



# Newsletter

May 2011

Next Meeting,  
Tuesday,  
May 24<sup>th</sup>  
8 pm  
at the  
Community Center

## April Meeting Highlights

Commission Chairman T. Haynes called the meeting to order at 8:00 p.m.

*Present:* Commission Members: S. Connington, T. Dennehy, D. Doty, N. Healy, R. Lenahan, S. Patamia,  
Recreation Director: C. Johnson  
Recreation Secretary: D. Tanzola  
Absent: None Public: None  
*Chairperson/Director's Reports:*

C. Johnson:

- The summer staff is hired. She is in the process of getting the volunteers for the morning park program. The insurance company will hold a workshop for the summer employees on June 9.
- She received a request from Morris Hills to sponsor a basketball camp. Mayor Greuter contacted the Town Attorney, Ed Wacks and received information on developing guidelines for endorsing programs.
- The fields are suffering due to the wet weather.
- Playground inspections will be this May.
- Mayor Greuter signed up for the course to become our Rut-

gers Clinician. She hopes that one more person will sign up. After June, C. Johnson and S. Patamia will no longer be certified.

*Old Business:* None

*New Business:*

C. Johnson reported that the new parts to fix the water fountain at Friendship Field are on order.

D. Doty reported that he is receiving phone calls that the hotline needs to be updated regularly. C. Johnson responded that she has been sending out emails. Discussion followed. The Recreation Director will do both (send emails and update the hotline).

C. Johnson stated that any unauthorized use of fields should be reported to the Police Dept.

Sponsoring programs was discussed.

D. Doty reported that the construction on Maple Ave. is supposed to be ongoing thru August. This may affect the

Park Program (dropping off/picking up the kids and using the sidewalks). C. Johnson said something safe will be set up. .

D. Doty asked how the weekend hotline will be coordinated. T. Dennehy will take next weekend and T. Haynes will put out a schedule for weekend duty.

D. Doty asked about replacing field signs. C. Johnson responded that Friendship Field would be done this year. Clean Communities money will be used.

*Commissioner's Reports:*

T. Dennehy reported the trip to see "Wicked" id posted on the town sign. She asked the Neighbor News and the Citizen to advertise the trip. C. Johnson said it is in the school newsletter. Purchase orders: To Rockaway Boro LI for \$2,767.80 , reimbursement for fees and expenditures

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