The January 23, 2024 Board of Recreation meeting was called to order by President Mickey Pascucci at 7:15pm.

Present

President M. Pascucci

V. President D. Palazzo

D. Alvino

D. Coiro

G. DiPasquale

T. Mele

N. Ricca

M. Monteyne

Absent

S. Reynoso

Minutes of the Previous Meeting

George DiPasquale made a motion to accept the previous minutes and Dan Palazzo seconded it.

Reorganization

George DiPasquale made the motions and Donna Alvino seconded the motions for the following:

Reappoint Mickey Pascucci as Board of Recreation President-all in favor Reappoint Dan Palazzo as Board of Recreation Vice President-all in favor George DiPasquale made the motions and Nancy Ricca seconded the motions for the following:

Reappoint Mark Monteyne as Board of Recreation Director-all in favor Reappoint Debbie Barone as Board of Recreation Secretary- all in favor

Council Liaison

In the absence of Councilman Sanders Reynoso, there was no report

Citizens to be Heard

None

Correspondence

Mark Monteyne stated he has received calls regarding the upcoming Devils game and the opening of the pool.

Financial

Current balance is \$84,739.08

Personnel

No report

Pool

A recent incident occurred at the pool where individuals were there to film a YouTube video for skateboarding. The pool has become famous for skateboarding according to these individuals. The Totowa Police gave them a warning not to return.

Field and Grounds

Covered with snow

Permits

No new permits were issued

Old Business

Trolley- Christmas caroling took place on the trolley before Christmas

Santa for Sofie-Santa on the Firetruck with police escort paid Sofie a visit

Snow Angels-during the past storms, they went out to 22 houses

Skate Night-6 families attended at In the Drink

Santa Letters-200 letters were answered and sent out

New Business

NJ Devils Hockey game-February 8th, 31 signed up, Biaggio will be honoring. Totowa and singing at half time on the ice

Paint Night-possibly looking into this to hold an event

PAL

Opening day is set for Baseball/Softball for April 20th.

They are selling discount cards, basketball is under way now, a track program is set for the spring

Report from the Director

Quote from Mark Monteyne- "It's kind of fun to do the impossible."

The motion to adjourn at 7:50pm was made by George DiPasquale and seconded by Nancy Ricca.

The next meeting will be held on Thursday, February 8, 2024 at 7:30pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Debbie Barone

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Secretary, Board of Recreation