

**Draft #1 Subject to approval at the Parks and Recreation meeting August 1, 2007**

MINUTES OF REGULAR MEETING  
PERKASIE BOROUGH PARKS AND RECREATION BOARD  
July 5, 2007

ATTENDANCE:

Parks and Recreation Board Members:

Tom Bancroft  
Patricia Kaempf  
Joyce Stemler  
Matt Aigeldinger  
Rich Brummett  
Mary McKay  
Sara Friedich  
Nickole Collins  
Andrea Brody  
James Boyer

Parks and Recreation Director  
Borough Council Liaison

Tom Bancroft, Chairman of the Board, convened the July 5, 2007 meeting of the Perkasio Borough Parks and Recreation Board at 7:00 pm.

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

Tom Bancroft led the board in the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag.

**PUBLIC FORUM**

None at this time

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Approved at this time.

**NEW BUSINESS**

1. **Fall Volunteer Schedule:** We discussed the events and needed volunteers for the fall and winter.
2. **Fall Festival:** We debated whether or not we wanted to charge for the pony rides this year. The cost for 3 ponies for 3 hours is \$950.00. Matt, Joyce and Tom agreed we should charge, but keep the cost down. As a group we discussed how could we change our prizes? Joyce brought up a good point, to ask local businesses to donate gift cards from their business as a prize. Matt asked for a list of prizes for the next meeting to see what we needed for the fall festival. A decision was made on the pumpkin contest. This year we will put the carvers in 3 groups, depending on age. Our theme will be Halloween. Only carved pumpkins will be accepted. Accept for the youngest group. For prizes will give 1st - 3<sup>rd</sup> ribbons and gift cards and participation certificates for all participants. We also discussed re-doing the layout of the festival moving the pumpkins and pumpkins next to the snack bar. As a group we discussed new ideas for the fall festival. Such as a kids section, bingo and pumpkin pie contest
3. **Lucky Ducky Derby:** We discussed items needed for the Luck Ducky Derby and times for volunteers to arrive and depart.

- 4. Creek Sweep:** Again we came up with various times for this event. We all agreed on a Saturday. Tom thought the fall would be better for the creek sweep. Jim Boyer suggested having the creek sweep 2 weeks before community day. Other's felt that a good time would be after the pool closes. Matt brought up another idea of making this day a Community Service Day. We would ask Public works if other projects needed to be done in the community and separate into large groups to complete the tasks at hand. The board all felt that this should be an annual event.
- 5. Fall movies:** The board was in agreement of this idea. Nickole felt we should plan our movie around the football schedules. Stating we would get more people. We decided for next September, maybe on a Friday.

#### **OTHER BUSINESS**

Tom brought up getting an account on yahoo for the park and recreation board. This way we could all be kept up to date and discuss ideas.

#### **PRESS FORUM**

No press forum

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

With there being no further business before the Parks and Recreation Board; motion was made to adjourn at 8:30 pm by Matt Aigeldinger and seconded by Pat Kaempf.

The next meeting is scheduled for August 1, 2007 at 7:00 pm in the Vault at Borough Hall

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By: Andrea Brody  
Secretary: Joyce Stemler