

November Meeting Minutes

To Pete Cwalina <snowwoman2006@verizon.net> • Gene Breznay <swoyboro@comcast.net>

Evening,
Please find the minutes from this month's meeting below.
Thanks,
Jennifer

November 20th, 2024

Meeting held at the Swoyersville Borough Building.

The Following Members Attended:

Charlie Jones

Syrena Riley May

Jennifer Kadjeski

Catherine Leonard-Nixon

Ryan Binkley

Angeli Nause-Mahovich

Jeff Lewis

Board Discussions

Finance Committee:

Advised the Board of the Account

Balance as of 10/31/24 is \$12,220.47

- **Expenditures Check 1057 \$1789.95 Atlas, Check 1058 \$100.00 donation to Kiwanis Trunk or Treat**
- **Deposits: deposit .21**

Board motioned to approve payment to Atlas, invoice #450, for \$4595.00 from the SPAR account. The SPAR account will be refunded for this from the allocated funds in the ARPA grant.

Events & Property Committee:

- **All new playground equipment has been delivered. It is possible that some may be installed before the first frost but more likely that it will start to be installed when the weather breaks in the Spring.**
- **Board requested an extension from the county through June to spend the ARPA grant money.**

- **Brandon's Forever Home Winter drive is ongoing, sorting will be on 12/3 and items will be delivered on 12/4**
- **Board will be starting the annual snowflake scavenger hunt shortly, looking to partner with Forty Fort Parks and Recreation again this year since last year's partnership was so successful.**
- **Board motioned to approve \$75 to purchase items needed for sorting and organizing the winter drive items**
- **Events committee will be scheduling a meeting soon to create calendar of the events for the year and sign up sheets for our events**

Public Relations:

- **The board is still seeking volunteers from the community to help with sorting winter items and The Wing Fling Committee.**
- **Events continue to be posted to facebook**

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**

Youth Sports League Liaison:

- **No Updates**

Special Needs Park Committee:

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

Wing Fling:

- **Looking to expand the committee to more community members and create an executive board**
- **Members will meet before January to begin planning next year's event**
- **Board members Ryan and Angeli will go to parks and see what bays can be utilized for the generational swings**

The next meeting for the Recreation Board will be held at 6 pm on Wednesday December 18th at 6pm at the Borough Building.