

HAMBURG RECREATION COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES

April 18, 2017

OPEN MEETING / FLAG SALUTE

In accordance with the Open Public Meetings Act, with regards to notices, the regularly scheduled meeting of the Hamburg Recreation Commission was called to order at 7:00 PM., April 18, 2017.

ROLL CALL

Present: Paula Marino, Chris Fitzpatrick, Sam Villagomez, Suzette Villagomez

Absent: Tara Scrittore, Joyce Oehler

Also Present: Kathy Garrett, Councilman Sena

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Motion by Chris Fitzpatrick, seconded by Suzette Villagomez to approve the March 21, 2017 Regular Meeting Minutes. All in favor. Paula Marino abstained.

FINANCE

Treasurer's Report

The Treasurer's Report as prepared by Christine Licata showed balances of \$7159.80 and \$13,362.87.

Motion by Chris Fitzpatrick, seconded by Sam Villagomez to accept the Treasurer's Report as given. All in favor.

OLD BUSINESS / NEW BUSINESS

Clinics

Chris updated the board regarding the clinics: mural arts or spray paint had 6 kids; beading was attended by 32; and train safety had 15 in attendance. This will end the clinics for the year.

Skate event – April 19th

Only two tickets were sold to date, so hopefully more will just show up at the door since parents were also advised they could purchase at the door. The event will run from 7 – 8:30 pm and Chris will be there at 6:45 pm. Paula will post this on the Recreation Facebook page.

Miners Baseball Game

Chris picked up 76 tickets to sell for the July 1st game, which is a fireworks and Star Wars giveaway game at Skylands Stadium. Tickets will be offered to residents at \$9.00 for reserved seats and will go on sale immediately. The singers will be decided on so that flyers promoting the event can be distributed. Paula will put this on Facebook also.

Miss Hamburg Pageants- June 4th

Kathy informed the members that 4 Little Miss and 1 Little Mr. applications were received. The application deadline date is May 31st. Another set of flyers will be sent to the school within the next few weeks as a reminder.

Hamburg Day – August 20th

The function will run from 12 noon – 4 pm. Kathy spoke to Ray Sikora who committed to doing the music for the day at \$400, the same amount as last year. EZ Bubbles will also be there for the day, but will also come as a vendor since he does sell his product. His fee for the day is \$250. - \$20. vendor fee, total of \$230.00 and the board will instruct him where to set up so as the bubbles will not get into the kid's eyes. A contract has not been received from Real Amusements and Kathy will contact them. Suzette said she had information about Party Time Rentals which will be discussed at the next meeting. They do have a rock wall and different options

that Real Amusements does not offer. Diane Vasporo, the vendor manager, was discussed. In the past, she was beneficial in obtaining vendors and managing them on the day of the event. Last year she attended for about 30 minutes and then had to leave. This year she has already informed Kathy that she will not be in attendance at all. Members decided that unfortunately Diane's name will be left off of the vendor form and another rec member will have to manage the set-up of the vendors. Vendor fee will be \$20.00. Rec will start advertising now on the message board for vendors.

Lunch with the Easter Bunny – community enhancement

Since Joyce was not present, Kathy mentioned that Joyce had contacted members about a donation to the Fire Department Auxiliary for Lunch with the Easter Bunny that took place on April 8th. She had made phone calls and received no objections. Kathy had attended the event and said it was successful, with more than 75 people attending.

Motion by Chris Fitzpatrick, seconded by Sam Villagomez to give a community enhancement in the amount of \$150.00 to the Fire Dept. Auxiliary for Lunch with the Easter Bunny. All members present in favor.

Information from Sparta Lanes

Members discuss the information from Sparta Lanes and decide that it would be a wonderful program to do, but since most of what was offered was during the day, it would not be available for us at this time.

Message Sign

Councilman Sena mentioned that it was discussed about putting information about rec functions on the message board by the school and we would reciprocate with their functions on ours. This is being looked into.

OPEN MEETING TO THE PUBLIC

None in attendance

CORRESPONDENCE

Littell Center Monthly Report March 2017
Information from Sparta Lanes

ADJOURNMENT

Motion by Chris Fitzpatrick, seconded by Suzette Villagomez to adjourn at 8:00 pm. All in favor.

Minutes Approved 5/16/17

Date Released 5/16/17



Kathy Garrett
Secretary