits, insurance costs and securing the school outdoor court as a site. Since this would have regional participation from surrounding towns, members feel this needs to go through the Littell Center as a new league start-up. Chris will contact him with the information.

SCCC 2018 Summer youth enrichment programs

SCCC sent a flyer offering summer programs through the college youth camp which seem to be very exciting and interesting. After discussion, Paula will post the info on the Rec Facebook page.

OPEN MEETING TO THE PUBLIC

No public in attendance

CORRESPONDENCE

SCCC 2018 Summer youth enrichment programs

ADJOURNMENT

Motion by Sam Villagomez, seconded by Paula Marino to adjourn at 8:30 pm. All in favor.

Minutes Approved 4/17/18

Date Released 4/17/18

Kathy Garrett

Kathy Garrett
Secretary