

**SALISBURY TOWNSHIP
RECREATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE
MEETING MINUTES
NOVEMBER 19, 2012**

A regularly scheduled meeting was held on the above date at the Salisbury Township Municipal Building located at 2900 South Pike Avenue, Allentown, PA 18103. The meeting was brought to order at 7:32 PM. Committee members in attendance: Frank Adamcik, Walter Aungst, Antonella DiMatteo, Frank McCullough and Mark Wilson. Staff member in attendance: Genny Baillie, Township Recreation Director.

Approval of September 2012 Minutes:

On motion by Mr. McCullough, and seconded by Ms. DiMatteo, the Recreation Committee approved the September 18, 2012, meeting minutes as submitted.

Advisor Reports & Updates:

Frank Adamcik: No report.

Walter Aungst: No report.

Antonella DiMatteo: No report.

Frank McCullough: The largest tree in Lindberg Park had fallen and damaged the yellow sliding board in the play area of the park. Two other trees in Louise Lane Park had also fallen.

Mark Wilson: Thanked the Parks Department and Mr. McCullough for jointly taking such good care of the ball fields during the fall baseball and softball seasons.

Staff Reports & Updates:

Genny Baillie: Ms. Baillie reported that Salisbury High School had requested use of the Lindberg Park tennis courts for the spring boys season as they had for the fall girls season. The courts at Salisbury Middle School have some low spots and, while okay for practices, are not suitable for match play.

Old Business:

Ballfield Renovations: There was some discussion regarding the best timing for renovating the fields at Laubach Park, and the consensus was that the two possible windows are early spring (before spring sports begin) and during the summer (between the spring and fall sports seasons).

New Business:

Easter Egg Hunt: Mr. Adamcik renewed his suggestion for staging an Easter Egg Hunt. Ms. Baillie mentioned that her recreation budget has \$2000 set aside for such activities, and Just Born Candies would likely donate candy. With Easter on March 31st, the target date is Saturday, March 23rd, rain or shine, 10:00AM. Ms. DiMateo suggested that residents sign a waiver and bring to the Township Building, then get a voucher/ticket for participating. As for venue, she suggested either Franko Farm Park or perhaps on the fields behind Salisbury Middle School. All were in agreement to stage the egg hunt, so this topic will be revisited during the January meeting. After some discussion, because of parking concerns, it was agreed that SMS would be the better venue if it is available. Both Ms. Baillie and Mr. Adamcik mentioned that they would follow up to discuss with Mr. Soriano.

Adjournment:

The motion to adjourn was made by Mr. Wilson, seconded by Mr. Aungst and approved unanimously by the committee at 8:27PM.

Next Meeting:

The next regular meeting Recreation Advisory Committee Meeting is scheduled to be held on Monday, January 21, 2013, at 7:30PM.

Respectfully submitted,
Mark R. Wilson
Secretary, Recreation Advisory Committee