

**Bernardsville Recreation Committee**  
**July 10th, 2018 Minutes**

The regular meeting of the Bernardsville Recreation Committee was held on Tuesday, July 10th, 2018 at Borough Hall, Bernardsville, NJ. Robert Steinkopf called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

**ROLL CALL:**

**In attendance was:** Patty DeLeo, William DeMilt, Louis Romano, Robert Steinkopf, Andrew Taylor, Peg Trinter, Councilman Jeff DeLeo and staff members Cheryl Ferrante and Neil Mastrobuono

**Absent was:** Ted Dolan, Al Schaufler and Doug Smoot

**APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES:**

The minutes were approved by Peg Trinter, seconded by Patty DeLeo

**OPEN SESSION:**

**QUESTIONS FOR THE RECREATION DIRECTOR/CORRESPONDENCE:**

Cheryl Ferrante reported on the director's report about recreation programs, facilities, the pool, and administration. The Summer Basketball League at the outdoor courts on Seney Drive began the week of June 25<sup>th</sup>. There are ten teams participating in the league with six teams in the 7/8 grade boys division and four teams in the 5/6 girls division. Summer Rec Camp began the week of June 25<sup>th</sup> with 125 campers attending. The head camp director from previous years did not return and last year's assistant camp director was on vacation for the first two weeks of camp. The recreation staff has been at camp for the first two weeks helping run the program with the assistance of the new camp director. Other summer camp programs being offered include: Kinder- Antics, Art with Jim McCarron, Camp Creativity with Allen Thurlow, Mining and Crafting, Video Game Design, Advanced Robotics, Recycled Creations, Fashion Design, Learn to Quilt, Baseball Camp, Basketball Camp, Girls Basketball Camp, Soccer Skills, Track Camp and Science Camp. Only one camp has been cancelled due to low enrollment. Spring scheduling for the turf field went well and the schedule for the fall is currently getting requests. All school pool parties were held in June. Pool members have been happy with the addition of the fence around the wading pool. The new floors and paint in the pool bathrooms has been a great improvement. Swim Team and Pre- Team have over 125 members with Ed Tzsucki returning as the swim coach. The first swim meet was held on June 27<sup>th</sup>. August 7<sup>th</sup> will be National Night Out. Movies will be shown on July 17<sup>th</sup> and August 7<sup>th</sup>. The Intergenerational Ice Cream Social will be held on July 17<sup>th</sup> with the movie COCO being shown. Hannaford Swim will be held on July 15<sup>th</sup> and Family Day will be held on July 22<sup>nd</sup>. Cheryl and Neil have taken over some of the management staff at the pool due to vacations and illnesses.

**FINANCIAL REPORT:**

Cheryl Ferrante reported on the financial report that the Pool is up \$1,400, Rec is up \$3,000 and programs in the trust fund are up \$9,000 from 2017 with registrations ongoing.

**ITEMS OF BUSINESS:**

Lights will not be allowed to be placed on the turf field, only outside of the fence around the perimeter of the field.

**OLD BUSINESS:****NEW BUSINESS:**

There will not be a Recreation Meeting held in August.

**ADJOURNMENT:**

The meeting was adjourned by Robert Steinkopf at 7:45pm.