



West Pikeland Township
1645 Art School Road
Chester Springs, Pennsylvania
Parks and Recreation Board Agenda

Thursday November 5, 2020

- 1) **Call to Order:** Jodi Sheehan, Diana Urbanski, Judd Feinerman, Nancy Niggel (Library), Carin Mifsud, Jeff Loudin, Erin Grady, Cathy Grady, Nancy Bartley, John Matthews in attendance.
- 2) **Persons Wishing to be Heard:**
 - a) John Matthews reported for the EAC.
 - b) EAC met to investigate solar panels for buildings at Pine Creek Park.
 - c) There will be a shredding event (4 box max) at the Township Building, on November 14, 2020. All paper no plastic. Details on the township website.
 - d) May name small streams in township. Will work with surrounding townships to keep stream names consistent between townships.
 - e) Continuing to push conservation/renewable energy effort with the township. Rebranding name to make it more generic.
 - f) Composting site may be set up in near future in our township.
- 3) **Approval of Minutes:** October Minutes approved.
- 4) **Motion to Appoint New Board Member:**
 - a) Application received for new PR Board Member: Jeff Loudin.
 - b) Parks and Recreation Board recommends to the BOS that Jeff Loudin be appointed to the Parks and Rec Board.
- 5) **Renewals and Reorganization of Board for 2021:**
 - a) Jodi noted that she has been Chair for six years and would like another member to consider being the Chair or using Co-Chairs for this position.
 - b) Erin Grady would consider acting as a treasurer to monitor expenses and keep the board on budget.
- 6) **Review 2021 Budget:**
 - a) Jodi had submitted budget to the BOS and they approved it.
 - b) We recommend using 2020 budget funds to buy trail signs to clearly mark trails in Walnut Lane Park from the parking lot to the trailhead and from the park to Anselma Mill's trails.
 - c) Jeff will discuss details with the township.



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7) Pine Creek Park:

- a) The barn fire at Pine Creek Park is under investigation. The park will remain closed to the public until the investigation is complete.
- b) Nancy spoke to the volunteer who is interested in creating a pollinator garden at Pine Creek Park. They will meet in the near future to determine a suitable location. Will aim to complete the plan by spring.

8) Walnut Lane Park:

- a) Phase 1 was completed.
- b) The fields will be playable in spring of 2021.
- c) The only additional item to complete is to put a topcoat on the parking lot.
 - i) Topcoat planned for 2021.
- d) Benches from the Eagle Scout were relocated to Walnut Lane Park.
 - i) Jodi will follow up with details on number of benches and locations.

9) Misc:

- a) Considering meditation/mindful events at the park. Similar to our Yoga events.
 - i) Nancy to get details, pricing, etc. to present at the next meeting.
- b) May want to use Boy Scouts to start a trail around the pond at Pine Creek Park and we should brainstorm ideas for the Palmer House.

10) Mark Your Calendars:

- a) Next Meeting: Thurs 12/3 at 7:30 pm
- b) Community Egg Hunt on Saturday March 27.

11) Adjourn at 8:27 pm