

Recreation Minutes from September 13, 2016

Present: Nancy Goldberg, Alicia Killean, Matt Mastruzo, Don Wallace, George Ludwig, Liza Bruns, Ron Grayzel, Bruce Peragallo

Playground Updates: Purchase orders are being developed for the park improvements for bleachers, benches, swings, safety surfacing and clean up/painting for all the playgrounds. DPW started with Center Street Park. Some of the equipment will not be replaced or upgraded until the Spring.

Oakland Park : Still waiting on paperwork from Maser to present to the Council and Freeholders. The goal is to receive 50% from the Middlesex County Freeholders.

All fall teams are underway playing 7 days and 6 nights on the fields. Travel soccer purchased the field paint and will paint a small sided field for Rec soccer and Field hockey on Charles Field.

Next Event is Country Fair scheduled for Saturday, October 1st with rain dates the following 3 Saturdays from 10:00 -4:00pm. Nancy Goldberg will send out an email for commissioners to sign up for time slots to man the mini golf booth. She ordered t-shirts for the event as well as candy which can be used for all the Halloween events.

Pumpkin Float will be held on Saturday, October 22nd beginning at 2: 30pm after the farmers market. We will have two carving sessions with the float beginning at 7; 00pm at Tommys Pond. Looking to hire Michael Napolitano, Pre School of Rock, again this year for the entertainment. DPW will be on hand to help with the craving and the float. Nancy will purchase all the supplies.

Halloween Parade – Sunday, October 30th from 2:00 – 3; 30 at Metuchen High School track. We will need help giving out candy after the parade.

New Years Eve – We discussed the possibility having an evening activitiy for young children at Metuchen High School.

Daddy Daughter Dance - Friday, March 31, 2017

Holiday Parade – Saturday of Thanksgiving weekend. Beginning at 2:00pm. We will be doing hot chocolate immediately following at the Senior Center.

Respectfully Submitted by

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