

**PEQUEA TOWNSHIP
PARK & RECREATION BOARD
Minutes of – June 13, 2012**

The members of Pequea Township Park and Recreation Board met on Wednesday, June 13, 2012 at 7:00 pm in the conference room of the Pequea Township Municipal Building, 1028 Millwood Road, Willow Street, PA 17584.

Members present: Lew Witmer, Janet Hess, Lucy Gillichbauer, Steve Gogoj and Joan Gogoj

Meeting called to order by Lew Witmer at 7:00 pm with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Meetings to be held the second Wednesday of each month at 7 pm

Public Sign In Sheet: Jay Reynolds and Bob Funk

Approval of May 9, 2012 Minutes: Lucy Gillichbauer made a motion to accept the minutes from the May 9, 2012 meeting, seconded by Steve Gogoj. All voted in favor, none opposed.

Unfinished Business:

- 1) **Equipment Update – No issues.**
- 2) **Girl Scouts tree planting and service project – The project is finished. Six trees have been planted.**
- 3) **Concerned citizen regarding use of chemicals being used in the Park – Lucy Gillichbauer has researched alternative organic weed killer products. Discussion followed regarding the use of or non use of chemicals and various alternatives. The subject will continue to be researched and tabled until the next meeting.**
- 4) **Fundraising ideas to replenish the Park Donation account – The Park Board will have a separate meeting, date not yet determined, for fundraising ideas.**
- 5) **Cowpie BINGO fundraiser – This event has been canceled by the Central PA Leukemia and Lymphoma Society after the organization found out that they do not allow games of chance.**

New Business:

- 1) **Thank you letters to Community Day Vendors - The township secretary has been sending thank you letters to Community day donators and participants. The Park Board will supply names and addresses, if known. Also, the Park Board would like to post a Community Day thank you and appreciation on the township's web page. Connie Kauffman, Township Secretary, has agreed to post the message.**
- 2) **Memory Walk Tree Planting – Lew Witmer was contacted with some requests and will follow up to obtain the required information such as the type of tree, planting location and names in order to be approved by the BOS.**

Public Comments: Pequea Township Supervisor, Jay Reynolds, expressed his thanks and commended the Park Board for a great job on 2012 Community Days. He thought that year 2012 came off as good as every other year and that the Park Board did a great job as a new board.

Board Comments: Steve Gogoj suggested that the Park Board investigate the idea of purchasing some type of used vehicle to get around in the park, such as a used golf cart. Also, it was noted that the gas and diesel fuel containers in the barn at the Park are not labeled and recommended that this safeguard be put into place by labeling all containers.

With no other business, the meeting was adjourned at 7:58 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,


Joan M. Gogoj, Secretary
Park & Recreation Board