

PERKASIE BOROUGH PARKS & RECREATION BOARD

MINUTES OF THE MEETING

December 17th, 2018

Perkasie Borough Hall

7:00 p.m.

The monthly meeting of the Perkasie Parks and Recreation Board was called to order at 7:03 pm on September 18th by Nelson Hollenbach. Members present were Chris Uncango, Lisa Walters, Dave Broadbent, Kathy Rocchetti, Nelson Hollenbach, Bethany Schwendy, Aaron Clark, Mary Pappas and Samantha Darrell. Staff Present was Megan Prusienski, Director of Parks and Recreation. Those not present: Melissa Kilderry.

1. Pledge of Allegiance
2. Public Forum - none
3. Approval of Meeting Minutes: October 15th, motioned by Bethany, seconded by Kathy.
4. Old Business Updates
 - Business Signage on Fencing – will keep this on the agenda until further notice. Still need to see the signs
 - LBT outreach meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, January 16th and will be located at Quakertown Borough Hall. This is the last public outreach meeting for the feasibility study and will discuss a corridor instead of just a trail – as with development, pieces of the original trail are quite dangerous to travel on by bike/foot.
 - Walnut Street Bridge Opening – was quite a success. Last minute planning and coordinating by Linda Reid and the Press for the county worked out well with a few vintage cars, marching band, and overall awesome Perkasie crowd of support.
 - Tree Lighting – want to thank the volunteers that were there, Dave and his wife, and Chris. We didn't have the best weather but the residents and event goers made due with umbrellas and still had a wonderful time.
 - Upcoming programming – hoping to work with the area agency on aging to add more programming for seniors. These classes would take place at Borough Hall.
5. Reports
 - Park and Recreation Report, October.
6. New Business
 - But Trip Updates
 - Lancaster for Sat, 3/16 – shopping and the show “Jesus”
 - Gettysburg for Sat, 4/13 – includes tour guide for two hours to tour grounds on bus
 - New York for Sat, 5/11 – plan your own day, focusing on Mother's Day
 - Menlo Fees and Program Guide – fees increased 3% for 2019 but if folks register online they can save 10% with the code “SAVETEN”. We have some updates for 2019
 - Members only day will be Tuesdays all season
 - The rock wall should be installed by March/April, weather depending
 - Menlo Aquatics Center will now have wifi available

- Members will be able to enter the facility an hour earlier than others on Saturday and Sunday
 - Pictures will be required for entrance with your tag – hoping to complete the majority of this process with members sending me their head shots over the winter
7. Other Business and Discussion
- Unfortunately the port o potty at Lenape Park has been reportedly knocked over multiple times recently. Will research if there are requirements per area of park
8. Adjourn: There being no additional business, the meeting adjourned at 8:11 pm. Motioned by Kathy, seconded by Chris.

Next Meeting: January 15th, 2019 – 7:00 PM at Perkasio Borough Hall

“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.”