

READINGTON RECREATION COMMITTEE MINUTES

June 24th, 2015 7:30pm

A. Sharon called the meeting to order at 7:35 pm.

B. Attendance:

- C.** 1. Committee Members: Sharon Bobnar-Becker, Bill Quinn, Melissa Adams
Ken Groel, Mark Toman,
2. Township Officials: Gabrielle Bolarakis, Patti Marcine
3. Guest: Jacqueline Villa

D. Minutes Approval:

1. Mark made a motion: ***The minutes from the May 27th 2015 Recreation Committee Meeting is approved.*** Ken seconded it. All were in favor.

E. Correspondence: Jamie Gentile and Riley Coopersmith sent thank you letters for their scholarship from recreation.

F. Old Business

1. Online Registration –James Colucci introduced the committee to an application design proposal for Readington Recreation by his company James Colucci Enterprises. LLC. His presentation included a project development and support agreement for Township of Readington. He handed everyone a detailed copy of his proposal. After his presentation he answered many of the committee's questions and concerns. After James Colucci left the committee discussed the program and asked Gabrielle to get more details and prices and send them out to committee through emails. It was decided that a website program was needed in our department and it would be best to start one for January 1, 2016. The one thing it must do is be compatible with quick books and be able to do all online registrations for all recreation activities and sports.

2. Rec Basketball Rule Changes - Bill went over the changes the committee wanted changed in the 5th & 6th grade and the 7th & 8th grade Basketball league rules. Mark made a motion: **The Readington Recreation committee to approve the changes made in the 5th & 6th grade and the 7th & 8th grade basketball league rules.** Ken Seconded it. All were in favor. Bill will put the new rules up on the website and will email Patti them so she can send them to coaches and to have Morris put them on leagueline up and our own website.

3. Summer Camp Update- Summer camp registration has about 20 more kids than last year and most are staying all day. The program is doing well. Gabrielle said registration for August camps are coming along well.

4. Facility Update- Gabrielle reported the piles at Cornhuskers Park is cleaned up but all one large dirt pile and even cleaned up area that had the piles on it. Park has not been used this spring. The dead trees she asked to be removed in early spring are still hanging in there. The new grills at Pickell Park have been installed.

G. New Business:

1. **Fall brochure**-is just about complete and a copy will be sent to you by end of week. It will go to print and be ready for distribution within a week.
2. **USTA Grant** was received for tennis equipment and supplies.
3. **Next Meeting** will be August 27th (no meeting in July)

H. Other business

1. Youth programs to help fund HCRHS turf field-Ken said the high school is looking for support to get 2 turf fields that would be accessible for recreation programs to use on weekends and some evenings. They are looking for fund raisers to help pay for it. Ken will look into it to see what our use would be for the fields and what they are looking for in funds. He would get back to us with more details.

I. Closing- Mark made a motion: ***Readington Recreation meeting for June 24th is adjourned at 9:50 PM.*** Ken seconded it. All were in favor.