

**MEETING MINUTES OF THE
READINGTON RECREATION COMMITTEE
September 26, 2023 7:30pm**

A. CALL TO ORDER

Ms. Bobnar-Becker **CALLED THE MEETING TO ORDER** at 7:34pm.

B. ATTENDANCE

1. Committee Members: Sharon Bobnar-Becker, Mark Toman, Bill Quinn, and Allison Quintard
2. Township Officials: Director Gabrielle Bolarakis, Assistant Director Dina Fornataro-Healey

C. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

1. Mr. Quinn made a **MOTION TO APPROVE** the minutes of the July 2023 meeting of the Readington Recreation Committee. **SECONDED** by Ms. Quintard. **VOTE: YES** All present.

D. OLD BUSINESS

1. **Hillcrest Playground:** The final part was delivered and installed. Once the Township check has cleared, the State will send reimbursement. DPW will be installing a new post and rail fence.
2. **August Summer Camps Update:** All the camps sold out. The older youth theater program was in WHS allowing for increased registration and they were able to utilize the stage for their final performance. Band camp was very well received. Committee members watched a video of a portion of the performance. We are strongly considering adding an orchestra week, a choral week, and a drum/fife week in 2024.
3. **Fall Program Registration:** Almost all the programs have reached pre-covid numbers. Many programs have sold out.

E. NEW BUSINESS

1. **Travel Basketball Update:** Tryouts will be held September 28 and 29, 2023.
2. **Halloween Celebration – October 28, 2023:** The event will be at Pickell Park and volunteers are welcome. Amusements are ordered and the DJ is booked. The event will be 1:30/2pm start ending around 5pm.
3. **Winter Brochure/Registration:** The brochure will be out in a few weeks. A free session of three classes each, of yoga and Zumba will be offered in November/December. We will continue to offer Science on Saturdays in the HBS cafeteria.

F. ADJOURNMENT

1. Mr. Toman made a **MOTION TO ADJOURN** the meeting. **SECONDED** by Mr. Quinn. **VOTE: YES:** All present.
2. The meeting adjourned at 8:10pm.

Next meeting of the Recreation Committee: October 25, 2023 at 7:30pm

Prepared and respectfully submitted by: Dina Fornataro-Healey, Assistant Director of Recreation