

**MINUTES OF THE DECEMBER 10, 2012 MEETING OF THE  
BRECKSVILLE RECREATION COMMISSION**

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

**Roll Call was taken. Members present: Pat Barth, Candice Beaver, Don Lastoria, Council Representative Rex Mack, Nanci Schlabig and Brian Stucky. Also present: Recreation Director Tom Tupa, Clerk of Recreation Commission Kelly McNeill and CYVO President Meg English. Absent: Charles Cassaro and Athletic Director Pete Kormos.**

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF OCTOBER 22, 2012**

**A motion was made by Don Lastoria and seconded by Candice Beaver to dispense reading of the minutes and to approve as presented. Motion carried unanimously.**

**MAYOR'S REPORT:**

**No Report.**

**COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVE REPORT:**

**Council Representative Rex Mack announced City Council passed an ordinance to extend the "Pilot Membership" program for Lubrizol employees. Both Mack and Recreation Director Tom Tupa reported the City of Brecksville has taken in over \$24,000 in corporate fees which will go directly towards the purchase of new equipment and for equipment repairs. Fitness Director Steve Paciorek hopes to be able to add new equipment every other month. Mack stated City Council is very aware of the conditions of the fitness equipment at the Community Center.**

**Council Representative Mack reported:**

- 1. The new hours at the Community Center have gone into effect. They are: Monday-Friday 5:30am to 10:00pm, Saturday 8:00am to 8:00pm, and Sunday 10:00am to 5:00pm.**
- 2. The bases are in for the light poles on the soccer field at Blossom. Tupa stated the poles should be up by the end of this week.**

**Mack commended Recreation Director Tom Tupa for continuing to operate the Community Center within the same amount which is budgeted from the General Fund year after year in spite of the ongoing expense increases.**

**RECREATION DIRECTOR REPORT:**

Recreation Director Tom Tupa's reported on two items that will be included in the 2013 Capital Budget.

1. Replacing three roofs at the Community Center
2. Replacing the lockers in the men's locker room

Tupa announced the following:

1. As of December 1, 2012, Membership renewals & New Memberships are in progress. The Community Center has collected \$41,600.00 in fees, thus far, for the month of December.
2. Santa's Calling is this Tuesday and Wednesday from 6pm to 8pm.
3. Breakfast with Santa is on Thursday, December 20<sup>th</sup> and Friday, December 21<sup>st</sup> from 9:30am to 11:00am. The Friday breakfast is SOLD OUT.
4. Holiday Hour:  
Christmas Eve: 5:30am to 12noon  
Christmas: CLOSED  
New Year's Eve: 5:30am to 12noon  
New Years Day: CLOSED

**OLD BUSINESS:**

A motion was made by Candice Beaver and seconded by Nanci Schlabig to have Council Representative Mack ask the Mayor and/or City Council if they would consider approving to have the Recreation Commission Meetings moved to the Third Monday of the Month because currently the Recreation Commission Meetings conflict with the BBHCSD School Board Meetings.

Recreation Commission Chairman Stucky asked Tupa to follow-up with City Attorney Dave Matty to make sure Allison Winokur has been contacted and there is no further action required.

Stucky confirmed at this time, the City cannot move forward with allocating a plot of land to the Brecksville Garden Club because it is still in the planning stages.

Stucky reiterated the report given to City Council regarding the Proposed Blossom Hill Development Project, ALL of the bullet points represented *everything* that was presented in each of the individual reports with pictures and drawings included.

**NEW BUSINESS:**

**BTBA:**

CVYO President Meg English reported the BTBA has been working with Athletic Director Pete Kormos allocating gym times. English reported the schools have been placing limits on “how” the facilities can be used. (No hard balls in gyms)

**Run 4 Your Life:**

Nanci Schlabig announced the contract has been signed with Hermes and the date of the Home Run Race is set for June 30, 2013. Stucky reported he would like to look into putting the event on FaceBook this year. Schlabig will get with Kelly McNeill to work on the Project Ticket. Stucky stated the race was a big hit with families running together last year and he would like to get families involved again next year.

Stucky reported 70 children and parents have been participating in the “free” indoor workout program (November 3<sup>rd</sup> – January 26<sup>th</sup>) held at the Blossom Facility on Saturday mornings from 8:30am to 9:30am and 9:30am to 10:30am. Allison Stucky and Shawn Broadbent have been helping out each Saturday. This activity is funded through the Run 4 Your Life Program. It is the hope of the Recreation Commission to have a “Series of Races” sponsored by the Run 4 Your Life Program.

**COUNCIL ROUND TABLE:**

Council Representative Rex Mack welcomed City Council member Laura Redinger and her son Thomas Redinger. Thomas Redinger wish a “Merry Christmas to All!” Redinger said she is excited about the possibility of having a series of races sponsored by the Run 4 Your Life Program.

There being no further business to discuss, it was moved by Nanci Schlabig and seconded by Candice Beaver to adjourn. The meeting was adjourned at 8:10 p.m.

Respectfully submitted:

Kelly McNeill

Clerk of Commission