Brooklyn Parks and Recreation Commission Regular Meeting

September 12, 2022

7:00pm

Commission members present: David Wilterdink, Cliff Soucy, Mike Gaudreau, Jim Warren, Deb Warren, Melissa Perkins-Banas, Harry Adams

Also present: Austin Tanner, First Selectman

Absent: Steve Danna, Harry Adams

1. Approval of Regular Meeting Minutes from August 8th meeting

Motion made: 1st Harry Adams. 2nd Cliff Soucy   All in Favor

2. Public Time
none

3. Program Update
A staff member was hired for the Before and After school program.
The Before school has 40 students   After school 57 students
There is a waiting list for both.

Advertising is in place for upcoming events
1st concert was cancelled due to impending weather (an effort is being made for potentially rescheduling in October)
The Senior Center will judge the Scarecrow contest (per Harry)

There is Fall Ball (little League being played on the Saveway Field) there is more mowing involved.

The new payment coordinator is working out very well.

Tickets for Feargrounds are available

4. Discussion on Feargrounds
Meeting will be held September 13th, 6:00 at Hanks
Jim warren procured a cord of wood for the bonfire
Tickets are available
Music is locked in
3 to 4 possible food venders
Our part-time maintenance staff member has resigned, will need help
from the town with mowing and fence set up for Feargrounds.
Mr. Tanner will see if Ed can help.

5. Other Business
The commission representative from the Board of Finance has been
absent from most of the meetings. Mike Gaudreau will talk to Sandy,
the chair of the BOF, to see if she could appoint another representative.

The candidates for the new director position have been interviewed,
there has been an offered made, Mr. Tanner was not willing to let the
Commission know who he offered it to. He will let us know if they
accept, and when they will start.

6. Public Time
none

7.Adjournment
7:31pm
Motion made: 1st Cliff Soucy   2nd Jim Warren   All in Favor

Next meeting: Special meeting TBD

Respectfully submitted: Chris Boyle