

Wrightsville Recreation Commission
March 31, 2009
Meeting Minutes

Meeting called to order at 6:30 pm by Chairman McKee.

In attendance were:

Bob McKee
Janella Englehart
Daniele Neff
Lori Cunningham
Pat Shue
Chet Eckman
Roxanne Strine
Ed Sipes, Borough Council

Crystal Bolton and Dave Livelsberger were not in attendance.

Motion to approve the February minutes and check register was made by C. Eckman, seconded by P. Shue. Minutes and check register were unanimously approved.

Public Comment

None.

Treasurer's Report

No Report

Baseball Update

Baseball sign ups resulted in three teams: One t- ball team, one 8-10 team and one 11-13 team. Hats have been ordered; however not flex Hats due to sizing issues. Craley teams had problems and Grove's Sporting Goods advised against it. A decision was made to again order adjustable hats.

A new drag has been purchased for the field.

Complaints were received regarding sign-ups. Parents frustrated that there was not an older team and possible conflicts in then getting children signed up for the school team. Other concerns were parents participated in the fund raiser and then there was not team for their child's age group due to lack of participation.

Softball Update

There is one softball team this year – 10 & under. Scott Livelsberger has agreed to be the head coach. Concerns surround a possible assistant coach, Tim Lehman.

Missy is unable to coach due to health reasons. Miranda is helping to coach pitching.

Softball Games will be played on the lower field.

Medical waivers need to be completed for the softball players.

Basketball Update

First season under the WRC was a success. Thank you to everyone who assisted at the Basketball Appreciation Dinner. We received lots of positive feedback from the parents and players.

Requested approval for a donation to Mt Pisgah Church for the use of their gym on numerous occasions throughout the basketball season. A donation of \$250.00 was approved.

Concession Stand Update

Discussion occurred regarding the donation/purchase of a grill. A recommendation was made to purchase a George Foreman grill instead. This allows the volunteers to remain in the concession stand, in case two volunteers are not available to cover a shift. This recommendation was approved.

Help is needed to clean up the stand prior to the start of games. P. Englehart will contact members to assist. P. Englehart will also take care of purchasing supplies.

Fundraiser Update

A second sub/sandwich sale was discussed. Will pursue this fundraiser in the middle of May.

Memorial Day event is being held at John Wright's on Sunday. A table could be set up at this event to sell food items as a fundraiser. C. Eckman and R. Strine volunteered to help work the stand. Additional volunteers will be needed.

Other Business

Lacrosse interest will be pursued by asking for input in the newsletter, the website and local church bulletins. Responses will dictate how we pursue this sport.

C. Eckman will seek renewal of advertising signs at the ball field along with soliciting businesses for new additional signs.

Purchase of materials to build fencing around new batting cages was discussed. C. Eckman opposed the purchase of materials, while P. Englehart, B. McKee and D. Neff voted to approve the purchase of materials.

Motion to adjourn was made by D. Neff and seconded by P. Englehart. Meeting was adjourned at 7:31 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Daniele L. Neff
Wrightsville Borough Recreation