



Atlantic Highlands Recreation Committee  
Borough of Atlantic Highlands  
100 First Avenue  
Atlantic Highlands, NJ 07716

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**MINUTES - JANUARY 28, 2015  
BOROUGH HALL, 6:30PM**

**CALL TO ORDER 6:40pm**

**In Attendance: Regina Hawley Keelen, Pam Boyd, Emma Curry, Councilman Lero**

**Unable to Attend: Jacqui Hillman, due to a prior obligation and Chris McCarthy was at the Elementary School Supervising the Basketball Program**

**There was not a quorum this evening so no action was taken.**

**CORRESPONDENCE & INVOICES:**

**There was a letter to the Committee regarding adding a Tai Chi class to the upcoming activities. Regina will call for details on the program**

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES:**

**Held over for next month's meeting**

**APPROVAL OF MEETING DATES:**

**Held over for next month's meeting - There was discussion on the proposed meeting dates, eliminating the August date and changing the November Date to the 17th**

**PUBLIC COMMENT:**

**Emma Curry reported that the Youth Committee helped out at the Holiday Shop and the Mother Teresa Breakfast. They will meet again in February. Regina congratulated Emma for a job well done at a recent meeting where she stepped up to take control of the meeting when Mrs. Hillmann was unable to attend un-expectantly.**

**PROGRAM/EVENTS:**

- **2016 Committee's**  
 Will be assigned at the February meeting. Discussion among the Committee came up with a few additions to the current list of events as follows:  
 Skateboard Competition  
 Trunk or Treat  
 Chamber participation at Tree Lighting  
 Horse and Carriage or Petting Zoo added to the Tree Lighting activities
- **Winter Youth Basketball** – Chris was not able to attend this evening, but sent word that the Basketball program is in full swing and running well. Regina asked anyone that is available on a Saturday to go to the gym to help out to give Chris a break
- **Easter Egg Hunt** – Pam Boyd, Regina Hawley Keelen and Jacqui Hillmann – They are expecting upwards of 300 participants for this year's Egg Hunt which will be held on the 19<sup>th</sup> of March
- **Open Gym** – This is a joint venture between Highlands and Atlantic Highlands. Everything is going well, children are enjoying the activities. Snacks and water are being provided.
- **Marine Science Camp** – Regina contacted the director and the camp will be coming back this year for two separate sessions. Two scholarships will be offered for tuition, one for an elementary school child and one for a middle school participant. They have also offered to give six internships (three for each camp) to be given to 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> grade students

**OLD BUSINESS:**

Pam is working on signs, so that all events will have a sign to advertise the date and time.

**NEW BUSINESS:**

Regina reported that she would like to put together some trips for the Borough teenagers. Suggestions at this time are Snow Tubing, Devil's Game and Great Adventure.

Regina noted that she sat with Mr. Hubeny and Mr. Gagliano to work on this year's budget. She said that the Recreation Committee was given accolades on the use of the previous year's budget.

There was discussion regarding new members coming to the Committee.

**ADJOURN:**

**Pam Boyd motioned to adjourn, Councilman Lero seconds the motion, meeting adjourned, 7:27 pm.**

**Michelle Clark  
Secretary**