

Dallastown Borough Recreation Board

Minutes – Tuesday, July 6, 2010

MEMBERS PRESENT: Vice-President Karen Hoyt-Stewart, Scott Shaffer, Mayor Beverly Scott, and Secretary Theresa A. Craley.

MEMBERS ABSENT: Priscilla Gill, Jason Winand, and Carol Rebeck

GUESTS PRESENT: Officer Peter Montgomery of the York Area Regional Police Department and Eric Pierce from the Dallastown Soccer Club, home phone number (717) 747-9889; cell number (717) 542-8007; and e-mail livefreeordie737@yahoo.com

The meeting was called to order by Vice-President Karen Hoyt-Stewart at the Dallastown Borough Office at 7:08 p.m.

Approval of Minutes:

Motion to approve the minutes of June 21, 2010 Recreation Board meeting as submitted was made by Scott Shaffer and seconded by Beverly Scott. All were in favor.

Visitor Input:

Eric Pierce from the Dallastown Soccer Club asked permission to use the grass locations in our park for his soccer club. He said that the club had about six teams of 4 and 5 year olds that would like to utilize our park on Tuesday and Thursday evenings for approximately one hour, beginning on August 24, 2010 and running through October 28, 2010. He said that there will be approximately 6 painted squares on the grass and that between 35 and 40 families would be in attendance. A discussion was had that placement of the painted squares and usage by the families would be determined by Mr. Pierce and that he was to choose a location that worked for him and did as little damage to the ball fields as possible. It was agreed to charge the Dallastown Soccer Club \$12.00 per night and it was determined that they would be using the fields for approximately 20 nights. A motion was made by Scott Shaffer to accept the terms above and allow the Dallastown Soccer Club usage of our grass in our park, seconded by Beverly Scott. All were in favor.

Officer Peter Montgomery of York Area Regional Police Department discussed the National Night Out event that was going to be held on Tuesday, August 3rd, 2010 from 5:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. at the Dallastown Community Park. The Dallastown JROTC cadets will be asked for help in setting up. Set up will begin at 3:00 p.m. Officer Montgomery provided the board with the flyers for this event and a copy of which will be placed in our secretary's book. It was agreed that the Recreation Board will provide hot

dogs, hamburgers, nachos and cheese, etc. for sale at this event out of the pavilion. It was also agreed that the Recreation Board would get the Port-a-potties early for this event.

Approval of Payment of Bills:

No bills were presented for payment.

Approval of Financial Statement:

A motion to approve the Financial Statement dated May 31, 2010 and June 30, 2010 as submitted was made by Scott Shaffer, seconded by Beverly Scott. All were in favor.

Correspondence:

There was no correspondence to review.

Business for Action:

Camping at the Park – July 10 – Karen gave an update on how the June 26th event went. She said that everyone who attended had a lot of fun. Bill told stories around the fire and marshmallows were roasted and smores were enjoyed. There were approximately nine families that participated. Karen said that we only have one family signed up so far for the July 10th event and if we do not get more interest, we may have to cancel this one. We have one of these events left on September 11th.

Carnival Banners – The wooden signs are updated and installed. The banners are being worked on as we speak and will be hung later this week.

Business for Discussion:

Dog Park Events – July 24 – Scott said that he called Jeremy concerning the fencing and has not heard back. The board agreed that we are ready to move on the fencing even though we have not earned all of the money needed for this project. It was agreed that we can not wait too long to do this as the residents of Dallastown have waited and we do not want it to go much longer. Scott said he would call Jeremy and let him know we are ready to go and see when we can get this project completed.

National Night Out – August 3 – This event was discussed at length with Officer Peter Montgomery of the York Area Regional Police Department in the guest portion of the meeting.

Carnival – August 17 to August 21 – Karen reported that we have received 4 entrants for Dallastown’s Got Talent so far. It was agreed that if we do not get substantially more applications, we would have this event on Friday night.

Other Business:

Beverly brought up that the board might consider meeting once a month once we feel comfortable doing so. The board agreed that we should work toward that end; however, we have too much coming up in the immediate future to do so yet.

Karen wanted to talk to the board about the latest vandalism at the park. She informed the board that the park was trashed yesterday and profanity was drawn on the sides of our lower pavilion. Karen said that she would personally take care of the words and paint them out as we do not want our youth seeing that profanity.

Beverly informed the board that one of our council members, Jean Capatch, recently returned from the hospital.

Beverly also asked Theresa to e-mail her the thank you letters that were sent out for the Family Fun Day. Theresa said she would take care of this as soon as possible.

Beverly asked if anyone has started on the Halloween Parade yet. No one had started calling around for entrants and Beverly said she would get started on it and give the board an update at our next meeting.

Our next meeting is scheduled for Monday, July 19th, 2010, at 7:00 p.m. A motion to adjourn at 9:17 p.m. was made by Scott Shaffer, seconded by Beverly Scott. All were in favor.

Respectfully Submitted,

Theresa A. Craley
Secretary