

Aston Township Recreation Committee Meeting

5021 Pennell Rd.

Aston, PA 19014

Thursday, July 12, 2012

7:00pm

Present:

Chairperson: Commissioner, Carol Graham

Committee Members: Margaret Berry, Nancy Bowden, Maureen Dillon, Kit Spayd,

Aston Township Administration: George L. Needles III

Aston Township Resident: Glen Clark 7:00pm to 7:30pm

1. Call Meeting to Order

Chairperson Carol Graham called the meeting to order.

2. Approve the Minutes of the Meeting Held on June 7, 2012

Chairperson Graham asked for a motion to approve the June 7, 2012 meeting minutes.

Nancy Bowden made the motion and Kit Spayd second the motion. All parties were in favor and the meeting minutes were approved.

3. Eagle Scouts – Glen Clark

Glen Clark gave the committee a brief overview of what the Eagle Scouts are and can do for the community. He gave examples of the types of projects Eagle Scouts take on and how the committee could get involved in providing projects for the Eagle Scouts.

4. Smiles in The Playgrounds / Discussion / Sub-Committee

Committee member Kit Spayd informed the committee that she will be holding a "Smiles in the Playground" meeting on July 25, 2012 at 7:00pm. The meeting will be held at the Aston Township Building and many topics on how to raise funds needed to complete the program will be addressed.

5. Discuss Potential Movie Night During Summer

Chairperson Graham stated that she did not believe this event would be able to be organized for the summer. She will be attending a movie night at the Red Hill farm located in Aston this week. She is interested in seeking input from the individuals running that event on how she can plan a successful movie night through the Recreation Committee.

6. July – National Parks and Recreation Month

Township Administrator Needles informed the Committee that July is National Parks and Recreation Month. The committee came up with the idea to promote the parks on the Aston Township website, and possibly with a flyer to be on hand at the Community center.

7. Storage of Materials for Events

Township Administrator informed the committee that he has secured a small amount of space at the Community Center for the storage of the materials. Maggie Berry mentioned she had contacted a local storage company about getting a shed to store all of the material. Maggie will let the group know at the next meeting.

8. Other Business

Kit Spayd asked for a general donation letter to be drawn up by the township for Recreation Committee events. Maureen Dillon asked for the township to look into the licensing requirements for a Disney themed winter fest. George Needles brought forth a suggestion from Township Administration to host a concert in one of the township parks. The committee has decided to take on organizing this event and hopes to have it in September.

9. Adjournment

Chairperson Graham adjourned the meeting.