

## Parks & Rec Committee Meeting

June 19, 2018

**Attendance:** Cathy Neff, Lois Stoner, Jean Smith, Barb Boise, Curt Bream, Karen Bream, Jim Brown, Jim Hoerner, Wanda Showers

**Public Attendance:** Rachel Bear, Annan Hollinger, Scott Boise, Ben Hoerner

**Call to order:** Cathy Neff called the meeting to order at 6:30pm

Motion made to approve minutes by: Lois Stoner, the motion was 2<sup>nd</sup> by Jim Brown – note: May meeting was cancelled due to elections

Public Comments: None

### **OLD BUSINESS:**

**1<sup>st</sup> subject old business** – Signs & Benches: Jim Hoerner says benches are built and all signs are done with exception of one for Butler Street. Cost is approximately \$70. We now have to decide where the benches will be located so Jim can have the concrete footers poured. Committee members will be walking the trail to see which locations will be best.

**2<sup>nd</sup> subject old business** - Monument for Kathryn Rynard: Lois made a suggestion concerning the ornament/monument on behalf of Kathryn Rynard. Lois suggested maybe a standing plaque similar to the signs along the trail (bronze in color). Annan Hollinger will get pricing from her suppliers and report next meeting.

**3<sup>rd</sup> subject old business** - Christmas Lights: The order has been placed for the lights that we had money to order. Jim Hoerner has not heard anything back from the company about delivery as of this meeting. We had enough money left over to order an extra holly leaf light. That should be a total count of 15 lights ordered. A suggestion was made to continue to raise money for the “fall sale” the light company has later this year.

**4<sup>th</sup> subject old business** - Trine Park: Jim Hoerner has stated he has not been able to start work at Trine due to other commitments. The electric for the pavilion will cost approximately \$1000 and Jim will do the work. We have received quotes from the following companies and the amounts listed for the roof of pavilion: Griffie’s Bldg and Remodeling - \$11,000; Biniek Specialty Contractors - \$14,200; Porter Construction – unable to provide a bid due to pavilion being pre-fab; Bitner Bros – no bid due to being a metal roof and they do not provide metal. Jim Hoerner recommends accepting the bid from Griffie Bldg. All in attendance agreed. Cathy Neff made motion to take this quote to borough council for approval. Lois Stoner 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion. All members in favor. Cathy will present to council at next meeting. The inside of the bathrooms at Trine will be repainted during the week of July 15<sup>th</sup> by Mt Holly Church of God Youth Work Camp.

**5<sup>th</sup> subject old business** - Concert in the Park: The date is July 14<sup>th</sup> from 4pm-7pm. Posters are available for distributing and displaying. We have 2 groups performing this year, Chapter VII Gospel and Danny Figgins. A volunteer list was discussed and members signed up for various items needed for the concert. Cumberland Valley Classic Car Club will have members of their club arrive approximately 3:30pm to put their cars on display. The parking will be on the left side of the road (facing the pavilion). Let’s hope for good weather.

## **OLD BUSINESS cont**

**6<sup>th</sup> subject old business - Holly Festival Day:** As of this meeting we currently have 36 vendors registered. We are slightly behind from last year's numbers as of this date. We will be boosting advertisement on Facebook. In addition, if you plan on attending any fairs, festivals, craft shows, flea markets etc., please hand out the information cards. If you need additional cards, please see Annan Hollinger at the Funeral Home. She will make additional copies as needed. We discussed several suggestions where to hand out additional cards. We are still trying to decide on live entertainment for the day of the festival. Some concern was discussed regarding last year's group. Lois will contact them and see if she can work out any details. If anyone knows of other entertainment please report to the committee.

**Additional subjects old business – Veteran's Park:** The grant money has been approved for the park. We are waiting on the engineer for more details.

## **NEW BUSINESS:**

**1<sup>st</sup> subject new business – Halloween Parade:** The "civic" club of Mt Holly is looking for a group or organization to take over the planning of the annual Halloween Parade. The civic club's membership has dwindled to the point of non existence. Linda Naugle is willing to help this year for any new group willing to take over. Discussion will continue on this topic at our next meeting.

**Adjourn:** Lois Stoner made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:50pm. Cathy Neff 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion. All in favor.

Next Meeting will be held: July 17 2018 at 6:30pm at the Borough Office.