

Minutes of Park and Recreation Commission Meeting

Wednesday, December 2, 2009

Present: Dave Trizano, Chairperson
Steve Scarangella
Tom Cook
Skip Pennucci
Manny Enes

Excused: Guy Pipolo
Stuart Hemby

Absent:

Also present: Recreation Superintendent, Rosanne Saracino
Trustee Toni Pergola- Ryan, Liaison to Commission
Village Manager, Richard Slingerland

Meeting called to order at 7:15 pm by Commissioner Trizano.

Minutes Approved

A motion was made by Commissioner Tom Cook and seconded by Commissioner Steve Scarangella to approve the Recreation Commission minutes for the meeting of September 28, 2009. Minutes were unanimously approved pending the correction that Manny Enes was present at the September 28, 2009 meeting. Superintendent Saracino made the correction immediately and verified the correction with Commissioner Manny Enes.

Superintendent's Update

Superintendent of Recreation, Rosanne Saracino reviewed her monthly update; provided time for questions and answers. Saracino stated that the Village has never stopped looking for a permanent "home" for day camp.

New Business

Old Business

Village Manager, Richard Slingerland addressed the topic of shared summer camp services. The Village has endeavored over the past three years to combine/share summer camp programming and services with the Town of Mamaroneck. At this juncture there does not seem to be any real way to share camp services.

Camp 2010:

- Location will be at Harbor Island Park
- Dates will be Thursday, July 1 through and including Friday, Aug 6

Therefore camp will be 6 weeks as it had been in the past.

Motion was made by Manny Enes to continue to pursue a permanent location for day camp; motion was seconded by Skip Pennucci.

Village Manager will re examine the ramp and trailer parking issues in Harbor Island Park as many boaters use HIP and do not pay to park or use the boat ramp as they arrive before and/or after the parking booth is staffed.

Field use surcharge was discussed with the Village Manager who will apprise the Board of Trustees of this surcharge. Recreation Commission reviewed the City of Rye Board resolution of 2003 for a field use surcharge.

The Recreation Commission is concerned about the fact that Little League may groom the Little League (Goetz) field in HIP and no other group is allowed to groom their respective fields. Village Manager, Rich Slingerland will check into the history of this practice with Little League.

Village Manager Slingerland believes that improvements should be made to Philips Park Road park area.

Commissioner Tom Cook made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 8:45 p.m. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Manny Enes.

Next meeting will be scheduled for:

Wednesday, January 27, 7 p.m. in the Court Room

Respectfully Submitted,
Rosanne Saracino
Superintendent of Recreation