

ROCKAWAY BOROUGH RECREATION

November 2011



Newsletter

Next Meeting,
Tues, Nov. 22nd
8PM
The Commission
does not meet in
December.

October Meeting Highlights

Present: Commission Members: T. Dennehy, D. Doty, T. Haynes, S. Patamia, S. Connington, R. Lenahan

Absent: N. Healy

Recreation Director: C. Johnson
Recreation Secretary: D. Tanzola
Public: Councilman Tom Mulligan

Chairperson/Director's Reports:

C. Johnson:

- Distributed a list of suggested requirements for anyone who wants to use the Borough Name as a sponsor.
- Presented a copy of the new sign for Friendship Field. A new flagpole will also be ordered.
 - Budgets are coming up and need to be submitted.
 - Reported that the Recreation Commission has an opportunity to buy a set of goals from Roxbury Twp. for \$500.00. She thinks this will be a good investment.

Old Business

S. Connington asked if the nets for the batting cage were deliv-

ered. C. Johnson answered yes. T. Mulligan reported that the DPW would put the framework up this fall.

T. Mulligan asked T. Dennehy to work with the Environmental Commission to develop Rules and Regulations for the Broad St. property (Open Space). T. Dennehy agreed.

New Business:

S. Connington discussed a flier sent home from school about a softball clinic run at Smith Field by Colleen Grow. C. Johnson said she was not aware of it. Discussion followed.

(Recreation Chairman, T. Haynes arrived at 8:25 pm.)

S. Patamia made a motion that all fall outdoor clinics are to be finished by the Sunday before Thanksgiving and the fields will be closed for use until spring field request forms are received and approved. T. Dennehy seconded the motion. All in favor.

S. Patamia made a

motion to allow girls softball clinic (ages 6-7) at Smith Field from 10:30 – 12:00 on Sundays starting October 30, 2011 until the Sunday before Thanksgiving. S. Connington seconded the motion. All in favor.

T. Mulligan discussed e-mail etiquette and asked the Commissioners to “stick to the facts” and omit emotions. S. Patamia said issues should be brought to the Recreation Commission.

Cleaning up the concession stand at Donatoni Field was discussed.

Weekend field inspections were discussed.

D. Doty suggested an outdoor movie night sponsored by Rockaway Borough Recreation.

C. Johnson reported that she asked Mrs. Pickett if she could help set up a volleyball tournament at the lake next summer.

Commissioner's Reports:

T. Dennehy reported that she is running a Holiday Trip to New York City on December 4, 2011. The cost is \$12.00 per person. (*Tickets to shows are not included, due to high prices.)

T. Haynes reported that Little League requests background checks every year. The new company does checks every three years. Little League will use their old system for the in between years.

Vouchers

PO #	Vendor	Account	Amount
25148	National Security Assurance, LLC	Recreation Trust Fund	\$ 126.00
25147	Rockaway Rowdies c/o Jen Doty	Recreation Trust Fund	2674.00
1098	Rockaway Rowdies c/o Jen Doty	Soccer	2693.00
TOTAL			\$5493.00