



Brooklyn Parks & Recreation Department

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RECREATION COMMISSION Regular Meeting

TO: Parks & Recreation Commission Members

FROM: Brooklyn Parks & Recreation Department

RE: Regular Meeting

DATE: **Monday, December 13, 2021**
Clifford B. Green Conference Room
Also Available Via Cisco Webex

TIME: **7:00pm**

AGENDA

1. Approval of Regular Meeting minutes from November 8, 2021
2. Public Time
3. Set 2022 Recreation Commission Meeting Schedule
4. Michael Dragon Complex update
5. Program Update
6. Other Business
7. Public Time
8. Adjournment

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2022 Parks & Recreation Commission

7:00PM

Regular Meeting Dates

2nd Monday of the month

Clifford B. Green Building

January 10, 2022

February 14, 2022

March 14, 2022

April 11, 2022

May 9, 2022

June 13, 2022

July 11, 2022

August 8, 2022

September 12, 2022

October – Special Meeting

November 14, 2022

December 12, 2022

Brooklyn Parks and Recreation Special Meeting

November 8, 2021

7:03pm

Commission members present: Harry Adams
Cliff Soucy, Mike Gaudreau, David Wilterdink, Deb Warren

Absent: Chris Toney, Melissa Perkins-Banas, Kim Conroy, Steve Danna
Also, present: Bucky Lohbusch, Rick Ives

1. Approval of Special Meeting minutes from October 13, 2021.

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

2. Public time
none

3. Brooklyn "Fear" grounds review and discussion

Final Number 2060 tickets sold made 20,600
It ran fairly smooth, looking at selling tickets on line and continue to place ads
in other neighboring states.
Consider having an ATM on site next year
Appreciation sent out to all the volunteers; it couldn't be done without them.
Next year FEAR grounds will be October 14 and 15th.

4. 2021 Summer Camp Review

There were 200 campers and 19 new staff

There was 1 positive case of COVID, Week Six, on Wednesday, so camp was shut down for the last two days for safety purposes.

During camp there was several community service projects that campers were involved in:

1. Five hundred cans of food were collected for the Friends of Assisi.
2. There was Penny wars and 271.00 dollars was donated to the Friends of Assisi.
3. Ice Box allowed us to create an ice cream flavor that was sold, in one night, and a portion of the profits, 100.00, was donated to the Jim Boyle Scholarship Fund. Thank you to Ice Box for their generosity.

5. Program Update

November 15th the toy drive requests will be starting

There will be a coloring contest with the post office again this year

The Winter coloring booklet will be online

The Cookbook is still collecting recipes, Salem Village will be contributing to the cookbook and all the profits will be put towards the Jim Boyle Scholarship fund.

The holiday lighting contest will run this year

The trip to Kittery and Boston happened with the Silver Fox tours. There were good reviews.

The Spring/ Summer brochure will be out January 4th.

Open gym will be starting, only the first 20 individuals will be allowed in. Masks will be required unless actually playing basketball.

6. Other business

Prince Hill wooden rails were replaced. It was a Capital project. Atlas fencing will replace some of the wood rails that were cracked on installation. The Handicap parking signs will be replaced as the signs are faded.

The lights are on at Prince Hill at the Basketball courts.

There will be one more field application that requires supervision.

The Recreation Commission thanked Rick Ives for all the support he has shown to the Recreation Department.

7. Public Time

None

8. Adjournment

Next meeting December 13, 2021

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

Next meeting. Dec 13th

Respectfully submitted: Chris Boyle