

# **YORK TOWNSHIP RECREATION & PARKS BOARD MINUTES**

**May 4, 2017**

The meeting was called to order at 6:33 p.m.

## **MEMBERS PRESENT**

Jim O'Neill, Laura Kirk, Joe Hackett, Joe Eberly, Dan Shelly

Also present- Carly Mercadante, Recreation Director; Austin Campbell, Assistant Recreation Director

## **ABSENT**

## **VISITORS AND PUBLIC COMMENTS**

Dallastown Soccer Club Representatives – Joe DeStefano and Scott Austin

Troop 17 – Randall and Kathryn Weisner

## **MINUTES & BUDGET REPORT**

Dan made a motion to approve the April minutes. Joe H. seconded. All approved.

Jim made a motion to approve the April budget. Dan seconded. All approved.

## **PRESENTATIONS**

Dallastown Soccer Club made a presentation pertaining to the field use. The Club would like the Township to make an exception for them to be able to make the decision on whether the fields were opened or closed. If we would not allow the organization to make the decision, they would like for the Township to revisit and re-evaluate the Athletic Field Closure Guideline Policy.

## **DISCUSSION/ ACTION ITEMS**

Laura Kirk agreed to another 5-year term on the Recreation Board that would expire May 2022. Dan approved. Joe H. seconded. All approved.

The Recreation Board would like the Recreation Department to look at policies for the use of drones in public parks.

The Recreation Board was informed of the current closing of Dallastown Community Park and the cancellation of Spring Garden's summer camp program. The Board wanted information on how it would affect York Township's summer programs.

## **DIRECTOR'S REPORT**

See report distributed by Carly Mercadante

## **CAPITAL PROJECTS REPORT**

See report distributed by Carly Mercadante

## **DIVISION REPORTS – Administration, Recreation, Parks**

See reports distributed by Carly Mercadante

## **UPCOMING DEPARTMENT/ TOWNSHIP EVENTS**

June 10-11 – Camp Night Out and Pancake Breakfast with Dad

June 12- Summer Camp Begins

June 16 – First Friday Night Flick

June 19 – Volunteer Program Begins  
June 23 – Friday Night Flick/Fireworks

**ADJOURNMENT**

Dan made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Laura seconded. All approved. The meeting was adjourned at 8:30 p.m.