

Wallington Board of Recreation

Meeting Minutes

October 10, 2023

\* Call to Order/Pledge of Allegiance at 7:33pm

\* Roll Call

Voting Members

Bogusz	<u>P</u>
Graham (P)	<u>A</u>
Kassteen (S)	<u>P</u>
Pokoj	<u>P</u>
Preinfalk (T)	<u>arrived 7:45</u>
Thompson	<u>P</u>
Wesolowski (VP)	<u>P</u>

Non-Voting Members

Alternate #1: \_\_\_\_\_

Alternate #2: \_\_\_\_\_

Recreation Director: Popek Excused

\* Approval of the Prior Meeting's Minutes Tabled due to not enough member in attendance that were present at August - September Meetings

\* Treasurer's Report

- 1) Remaining balance in the budget is -3053.69. The remaining \$1226.30 from Babe Ruth will not be needed and can be returned to the Budget. There are line items not yet submitted and may be put back into budget.
- 2) Received \$1100 from Ridgewood Jr Football for field rental
- 3) \$679.49 Trunk or Treat Trust Account
- 4)

**Motion to approve treasurers report made by Bogusz at 8:05 pm, and seconded by Thompson**

All approved

**Roll Call:** Bogusz Y Graham A Kassteen Y Pokoj Y  
Preinfalk Y Thompson Y Wesolowski Y

\* Presentations (none)

\* Old Business

- 1) Rec programs- Yoga will be Wednesday nights and Soccer Monday and Wednesday Nights. Wesolowski said he couldn't get lights on at Centennial Field. Kassteen suggested he call Ray Dynes at DPW.

\* New Business

- 1) Ridgewood Youth Football Reached out to use Field due to flooding at their field.
- 2) East Rutherford/Carlstadt Jr Wrestling sent letter requesting \$3500 to help with the cost of running the program, otherwise they would need to charge a registration fee of \$50 for Wallington Residents to participate

**Motion to cover \$50 Thompson at 8:14 pm, and seconded by Preinfalk**

All approved to cover \$50 registration fee for each Wallington Resident that signs up for ER/Carlstadt Jr Wrestling.

**Roll Call:** Bogusz Y Graham A Kassteen Y Pokoj Y  
Preinfalk Y Thompson Y Wesolowski Y

- 3) Trunk or Treat- Will be held October 29<sup>th</sup> 6-9. Still waiting approval to use the High School Parking lot (or Gym if inclement weather), if not it will hold at the Little League Parking Lot. Looking to have a bounce house and obstacle course. Still need to book a DJ and order Candy. A flyer will be sent out to the Schools and a Swift message will go out. Will avoid advertising on social media so we don't run into same situation as last year.
- 4) Susan Preinfalk said she is looking into the possibility of the old library being utilized for Rec activities once everything is moved out. (move is scheduled for some time in December)
- 5) Basketball -Pokoj looking to do Clinics for K-4<sup>TH</sup> Grade, looking to have a Travel Team for the 5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup> Grade Girls and 5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup> Grade Boys. Also have a Clinic for 5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup> Grade Boys and Girls that aren't on the Travel Team + Open Gym with pickup games for 7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> Graders. Looking to start registrations at end of October. Susan Preinfalk with update last years flyer.

\* Communications to the Board

Bob Biamonte (Director of Carlstadt/East Rutherford Jr. Wildcats Wrestling Program) Sent

Letter (read under new business)

\* Use of Facility Requests

- Charlie Vellis (Director of Athletics) High School Field on October 7<sup>th</sup> 4-9pm for Ridgewood Junior Football – Approved
- Troy Steiger (Grand Knight of Knights of Columbus-Council 3644) would like to use Centennial Field on October 8, 1:30-4:30 pm for Soccer Challenge - Approved

\* Open to the Public (All in favor)

**Motion to open was made by** Preinfalk **at** 8:24pm, **and seconded by** Bogusz

**Roll Call:** Bogusz P Graham A Kassteen Y Pokoj Y  
Preinfalk Y Thompson Y Wesolowski Y

**Motion to close was made by** Preinfalk **at** 8:25 pm, **and seconded by** Graham

**Roll Call:** Bogusz Y Graham A Kassteen Y Pokoj Y  
Preinfalk Y Thompson Y Wesolowski Y

\* Tabled Matters

Approval of the September Meeting's Minutes (Sept 5, 2023)

**Motion to accept was made by** Kassteen **at** 8:47, **and seconded by** Thompson

(All in favor except Thompson who was not present at previous meeting)

**Roll Call:** Bogusz Y Graham A Kassteen Y Pokoj Y  
Preinfalk Y Thompson Abstain Wesolowski Y

\* Adjournment (All in favor)

**Motion to adjourn was made** Preinfalk **at** 8:55 pm, **and seconded by** Bogusz

**Roll Call:** Bogusz Y Graham A Kassteen Y Pokoj Y

Preinfalk \_\_Y\_\_      Thompson \_\_Y\_\_      Wesolowski \_\_Y\_\_