



Meeting Minutes – May 10, 2017

In attendance: Andrew Zaborney, Rich O'Brien, John Berner, Paul Wasserman, Steve Zmijewski, Jim Curnal, Bob Hilse, Chris Hill, Dan Auciello, Donna Faulkenberry, Diane Spiegelhoff

CALL TO ORDER: Meeting called to order at 7:44 PM

Minutes from the April meeting: Jim Curnal made a motion to approve the minutes from the April meeting. Dan Auciello seconded, and all were in favor.

COMPLETED PROGRAMS AND EVENTS:

- Adult Volleyball
 - More registration forms were delivered
 - No report since last month's meeting
- Flag Football
 - Having a very rainy season
 - Have gotten 1 full week in and 2/3 of another week
 - Will end up with 7 games total, which is one more than last year but one less than there was originally on the schedule
 - Want to extend the season to June 25th as the last week instead of June 11th, will have to ask for use of the fields
 - The soccer club has been very helpful in sharing the fields
 - Feedback has been mostly positive
 - More people are coming from East Brunswick
 - Some coaches thought it was unorganized at first due to practices not being scheduled, however, they can schedule them for whenever they want
 - If someone else is using the field, they have priority over football
- T-Ball
 - May 13th will be week seven
 - Have played four weeks, cancelled two
 - Will hopefully play 8 weeks
 - SYBL had been phenomenal to T-Ball this year
 - They worked very hard to fix the back field for just for T-Ball
 - Their help is very appreciated!

UPCOMING PROGRAMS AND EVENTS:

- Fishing Derby
 - Will be held from 8 – 10 AM on May 20th
 - Need a license to fish if you are over 16 years old
 - Have most of the prizes, can get more if needed
 - There are 12 main prizes, with lots of extra gifts
 - Chris Hill to bring a folding table to put the prizes on
 - Have a megaphone, going to get an airhorn to start the derby
 - Participants fishing need to bring their own worms for bait
- S'Woodstock
 - Will be held from 2-5 PM
 - "Good to Go" will be performing
 - Route 18 Jeep and Deals on Wheels – sponsors
 - Will have Italian ice vendor and food vendor there
 - Have posters and flyers to put up in local businesses, getting lawn signs
 - 50 flyers are going to be given out at the Old Bridge car show
 - Big sign can be put out closer to the event
 - Need to request 15 tables, 40 chairs, and garbage/recycling cans from the DPW
 - Setup for help is at 11, caterer is coming at 11-11:30
 - Last subcommittee meeting: Thursday May 25 at 7:30
 - Andrew Zaborney has all of the equipment needed for sound
 - Put in a work order for the stage
- REC Football Camp
 - Message about the camp went out last week
 - Have only four registrants so far, but it typically has many late registrants
 - Coach Camm also takes people who walk on
 - A free week at the camp was given out to a winner
- Spotswood 5k
 - Will be held on Saturday, September 9
 - Date confirmed with timer
 - Have all of the information for mailings but haven't mailed them yet
 - Will ask Wacky Wayne if he can DJ again, if not, SPSN will do it
 - Registration has dwindled in the past few years – want to get a big sign to remind people when it is
 - Can put it up in the summer
 - Will only cost \$48
 - The cross country and other high school teams will not be given race numbers this year – won't have to pay for them
 - Coach D will time them separately
 - A separate group will be made for high schoolers

- Registered runners won't have to compete against them
 - Will cost an extra \$40-50 for trophies
 - Can set up a table to advertise the race at National Night Out
 - Applications will be there for anyone who wants to sign up
 - Will be the first Tuesday in August
- Business Cards
 - Business cards with the Spotswood REC information on them were purchased and given out to each board member
 - Will be used for new contacts
- Communications Updates
 - S'Woodstock with "Good to Go" picture was sent out last week
 - Week of May 14th – one sponsor's advertisement
 - Next week – other sponsor's advertisement
 - Will remind about it the week of the event and the night before
 - Have sent an email blast about it
 - Charger camp reminder will be sent out the day before
 - Fishing Derby reminder will be sent out the day before
 - Will send out a Happy Memorial Day message

NEW BUSINESS:

- Photographer
 - Will be a paid position - \$40 a session
 - Want an adult who has their own equipment and knows how to upload photos to social media
 - Can put ad in Facebook before advertising in the newspaper
- Coach Reid Soccer Camp/Coach Vizzi Basketball Camp
 - Reid wants to hold a soccer camp in the high school for kids ages 8-13
 - Will be from June 26-30 from 9 AM to 12 PM
 - Vizzi wants to hold a camp for 3rd to 8th graders
 - Don't already have the money to fund these in the budget for this year
 - Can support the coaches from a communications standpoint this year, however, the coaches will need to register/collect money on their own
 - Can see interest and put it into the budget for next year
 - Rich O'Brien made a motion to approve this, Steve Zmijewski seconded, and all were in favor
- 8th Grade Donation
 - Dan Auciello made a motion to donate to the 8th Grade awards ceremony
 - Chris Hill seconded, and all were in favor
- Soccer Equipment
 - Steve found nets and balls to purchase from Gopher for soccer next year

- Board Member Updates
 - Joe Lanza has become an alternate member of the board
 - Now there are two vacancies for regular members
 - One vacancy for an alternate

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made at 8:55 PM. Chris Hill motioned, Andrew Zaborney seconded, and all were in favor.