

**West Manchester Township
Recreation Advisory Committee Minutes
Wednesday, June 19, 2024**

Members Present: Lisa Krout, Tim Young, Ron Stare, Tom Wolfgang, Charlie Jacobs

Delegates Present: Jeff Ludwig

School Board Liaison:

Shiloh Lions Club Representative:

Parks & Recreation Staff: Lori Trimmer, Kristi Swartz

Guests:

The meeting was called to order by Ron Stare at 6:26 at Sunset Lane Park. Prior to the meeting, the unveiling of Don Gable's Bench and Don Gable Way street sign was presented to Don's family and friends at Sunset Lane Park.

Tom Wolfgang made a motion to approve the April 2024 minutes. Tim Young offered a second to the motion.

Unfinished Business:

- A. Upcoming Activities, Events, Programs and Registrations:
 - 1. Playground Program – 325 children are registered. 190 children at Sunset Lane Park – Staff Training was June 10-12.
 - 2. Senior Bingo - July 9, August 13, September 10 – 55-60 people
 - 3. Red, White and Blue Parade – Loman Park – Wednesday, June 26th at 7:00.
 - 4. Outdoor Soccer Registration Deadline – July 1 – 3 coaches
 - 5. Summer Social & Movie Night on July 10th at 7:00 – DJ
 - 6. Olde Tyme Carnival and Fireworks – July 16 at 5:30

Reports:

- A. Recreation Director Report - Lori shared the April and May 2024 reports. Lori and Kristi shared information about Fishing at Pinchot. The York Area Recreation Directors arranged for the Game Commission and Conservation Officers to be present. They were fantastic and helpful to the 150 kids who were there.
- B. School Board Liaison's Report – No Report.

New Business:

- A. Don Gable Memorial Bench and Sign Presentation – There was a nice turn out. Thanks to Kristi for choosing a wonderful bench and the Don Gable Way Sign - The family loved it! Mary stated this comment, *"You can always have your say, it just doesn't mean you always get your way."* She and Don would say this so she thinks the sign is perfect!
- B. Delegate Position Requested – Paul Mancina – Tom Wolfgang made a motion to approve Paul and Tim Young offered a second to the motion.

- C. Tom Wolfgang Carving Class – Fall Class – Kristi and Lori thanked Tom for the donation of the bowl he carved for the Gift Card Bingo in March.
- D. Park Sponsorship

Old Business:

- A. Capital Improvements Status/Major Projects Approved
 - 1. Bennett Williams – New Pavilion Roof – (Completed)
 - 2. Replace Park Rule Signs at all Parks (In progress)
 - 3. Sunset Lane – Replace T-111 siding on pavilion (Shiloh Lions)
 - 4. Sunset Lane – Update two restrooms – (Completed)
 - 5. Broad Street – Upgrade Backstop and Fencing (Completed)
 - 6. Derry – Repair Bridge on Boardwalk – (In progress)
 - 7. Remove various Dead Trees in Parks (Completed)

Executive Session – The RAC Members went into an executive session.

Open Floor Discussion:

Tim Young made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:30 and Ron Stare offered a second to the motion.

The next RAC Board Meeting will be held on Wednesday, August 21, 2024 at 6:00 pm.

The next BOS Meeting will be on Thursday, June 27, 2024 at 7:00 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,
Lisa A. Krout, Secretary