

Montgomery Township Park and Recreation Board Meeting Minutes for June 6, 2012

The monthly meeting of the Montgomery Township Park and Recreation Board was held on June 6, 2012 in the Montgomery Township Municipal Building. The members of the Park and Recreation Board in attendance included: Kim Greene, Linda Brooks, Mark McMahon and Mark Angelone. Tony Ruggieri, Dan Spinelli and Mike Okino were not present. Also in attendance were Michael Fox (BOS Liaison), Larry Gregan (Township Manager), Kevin Costello (Director of Public Works) and Sharon Tucker (Recreation Coordinator).

CALL TO ORDER

Mark Angelone called the meeting to order at 8:05 pm and began the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Kim Greene made a motion to approve the May 9, 2012 minutes, Linda Brooks seconded the motion and the minutes passed as submitted, 4-0.

PUBLIC COMMENT

There was no comment from the public present at the meeting.

PARK COMP PLAN

Kevin Costello reported that staff will meet with the representatives of the county on Wednesday June 13, 2012, so there is no update since the May meeting.

PARK ACTIVITY UPDATE

Mark McMahon reported that the Montgomery Soccer Shoot for the Cause Tournament was a success and they raised a lot of money for the Sibling Care Center at CHOP.

Mark McMahon reported that there is one spot on the Connie Mack field that needs a pump to remove the standing water. There is a similar standing water problem behind the first baseline at field 4. Kevin Costello stated that Public Works will look into it.

Mark McMahon stated that holding MTBSA pictures at William F. Maule Park at Windlestrae, by field 4 really went well. The photographer commented that it was an ideal location and they should have

been having them there for years. There were some complaints from parents that it was too far away from the parking lot.

RECREATION UPDATE

Sharon Tucker reported on the status of Kids University. The Recreation Office is getting ready for the program to begin on June 18th. Families are still looking to place their kids for the summer and we are trying to accommodate them as our staffing levels allow.

CAPITAL PROJECTS

None

NEW BUSINESS

Kim Greene reported on the status of the summer basketball league. There will be no more registrations taken at the township building. The remaining registrations will be done via email directly to Joedy Johnson with a deadline of Monday 6/11. Kim Greene stated that they may allow travel teams to register this year simply to get the program up and running and change the guidelines for next year.

Kim Greene reported that the program is still set to run June 25th through the first week of August. Kim Greene stated that she would like to differentiate this league from MBA and make it a Montgomery Township league. The goal is to get our township kids to play here at our township parks.

Kevin Costello reported that the electric is installed and ready for use at the Spring Valley basketball courts. He has a key that he can provide to a point person from the basketball league when they are ready. Kevin Costello stated that the township has taken delivery of the storage box for use at the Spring Valley basketball courts and it will be installed and ready in time for the start of the league.

OLD BUSINESS

None

ADJOURNMENT

Kim Greene made a motion to adjourn the meeting and Linda Brooks seconded the motion. The meeting was adjourned at 8:28 pm. The next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday July 11, 2012 at 7:30 pm.