

BETHEL TOWNSHIP
Recreation Board Minutes
July 21, 2016

Recreation Board Chairman Dale Light called the Recreation Board meeting to order at 7:06 p.m. at the Bethel Township Office 60 Klahr Road Bethel, PA.

Roll Call- Members in attendance were Don Almond, Bonnie Behney, Dale Light, Darlene Orendo, and Shirley Folmer absent was Township Supervisor Mike Graby.

Approval of Minutes- Bonnie Behney made a motion to accept the June 16, 2016 minutes Dale Light seconded with correction to the following motion to have Basketball nets installed, Fencing changes, Pavilion replacement and costs. The motion carried.

Public Comment- None

Unfinished Business-

1. Frystown Playground Update-

- a. YLAP – picture taken for Merchandiser. Dale and Don will install signs throughout the playground and ballfield area.

- b. Recreation Grant ideas-
 1. ADA pathway
 2. Parking Lot
 3. Bathroom Facility
 4. Replace Pavilion
 5. Repair Storage Building
 6. Fencing
 7. Walking Path on Playground SideDon and Dale will work on getting estimates for each project. Shirley will work on possible Grant from DCNR or other source with the help of Lee Groff.

2. Recreation Land-

- a. Darlene reported the address to be 1076 Airport Road Bethel Pa 19507.
- b. Brainstorming : Can we get a topographical map
 1. Walking Trails possibly two one flat one using the upgrade slope of the land
 2. Parking Area grade out and stone
 3. Pavilion and Picnic Area
 4. Nature Trails
 5. Bird Houses
 6. Timbering of land as needed may bring in some \$
 7. Small Playground
 8. Various picnic tables and benches scattered
 9. Signage to Introduce park and future plans to spark community interest.

3. Hometown Hero Banners-

- a. Darlene Orendo reported the banners are narrowed down to two styles. She has been in contact with Randy Haag, Carl Weaver, and Little Mountain Printing to update and change order form. The Board agreed to review the final form via email.

New Business-

1. Review of Residential/ Commercial Plan
 - a. No new plans to review.
2. EAC is asking to attend meetings to discuss Recreation Land use. The Recreation Board will invite EAC to attend the September meeting to begin discussions.
3. Bicentennial Signs- The board declined the project at this time due to other pending projects.

Next Meeting Date was set for August 18, 2016 at 7:00p.m.at the Bethel Township Office.

Adjournment- The meeting was adjourned at 8:40 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Bonnie Behney Recreation Board Secretary