

April 17th, 2024

Meeting held at the Swoyersville Borough Building.

The Following Members Attended:

Syrena Riley

Angeli Mahovich

Jennifer Kadjeski

Catherine Leonard-Nixon

Ryan Binkley

Karen Kotchik Hughes

Charlie Jones

Board Discussions

Finance Committee:

Advised the Board of the Account

Balance as of 3/31/24 is \$10,151.78

- **Expenditures: Check #1029 \$32.80 King's Print Shop**
- **Deposits: Wing Fling: 3/6/24 \$1,450.00 ; 3/8/24 \$1,150 ; 3/14/24, \$125.00 ; 3/28/24 \$200.00**

Events & Property Committee:

- **Board/Council will look into treating the Roosevelt Snack stand for rodents, as evidence was found that they were in that building.**
- **Board Member Catherine Leonard-Nixon met with a contractor to receive bids on resurfacing the blacktops at three of the parks. She is awaiting his estimates,**
- **The board made a motion to approve \$50 for the cost of supplies for May events (Paint in the Park)**
- **The board discussed possibly partnering with the committee who plans the Veteran's Day parade for a movie night/fundraiser**
- **The board discusses partnering with Forty Fort's Recreation Board and combining our National Night Out events.**
- **The board motioned for \$200.00 to purchase a Sno-cone machine for events**

Public Relations:

- **Board discussed creating announcements reminding the community that we are looking for volunteers to serve on committees and help with events.**

Grant Development and Fundraising Committee:

- **Jennifer Kadjeski and Karen Kotchik Hughes will continue to research grants.**
- **The board will be starting the process soon for the application on the DCED grant**
- **Board member Ryan Binkley submitted a request for refund money from the ARPA grant for the cost of the basketball hoops. The board is also requesting an advance for the remainder of the funds in the ARPA grant so that money can be in our account and we can make purchases faster for items.**

Youth Sports League Liaison:

- **No updates**

Special Needs Park Committee:

- **The committee will be meeting in the near future to discuss plans**

Wing Fling:

- **The board discussed potential bands for the weekend**
- **Board Member Angeli provided a financial update for the event**
- **Board motioned to approve:**
 - **\$660.00 for Sinks and Bathrooms from Biros**
 - **\$980.00 for tents, tables, and chairs from A & D Rentals**
 - **\$175.00 for two reusable street banners**

The next meeting for the Recreation Board will be held at 6 pm on Wednesday May 15th at 6pm at the Borough Building.