

PARKS AND RECREATION  
REGULAR MEETING  
Monday, 19, 2015

The North Fayette Township Parks and Recreation Board met in Regular session on Monday, January 19, 2015 at 8:00 pm.

Melissa Gnoth called the meeting to order and roll was called:

**MEMBERS PRESENT**

Patty Ellis, Melissa Gnoth, Jeff Lutz, Harry Psaros, Jeff Upton, Jennifer Wertz, and Darlene Hildebrand, Parks and Recreation Director.

**MINUTES**

- Mr. Psaros motioned to approve the minutes from November 2014. Mr. Lutz seconded. Motion carried.

**CITIZENS COMMENTS**

- Mr. Psaros mentioned an issue that was brought to his attention. Ms. Hildebrand will bring to the regular staff meeting.

**REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEES**

**CHRISTMAS TREE LIGHTING** - Everything went very well with a light turnout of participants. A new tree and ornaments have been bought for next year. New giveaways (filled stockings) for the kids worked well. Next year's event will be held on Friday, December 4, 2015.

**MOVIES IN THE PARK** - This year's Movie in the Park will be held on Friday, June 19<sup>th</sup> with the rain date of Saturday, June 20<sup>th</sup>. The movie will be chosen in March.

**EASTER EGG HUNT** – Ms. Wertz led the discussion about the upcoming event:

- The Easter Egg Hunt will be held Saturday, March 28 at 11:00 am.
- Ms. Wertz will get in contact with Coach Palko to get help from the football players. Football players will report around 8:00 am
- We will start advertising for this event mid-February.
- Ms. Wertz will contact Debby Priddy regarding Easter Bunny pictures.
- Will wait to talk to Mr. Ecoff before straw is ordered.
- Candy will be ordered from Candy Favorites
- Ms. Hildebrand will check the egg count. She believes that we won't have to order too many eggs.
- \$3,000 budgeted for this event
- Zack will be the Easter Bunny for this event.

- Egg stuffing will be held on Thursday, March 26 at 6:00 pm in the Community Center gym.

**COMMUNITY DAYS** - Ms. Gnoth led the discussion about the event:

- Friday, July 31 and Saturday, August 1 will be Community Days for 2015
- Discussed the possibility of concert by the carload at Donaldson on Friday
- Windswept Entertainment wants to increase the wristband price for the residents from \$7.00 to \$10.00 and the contract states that the customer pays \$10 and we pay \$3.00. The board asks that Ms. Hildebrand inquires about the township paying ½ of the cost.
- Discussed moving food vendors onto asphalt and park on grass. We will talk more about this once we can get up to the field and see it.
- The Stickers have been contracted to perform on Saturday night for \$3,200 (w sound) and \$2,700 (w/out sound).
- Ms. Ellis will contact November Blue about performing.
- Board members encouraged to bring ideas for new activities to the next meeting... NF Got Talent, themed swim day?

**FALL FESTIVAL** – Ms. Ellis led the discussion about the event:

- The date for the Fall Festival will be held on Saturday, October 17, 2015 from 5:00 – 7:00 pm.

**DIRECTOR'S REPORT** – Ms. Hildebrand briefed the Board on the following:

- No update on new community center.
- PALS will run on Friday night from February to March.
- Senior Citizen: Selling tickets for the Penguins game on March 29<sup>th</sup>. The price is \$62.00 for transportation and ticket in section #200.
- May 16, 2015 is the Hall of Fame. Deadline for applications is February 6.

**NEW BUSINESS:** There is no new business.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS:** Officer Elections will be tabled until next meeting.

**ADJOURNMENT:** A motion was made by Mr. Lutz to adjourn and seconded by Mr. Upton. The motion carried and the meeting was adjourned at 9:08 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Melissa Gnoth  
Parks and Recreation, Chairperson