

PERKASIE BOROUGH PARKS AND RECREATION BOARD

Meeting Notes June 4, 2014 7:00 p.m.

Present: Nelson Hollenbach, Vice Chair; Barbara Hollenbach, Chris Uncango, Brian Turner, and Elizabeth Jarrett. Members absent were: Rich Brummett, Jennifer Leatherman, Mary McKay and Delia Asher (youth delegate).

The monthly meeting of the Perkasio Borough Park and Recreation Board was called to order at 7:05 PM on June 4, 2014 by Nelson Hollenbach in the absence of Rich Brummett.

1. Pledge of Allegiance: Mr. Hollenbach led those present in the Pledge of Allegiance.
2. Public Forum: There were no items presented for public forum.
3. Approval of Minutes: On motion by Barbara Hollenbach, seconded by Brian Turner the Minutes of the May 7 meeting were unanimously approved.
4. Old Business
 - Pat Kaempf Memorial: Members of Pat Kaempf's family were present to discuss the placement of a memorial bench in her honor. The family expressed their gratitude for the memorial. They indicated that the family members and friends would like to donate a second bench to be placed adjacent to the one being donated by Borough Council. The family indicated that they wished to have the bench placed near the ice skating rink in Lenape Park. They also agreed to submit their suggested wording for the plaque to be placed on the bench.
5. Reports
 - Dog Park – Christina Boyce, Linda Robertson members of the Perkasio Dog Park Board of Directors and other supporters of the dog park. They briefly reviewed the history and finances of the Dog Park Group, and indicated that they wanted to initiate discussions with the Borough regarding the disposition of the park when the current lease expires in March of 2016. A subcommittee was organized including PRB members Brian Turner and Betty Jarrett as well as Linda Robertson and Christina Boyce from the Dog Park Group. This subcommittee will develop several scenarios/options for the future of the park. The group will report back to the PRB at the September 3, 2014 meeting.
 - Skate Park – No report. It was suggested that another event be organized at the skate park focusing on skateboarding.
 - YTD Financials (4/31/2014) – Carolyn Hanel briefly reviewed the Comparison to Budget report for April. Revenue for pool memberships is significantly higher than the same period in 2013, primarily because of the 10% early season discount.

- Park and Recreation Director Monthly Report – May 2014
 - Menlo Pool season pass sales report
6. New Business
 - Parks Tour – discussion on a date for a parks tour was tabled until more members are in attendance.
 - Bucks County Bicycle Plan – those present directed staff to get two dates from the County when they wish to present the bicycle plan.
 7. Other Business and Discussion
 8. Public Forum
 9. Press Forum
 10. Adjourn

Next Meeting: July 2 at 7:00 p.m.

“The mission of the Perkasio Park & Recreation Board is to preserve and enhance the park system while planning and supporting events for the benefit and enjoyment of our community”.