

Middlesex Township Recreation Advisory Board Meeting

Tuesday, June 13, 2023

In attendance: Vaughn Ludwig, Marian Smyser, Linda Eckenrode, Kimber Rorher, Bill Gillingham, Scott Shepler and Denise Jumper

The meeting was called to order at 6:01pm.

Public Comment

Vaughn Ludwig was interested in any new information about Pickleball.

Bill Gillingham asked about the mowing at the park since it is so dry. Scott Shepler, Park Supervisor, said they continue to mow the weeds and "ripple".

Old Business

March minutes- Approved as written.

Recreation Director's Report was submitted for record.

Egg Hunt Review- The Egg Hunt was April 1, 2023. Bill said we could use some help to direct people to park. It was suggested that we close off the Recreation Board parking lot.

Prize table being inside the Recreation Building worked.

All else went well.

Summer Concert, June 30, 2023, 6-8pm, *Good Intentions Band* at the pavilion (50 Beagle Club Rd, Carlisle), food will be available.

Summer Concert, August 13, 2023, 4-6pm, Mountainside Group at the pavilion. Sweet Patch Food Truck will be there.

Summer Playground takes place June 12- July 20, 2023, 9am-1pm, Monday- Thursday
It is completely full.

Fall Festival- Saturday, September 16, 2023, 12noon-4pm

Plans are going well. We changed companies for inflatables. We went with the company that also provides our entertainment. Contact has been made to provide Horse rides. Crafts will be available and Playground workers will help lead them.

Pickleball- The Township's basketball needs some maintenance and it needs to be painted. This would be a good time to include a Pickleball court. There is some concern because this is a busy section of the park, and Pickleball is very popular, so it will add to the activity. We would like to try one court on one end of the basketball court so that we can still have basketball or other games available at the other end. The Township is interested in building a Pickleball court on what is currently Field #10 (multipurpose field that is not used). We need to gather estimates.

We adjourned at 6:50pm. Our next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, July 11, 2023 at 6pm.