

June 1, 2021 Recreation/Events Meeting

Members Present: Darlene Perna, Bernie Simkins, John Quigley, Sheryl Neely

Members Absent: Steve Coates, Harry Lucas, Rich Daubenspeck

Alternates Present: none

Alternates Absent: Jim Kelly, Teresa Six, Mike Marsh

Guest Present: Joe Bilinski, Tom Schofield-Little League

The June meeting of the Recreation Commission/Events meeting was called to order by Vice Chairman Bernie Simkins at 7:00 p.m. in the former Ambulance Building, now the Recreation Building, on Main Road. He noted that Chairman Daubenspeck was stuck in Maryland and would be unable to attend the meeting.

Mr. Simkins reminded members that the Coin Drop was scheduled for Friday, June 25th from 4:00 p.m. until approximately 8:00 p.m. and also Saturday June 26th from 8:00 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. at Coles Mill Road and Tuckahoe Road. Members are to meet approximately 15 to 20 minutes in advance. Ending time might be adjusted according to traffic flow. Volunteers are needed; this was a major fund raiser for the last Community Day.

Mr. Simkins informed members that Chairman Daubenspeck requested a Community Day Meeting to be held on Tuesday, June 15th at 7:00 p.m. in our Recreation Building.

Mrs. Neely suggested that we ask families to sponsor a basket for the Chinese Auction. Donations could be in the form of a filled basket, an item, or financial and we could purchase items for the auction. She also noted that tickets should be ordered for the auction. The baskets for the auction would need to be renumbered.

Mr. Simkins suggested Mrs. Neely put together a subcommittee to work on the auction.

Mr. Schofield reported the Little League season was running along. They had 100 more players signed up this year. People signed waivers relating to Covid. They had one player that had the virus, but no one else on the team became ill. After 2 negative Covid test players could return. They had a shortage of umpires. A lot of the umpires were older and decided to retire. The season was running a little late, however; All Stars will be on their regular time schedule. He reported that they have been having problems with the sprinkling system.

It was suggested perhaps a professional should be called in to check out and make repairs, if needed.

There is a Movie in the Park to be held at the Sports Complex on Pennsylvania Avenue.

Upon motion by Mr. Quigley seconded by Mrs. Neely and carried the minutes of the May 11, 2021 meeting were ordered approved. All members voted in the affirmative.

Mr. Simkins stated he had the signs for the Coin Drop.

Upon motion by Mrs. Neely seconded by Mr. Quigley and carried the meeting was ordered adjourned at 8:15 p.m. All members voted in the affirmative.

Respectfully submitted,

Carol Coulbourn, Secretary

