

MINUTES OF THE SEPTEMBER 22, 2014 MEETING OF THE BRECKSVILLE RECREATION COMMISSION

Recreation Commission Chairperson Brian Stucky called the meeting to order at 7:30pm.

Roll Call was taken. Members present: Pat Barth, Candice Beaver, Bob Ganley, Don Lastoria, Nanci Schlabig and Brian Stucky. Also present: Athletic Director Pete Kormos and CYVO President Meg English. Absent: Council Representative Laura Redinger.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF AUGUST 25, 2014 MEETING

A motion was made by Nanci Schlabig and seconded by Don Lastoria to dispense with reading of the minutes and to approve as presented. Motion carried unanimously.

MAYOR'S REPORT:

No Report

COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVE REPORT:

No report

RECREATION DIRECTOR REPORT:

Recreation Director Tom Tupa's reported on the following:

- 1. The Studios will be closed for "screening" of the floors Sept. 29th-October 5th.**
- 2. Caboose under going renovations by the Service Dept.**
- 3. The repair of the outside pillars had to go out for bid. They should be done shortly.**
- 4. Annual pool shutdown went well. The pool was closed for one week.**

OLD BUSINESS:

Brian Stucky asked Pete Kormos to explain the "philosophy" behind the Recreation Program at the City of Brecksville. Kormos stated the Recreation Department's goal is to keep *everybody* involved. To meet the needs of all kids, to make it fun and to keep them coming back. It is "All Inclusive."

Kormos reviewed age groups and rules for each. A discussion ensued after each regarding the current state of recreation baseball.

CVYO:

BTBA

CVYO President Meg English reported all team tryouts are done. Overall numbers are up. There are now seven (7) girls teams (up from 6 this past year) and there are (3) High School Boys teams. The BTBA has added a seven year old boy's team for next year. The kids who tried out were surprisingly good.

English reported Brecksville Broadview Heights Youth Lacrosse League has joined the CVYO. BBHYLL President John Phillips reported the league was started two years ago with approximately 30 boys from the BBH Middle School. This past year there were a total of 52 boys. Next year, the Lacrosse League will be adding 3rd and 4th grades which will bring the numbers up to approximately 75 kids. There is a girl's team at the Middle School, but they are separate from this group of boys. All lacrosse teams are part of the U.S. Lacrosse North Coast Chapter. This year, they joined the West Shore Conference. (Teams West of the Cuyahoga River)

BSA:

Brian Stucky reported there are 160 kids (16 teams.) It is the middle of the season and games will go through the end of October and possibly into early November. Once finished, the Winter (indoor) season will begin.

Home Days Home Run:

Nanci Schlabig announced the date of next year's run is: Sunday, June 28, 2015.

Run For Your Life:

Brian Stucky reported sign ups for the Run For Your Life program are currently going on for the Winter session.

There being no further business to discuss, it was moved by Bob Ganley and seconded by Nanci Schlabig to adjourn. The meeting was adjourned at 8:07pm.

Respectfully submitted:

Kelly McNeill

Recreation Commission Secretary/Clerk of Commission