

# BOARD OF RECREATION COMMISSIONERS

August 16, 2018

## Members Present:

Rosemary Pendergast	Jeremy Padmos
Beth Sosidka	Sean Rogan
Mary Ann Shea	Nancy Smith
Brad Cohen	

Rosemary opened the meeting at 7:35 pm

## MINUTES

Beth made a motion, seconded by Mary Ann, to accept the June 21, 2018 minutes as received. Vote all ayes, motion carried.

## SUMMER RECREATION

The Commission received a summary of the 2018 Summer Recreation from Tiffany. The registration for 2018 was 71 compared to 90 for 2017. Tiffany plans to put a survey in the school backpack asking the following:

What did you do instead of attending Summer Recreation?

What are you looking for?

What changes would you like to see?

Discussion followed. Need to have more communication with the Town residents, print flyer to be distributed, refer a friend - \$10 off registration.

Sean suggested that Tiffany be invited to the Town Dinner.

## TENNIS PROGRAM

No report received from John Amabile.

## FARMER'S MARKET

The Mayor & Council are in receipt of a letter from the farmers and vendors of the Clinton Farmers Market requesting possible relocation of the market from the firehouse parking lot to the parking lot at the Community Center and forwarded it to the Board of Recreation.

Discussion followed. One suggestion was they use the County Library parking lot, as the Library is not opened on Sunday. Baseball games are held on Sunday mornings at Gebhardt Field.

After discussion, the vote on the use of the Community Center was tabled. Harvey and Martha Dreswick will be asked to attend our September meeting.

## SOCCER CLUB

An email has been received from Ken Endersen, Hunterdon Football Club, stating that they merged with Readington Soccer and because of the availability of more fields from Readington, the club will no longer require the use of Hunts Mill. The club would like to thank you for your support and accommodation over the past ten years.

We understand that CPS also uses the field, and, in the past, we took care of lining the fields and setting up the goals and nets. While we will no longer be doing this, we would like to leave you the goals that are there, so you do not have to purchase new ones.

Joe Harris responded that the school would like the goals left for their use.

**REQUESTS FOR COMMUNITY CENTER**

No requests received.

**FIELD REQUESTS**

No requests received.

**VOUCHERS FOR APPROVAL**

The following vouchers were approved for payment:

TMI Allentown LLC	One Hour Open 6/29/2018	18-200-56-857-2-300	\$ 300.00
West Hunterdon Lanes	34 Children @ \$5.00/child	18-200-56-857-2-300	\$ 170.00
Amy Puma	Refund Tennis Enrollment	18-200-56-857-2-300	\$ 90.00
Deborah Bauer	Refund Summer Rec Reg & Trips	18-200-56-857-2-300	\$ 306.00
All About Fun	Generator Rental for Picnic	18-200-56-857-2-300	\$ 85.00
John Amabile	Reimbursement for Tennis Balls	18-200-56-857-2-300	\$ 38.99
Steph & Tim’s Ice Cream	44 children @ \$4.00/child	18-200-56-857-2-300	\$ 176.00
Holland Township	Pool – 34 children@ \$5.00/child	18-200-56-857-2-300	\$ 175.00
First Group/First Student	Summer Recreation Trips	18-200-56-857-2-300	\$ 1,980.00
Jodi Rousseau	Reimburse overpayment Sum Rec	18-200-56-857-2-300	\$ 17.00

**NEW BUSINESS**

1. Sean reported that the first movie is scheduled for 8/25 at the Mill. The fee for the movies is \$855.00. He has three sponsors – Tranquilli, Reiner, Friendly Sons of St. Patrick - \$1,000. 9/14 a second movie will be shown – Wonder – at Gebhardt Field. 9/28 a third movie will be shown at a location to be determined.
2. Sean mentioned that Tewksbury Recreation has two “drive-in” movies and suggested that we could do it and have food trucks at Hunts Mill Park.
3. Whitehouse Wind Symphony will perform at the Art Center on 9/16 at 3:00 pm.
4. Suggestion was made that we have a Clinton Game Day at the Town Picnic – patterned after the “Battle of the Neighborhoods” held during the 70’s and 80’s.
5. Canoe Race – Sean is looking for people to help.

**ADJOURNMENT**

The meeting was adjourned at 8:30 pm. The next meeting will be held on September 20, 2018 at 7:30 pm, at the Town of Clinton Municipal Building.

Respectfully submitted,

*Nancy E. Smith*

Nancy E. Smith, Secretary