

**PARKS AND RECREATION  
REGULAR MEETING  
Monday, January 17, 2022**

The North Fayette Township Parks and Recreation Board met in Regular session on January 24, 2022.

Kim Wickersham called the meeting to order at 7:08 p.m. and roll was called.

**MEMBERS PRESENT**

Greg Burroughs, Melissa Gnoth, Harry Psaros, Jen Wertz, Kim Wickersham, and Darlene Hildebrand, Parks and Recreation Director.

**MINUTES:** Mr. Psaros made a motion to approve the minutes from the November 15, 2021 meeting. Seconded by Mr. Burroughs.

**CITIZENS COMMENTS**

- No citizens' comments.

**REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEES:**

**CHRISTMAS TREE LIGHTING**

- The stuffed animals for children's pets were a success.
- The activities available were a success.
- There was a small turnout due to COVID.

**MOVIES IN THE PARK**

- No report.

**EASTER EGG HUNT**

- April 9, 2022. Egg stuffing will take place on April 7, 2022.
- Darlene will order candy for the egg stuffing from Fun Express. Community groups will be asked for participation in the egg stuffing.
- 15 gift cards in \$20 denominations will be purchased as prizes. North Fayette small businesses will be patronized.
- 0-2 year olds' eggs will be placed in the gymnasium, 3-5 year olds' eggs will be on ½ the tennis court, 5-8 year olds' eggs will be placed on the basketball court, and 9-12 year olds' eggs will be on ½ the tennis court.
- Darlene and Jen will coordinate signage for the tables for stuffing and the egg hunt areas.

- The Board needs to find someone for the Bunny suit.
- Ms. Wickersham will ask the NFT VFD to escort the Bunny to the event.
- Mr. Psaros will ask DJ Dan if he can participate.
- Face painting, balloon artist.
- Animal crackers and water.

### **COMMUNITY DAYS**

- No report.

### **FALL FESTIVAL**

- No report.

### **DIRECTOR'S REPORT**

- No report.

### **NEW BUSINESS**

- Mr. Kammerdeiner resigned from the Board effective December 31, 2021. Greg Burroughs nominated Harry Psaros to replace Mr. Kammerdeiner as the President of the Parks and Recreation Board. The nomination was seconded by Ms. Wickersham. There was a vote, and Mr. Psaros was unanimously elected. Greg Burroughs will remain in place as Vice President, and Kim Wickersham will remain in place as Recording Secretary.
- The Township Supervisors have requested that the number of Board members be raised to 9. A discussion ensued as to how to fill the vacant positions.
- A review of the Parks and Recreation By-laws took place. The Board will recommend to the Supervisors that wording be adjusted to allow for residents in the West Allegheny School District be permitted to be appointed to the Board to allow for a larger pool of applicants. A motion was made by Ms. Gnoth to accept the suggested wording of the By-Laws expanding the Board to the West Allegheny School District. Ms. Wertz seconded the motion. Ms. Hildebrand will take the recommendation to the Board of Supervisors at their next meeting.
- The Board will coordinate advertising events on as many local Facebook sites as possible. Mr. Psaros agreed to reach out to the administrators for the local community pages.
- Ms. Wickersham renewed membership for an additional five years.

**ADJOURNMENT:** A motion was made by Mr. Burroughs to adjourn and seconded by Ms. Wertz. The motion was carried, and the meeting was adjourned at 7:58 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Kim H. Wickersham  
Parks and Recreation, Secretary