



BOROUGH OF ATLANTIC HIGHLANDS

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RECREATION DEPARTMENT

Jacqueline Hillman, Co-Chair

Regina Hawley-Keelan, Co-Chair

MINUTES-SEPTEMBER 27, 2018 REGULAR MEETING BOROUGH HALL, 6:30PM

CALL TO ORDER 6:36PM

Regina Hawley-Keelen moved to call the meeting to order.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

Chris Parmigiani made a motion to approve the minutes from the July 28, 2018 Regular Meeting, seconded by Mike Bottiglieri and approved by unanimous voice vote.

In Attendance: Regina Hawley-Keelen, Chris Parmigiani, Mike Bottiglieri and Lori Hohenleitner.

CORRESPONDENCE & INVOICES:

There were no correspondences or invoices.

PUBLIC COMMENT:

There was no public comment.

YOUTH COMMISSION: Regina Hawley Keelen reported that the Youth Commission will be participating in the Red Bank Crop Hunger Walk on Sunday October 21, 2018 and are requesting donations before they walk. They are also doing a fund raiser for the Monmouth County ASPCA. Donations, food or supplies can be dropped off at Kelly's Dance Loft located at 171 First Ave., Atlantic Highlands. This is a continuous fund raiser. They will also be helping at the Halloween Parade on Saturday October 27th along with the Leo's.

PROGRAM/EVENTS:

Soccer- Everyone in attendance agreed, that Rich Colangelo is doing a wonderful job running the Fall Soccer Program. There was a scheduling conflict with the Catamaran

Clubs Regatta the week of September 10th. A suggestion was made, to the coaches, to please use Fireman's Field for practices, during that week, if possible. The issue of the bathroom's being open during the week for practices was also discussed. Everyone agreed with Rich's explanation, that it would be asking a lot from our volunteers to open, close, monitor and clean those bathrooms for practices. The bathrooms will still be open for games on Saturday's.

Fall Garage Sale- The Fall Garage Sale will take place on Saturday October 20th. As of September 27th, there were only 4 homes registered. Everyone agreed that if we don't have 20 homes register by October 4th they will cancel the Sale. Between advertisement, signs and maps it will not be cost effective.

Halloween Parade- The Halloween Parade will be held on Saturday October 27th. Lineup will take place at the Gazebo in the Harbor at 12PM and the parade will start at 1PM. Regina has asked that a letter be sent to the Mayor and Council Members asking for their assistance with the Halloween Parade and the Tree Lighting in December. Regina will also reach out to Chris Morrissey for music and the Fire Marshall for goody bags. Ideas for this year's Grand Marshall were discussed. Members were instructed to email their possible candidates names to Regina. She will also purchase the sash to be worn by the Grand Marshall during the parade.

Halloween Home Decorating Contest- Judging will take place for this year's contest on October 24th, 25th and 26th with the 1st, 2nd and 3rd prize winners being announced at the Halloween Parade on October 27th. Those interested in participating can sign up at the Borough Hall until October 23rd. The Committee members would like those registering, to list whether their address can be used during the announcement.

OLD BUSINESS:

Regina was contacted by Catherine Early regarding bringing Pickle Ball to Atlantic Highlands. A similar request was made back in 2017. Since the Recreation Committee does not regulate the use of the Borough's Tennis Courts she was directed to reach out to the Harbor Manager.

NEW BUSINESS:

Council woman, Lori Hohenleitner, wanted to thank all the volunteers for their time and if they ever need her help to please reach out to her.

ADJOURN:

Mike Bottiglieri made a motion to adjourn, Chris Parmigiani seconds the motion.
Meeting adjourned at 7:15PM

Debbie Marchetti
Recording Secretary