

*Burlington Township Recreation Commission  
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May 11, 2015  
19:10

Recreation Chairman Anthony Pizzigoni called the monthly Recreation Commission Meeting to order noting the Open Public Meeting Act has been honored with notices sent to The Burlington County Times and The Camden Courier Post for this and all meetings scheduled for the Year 2015. A notice of meeting dates has been posted on the official bulletin boards in the Municipal Complex on Old York Road and the Recreation Building on Lake Avenue. A copy is also on file with the Township Clerk.

Commissioners present were: Tina Carpenter, Lisa Clotter, Gene Camm, and Anthony Pizzigoni. Commissioners Mickey Foltiny, Chris Sabatino, Matt Senni, Jim Angelillo, and John DiDonato were not in attendance.

Council Representative Mike Cantwell was not in attendance; however, Rec. Director Diane Flannery was.

### **CORRESPONDENCE**

At this time, there was no correspondence.

After a review of the April 13, 2015 meeting minutes, a motion was made by Commissioner Camm to accept the minutes. Commissioner Carpenter seconded this motion. A unanimous supporting vote followed.

### **PUBLIC PORTION**

**Mikal Lundy**, 25 Lansdowne Road, explained to the Commission that he started a training company, Triple Threat 101, for ages 5-12 for basketball primarily and wondered whether he could use either outdoor or indoor courts for camps and/or clinics all year round for his business.

Comm. Camm indicated gym space is very limited and Mr. Lundy would also have to go through the Board of Education for such space. Due to the fact that fees are paid for the training programs, Comm. Camm suggested he contact the Burlington Township Sports Club Foundation and together they could possibly do something.

## COMMITTEE REPORTS

**Commissioner Camm** indicated the softball program is underway with both the Rec. teams and travel teams struggling a bit. In regards to the Rec. program, it is a new format whereby the girls are all playing in the Riverfront League, so some teams in that league are more of a travel team level. However, the girls are holding their own. With respect to the Travel teams, all were moved up a division, so the competition is a little more challenging.

**Commissioner Clotter** indicated tryouts for the Unlimited squad were held and a roster should be in to the Rec. Dept. by May 21. Every year, the girls attend a cheerleading camp in the Poconos with the High School cheerleaders, but this year, the High School is looking for a camp closer to home. Comm. Clotter also indicated that Varsity Cheerleading has possibly restructured the age groups for competitions, but is awaiting verification. Hopefully, it will not impact the program too much.

In **Commissioner DiDonato's** absence, Chairman Pizzigoni indicated Field Hockey registrations are ongoing and that the Track program has approximately 84 members with about five AAU events left to participate in.

In **Commissioner Foltiny's** absence, Chairman Pizzigoni advised that non-travel soccer games are progressing well. All games have been played and weather has not been a factor. The teen referees have been working out fairly well. Martin Poethke has been taking care of most of the junior division needs. The Pre-K soccer clinic is three weeks into the program with another one or two weeks left. Burlington Township will host a soccer camp by Challenger Sports the week of June 22-26. There will be programs for both older and younger children.

In **Commissioner Sabatino's** absence, Chairman Pizzigoni read his report as follows:

The roller hockey season is up and running with two divisions and four teams in each. All teams have played four games to date. The program's goal is to end the season Saturday, June 13 with this being championship game day. Comm. Sabatino would like to thank Barb and Director Flannery for all their help with getting the season up and running in such a short time. Also, thank you to all the parents who volunteered their time to coach a team this Spring. There is no report regarding street hockey at this time.

**Chairman Pizzigoni** advised he had no report regarding wrestling at this time. Regarding tennis, there are approximately 42 participants registered as of last Friday. Instructors for the program are two tennis pros from the Cherry Hill Health and Racquet Club. The program will be held at the courts behind the Municipal Building on Tuesdays and Thursdays from July 7 to August 13 from 6 to 7:30 pm.

Regarding football, over 100 kids participated in the Kashif Moore/Rod Streater Football Camp on May 9 at Burlington Twp. High School. Everyone seemed to have a good time. Chairman Pizzigoni thanked Rod and Kashif for giving back to the community and Adrienne Bilotta and the field's crew for helping to make the camp successful. Thanks also to Steve Macrae and the BTSC Foundation for their help with concessions. The Spring football team is currently 3-1. The last three games were won convincingly at 62-0, 32-0, and 18-7. The program is waiting to hear about playoffs.

## **DIRECTOR'S REPORT**

Director Flannery advised the Rec. Dept. will be open on Saturdays, May 16 and June 6 and 20 from 10 am to 2 pm.

## **COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVE'S REPORT**

As Council Representative Mike Cantwell was not in attendance, there was no report.

## **OLD BUSINESS**

There was no old business at this time.

## **NEW BUSINESS**

Comm. Camm advised the Commission there is a new territory rule regarding football, whereby a non-resident needs to also provide proof of residency in order to participate in a certain town.

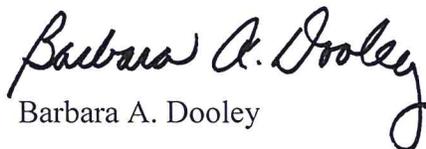
## **FINANCIAL REPORT**

The Commission was informed that \$7,180.00 was turned over to the Township Treasurer during the month of April 2015.

Commissioner Clotter then made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Comm. Carpenter. A unanimous supporting vote followed.

Meeting adjourned at 19:35.

Meeting minutes recorded and submitted by:

  
Barbara A. Dooley

cc: Mayor and Council  
Administrator  
Clerk's Office