

The March 10, 2022 Board of Recreation meeting was called to order by President Mickey Pascucci at 7:30pm.

Present

President M. Pascucci

D. Alvino

D. Palazzo

N. Ricca

T. Mele

M. Monteyne

D. Andriani

Absent

O. Dittamo

G. DiPasquale

Minutes of the Previous Meeting

Nancy Ricca made a motion to accept the previous minutes and Dan Palazzo seconded it.

Council Liaison

Debbie Andriani stated that at the last Mayor and Council meeting, they applied for an Open Space grant for new playground equipment at the Riverview Park playground. The library collected enough plastic bags to be converted into a park bench. Trexs runs the company that does this. This bench will be put at the Bogert Street park. The town is applying for a grant for fitness equipment at the PAL walking trail. This is the second time applying for it, the first time the application was denied.

Citizens to be Heard

None

Correspondence

Mark Monteyne reported that he has received calls regarding the tennis courts needing to be cleaned along with the batting cages needing to be cleaned. The DPW has been notified and will take care of it.

Financial

The balance is \$33,837.09

Personnel

No report

Pool

Closed

Field and Grounds

The DPW will be out soon working on the field.

Permits

Moving forward, Mark will take care of all permits. Permits were given out for Jr. Hornets baseball and V.I.T.A.L.

Old Business

None

New Business

Bunny Breakfast-Saturday, April 9th-as of today there are 50 Adults and 30 children registered.

The breakfast will include a parade, pictures with the bunny, egg hunt, DJ, and clown. We will put coloring sheets on the table along with balloons. We will have candy jar contests as in the past. Our next regularly scheduled meeting will be held one week early so as to prepare for the event.

Car Show-Sunday, April 24th-registration is open, only 3 cars registered so far. Donna Alvino is getting the judges.

Totowa Day-Saturday, June 11th-plans moving along- Bounce House, Corn Hole, Touch a Truck. Vendor letters are going out. For the fireworks, Mark will meet along with the fire chief, police chief, and the owner of the fireworks to decide where to shoot them off from. Possibly off of Minnisink Road. It was suggested this year to rent tables, chairs, and tents.

PAL

No report

Report from the Directors

Quote from Mark Monteyne-"Today I refuse to stress myself out about things I cannot control or change."

Motion to adjourn was made by Tom Mele and seconded by Dan Palazzo at 8:20pm.

The next meeting will be held on **Thursday, April 7, 2022** at 7:30pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Debbie Barone
Secretary, Board of Recreation