

**Montgomery Township  
Senior Committee Meeting Minutes  
April 19, 2023**

**Location:** Montgomery Township Community and Recreation Center

**Members Present:** Charles Vesay, Jess Jastrzembski, Bud Reick, Joyce Malageri, Barbara Galante, Don Riley, Staff Liaison Deborah Rivas

**1. Call to Order 12:05**

**2. Pledge of Allegiance**

**3. Public Comment:** None.

**4. Approval of the Minutes for March 15, 2023** - A motion to approve the minutes, with corrections, was made by Joyce Malageri and seconded by Jess Jastrzembski. Minutes were approved unanimously.

**5. Old Business:**

**a. Mailing to Senior Residents** – Deb Rivas provided a draft of the proposed informational flyer created by Derek Muller for the members to review and approve for mailing. Barb Galante announced that her name would need to be removed as she is moving out of the Township to pursue a new opportunity and must resign from the Committee.

Overall, the members were pleased with the flyer. It was suggested that we keep the Senior Committee website address short and consistent on all our materials, including the mock-up for the table cover that we will be purchasing for the Senior Committee. The members approved the flyer and table cover. Township staff will move forward with the printing and mailing of the flyer, along with the purchase of the table cover.

**b. Senior Committee Website Page Content** – Chuck Vesay reported that he will work with Don Riley and other members to come up with groups to create and recommend content for the website over the next three months.

**6. New Business:**

**a. Updates on Bocce and Pickleball** – Jess Jastrzembski provided an update on the Park Board meeting. The board discussed proposing a band shell in one of the parks and using the Windlestrae Park house for nature-themed classes. The Park Board is meeting each month at a different Township Park. Jess Jastrzembski did not have an update on the status of the Bocce Ball courts, but it was expected that the courts would be completed this spring. There was a question regarding the protocols for

using the bocce courts. Would residents need to reserve the courts? At this time, the Township is discussing how the courts will be used.

**Discussion Items:**

- a. The members thanked Barb Galante for her service on the committee and wished her all the best in the future.
  - b. There was a discussion about Disc Golf and the current course. Members inquired if the Township would be willing to revisit the disc golf course and expand it. The Senior Games will be adding disc golf next year.
  - c. Members inquired about the status of the new dog park.
7. **Adjournment:** A motion was made by Barb Galante and seconded by Jess Jastrzembski to adjourn the meeting at 12:58 p.m.
8. Next Meeting: **May 17, 2023 at 12:00 Noon**