

**LOWER POTTSBROVE TOWNSHIP
PARK AND RECREATION BOARD
Monday, February 27, 2023**

The regularly scheduled Park and Recreation meeting was held Monday, February 27, 2023, and was called to order at 6:31 p.m. The following were in attendance:

Robert Van Bramer
Thomas Orlando
Thomas C. Troutman
Tyler Tyson
Brian Ward
Amy Henderson
Steward Chirofsky- Visitor

Mr. Orlando made a motion to approve the January 23rd minutes and seconded by Mr. Tyson. The vote was 5-0 in favor.

TOWNSHIP STAFF REPORT

Discussion on PA American Water Grant

The park board reviewed and discussed the PA American Water Grant. They have decided to not apply for this grant this year.

Discussion on Adventure Grove Playground

The park board reviewed the letter submitted to the Board of Commissioners regarding an Inclusive Playground project for Sanatoga Park. Mrs. Henderson stated that the board for Adventure Grove Playground presented a presentation to the Board of Commissioners on February 23, 2023. No objections were made by the park board members regarding them using Sanatoga Park for this project.

Park Report

Mrs. Henderson stated that the public works department has made repairs to the post and cable at Snell Road park, removed trees from Ringing Rocks lake, cut up trees at the Ringing Rocks lake, swept the basketball court at Gerald Richards Park, removed garbage at all parks, and removed two (2) dead trees at Sanatoga Park.

Sponsorships received for our events

Mrs. Henderson stated that she had sent out sponsorship letters to local businesses for our 2023 community events. So far Traffic Planning and Design has chosen to sponsor the Easter Egg Hunt. We are currently working on the sponsorship for the summer concert series.

Update on the grant projects at Sanatoga & Ringing Rocks Parks

Mrs. Henderson stated that public works will start to put the Sanatoga Park playground equipment together in the spring. The trek bench that was donated has been delivered to the public works

building. We are currently working on getting the quotes for Sanatoga Park signage.

Update Easter Egg Hunt April 1st

Mrs. Henderson stated that she has ordered and received the filled easter eggs. She has also started to get the prizes ordered and together. Pottsgrove's softball team was asked to help again this year. The easter egg hunt has been changed to Gerald Richard's Park.

Update on Summer Concert Series June 25th-August 6th

Mrs. Henderson stated that we will be having six (6) bands perform again this year. All the bands but one (1) has signed their contract. This year's performers will be Zydeco-a-go-go, Bill Koss Combo, Flaming Dicks and the Hot Rods, Stephanie Grace, Carnaby Street and Pottsgrove Community Band.

Update on 2023 Community Days

Mrs. Henderson stated that we had already started booking items. The DJ has been booked along with H&K simulator will be coming back this year. We will be having community days at Lower Pottsgrove Elementary School again this year on Saturday, September 9, 2023, the time is to be determined.

OLD BUSINESS

No old business at this time.

NEW BUSINESS

No new business at the time.

COMMENTS BY BOARD MEMBERS

No new comments by board members

NEXT MEETING

Mr. Tyson made a motion to adjourn the meeting and seconded by Mr. Orlando. The meeting ended at 7:13 p.m. The vote was 5-0 in favor.

The next regularly scheduled meeting will be held on Monday, March 27, 2023, starting at 6:30 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,



Amy Henderson
Administrative Support

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