

The June 9, 2022 Board of Recreation meeting was called to order by President Mickey Pascucci at 7:35pm.

Present

M. Pascucci
D. Alvino
G. DiPasquale
D. Palazzo
M. Monteyne
D. Andriani

Absent

T. Mele
N. Ricca

Minutes of the Previous Meeting

Dan Palazzo made a motion to accept the previous minutes and Donna Alvino seconded it.

Council Liaison

Debbie Andriani stated that at the last Council meeting it was Youth Week. The students all did a super job representing the Mayor and members of the Council.

Citizens to be Heard

None

Correspondence

Mark Monteyne reported that he has received inquiries regarding Totowa Day, camp, and the pool.

Financial

The balance was not available at the time of this meeting

Personnel

Lifeguards are going through the process of becoming certified. We are still in the process of hiring lifeguards and counselors.

Pool

The snack shack has been painted, new ladders are in, and the side wall has been replaced.

Field and Grounds

The Lincoln I and II fields are having drainage issues with the recent rain.

Permits

Permits have been given out for the new traveling softball league. No permit has been issued for football yet until they meet with Carl Ricca and others involved with baseball.

Old Business

None

New Business

Totowa Day-Saturday, June 11th – the tents are up, there will be 8 food trucks, 35 vendors including food and informational. We can meet on Friday at 4pm to set up, we need tables and chairs for the wrestlers and the mandolin players. George DiPasquale has taken care of the beer garden and what is required.

PAL

Scholarships were given out at the last meeting to graduating high school seniors.

Report from the Directors

Quote from Mark Monteyne- "Be positive, be true, be kind, be you!"

Oliver Dittamo who retired as Board of Recreation commissioner attended the end of the meeting. Mickey Pascucci thanked Oliver for his time serving on the board which was for the past 28 years and presented him with a gift on behalf of the Board of Recreation. Oliver thanked everyone and stated that he enjoyed his time, loved the smiles on the children's faces, planning and taking part in Totowa Day, Christmas time, and he stated his favorite was being the Bunny at our Bunny Breakfast.

Motion to adjourn was made by Dan Palazzo and seconded by George DiPasquale at 8:00pm.

The next meeting will be held on **Thursday, July 14, 2022**, at 7:30pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Debbie Barone

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