

NEW HOPE PARKS & REC BOARD MEETING, MONDAY JUNE, 27,2022

AGENDA

Meeting will be called to order.

Roll call/attendance taken.

Approval/acceptance/corrections of minutes from meeting on May 23, 2022

Financial Reports provided by Christina Szabo: not avail until 6/27. Will bring to meeting.

Old Business:

- Story Time Event On The Green Roof

The dates when the community room is available (inclement weather):

Wednesdays: 9/14, 9/28, 10/5

Thursdays: 9/15, 9/22, 9/29

Need to decide on:

>a date for event

>plan to refresh/refurbish the green roof area.

>2 large concrete containers still need to be moved to green roof & planted.

>Beds need to be weeded, refreshed, additional plantings most likely needed.

>Wrought iron furniture needs to be cleaned & spray painted.

>advertising of event ... RSVP? Email blasts, posts, posters

>snacks/beverages

The scout that contacted me has now declined to work on green roof, however, the scout leader has indicated interest. She will let me know for sure hopefully by 6/27.

- Repairs to Lenape Park

Still waiting to hear from Tom Carroll regarding the repairs to the water feature in Lenape Park. We had already discussed that this expense should not be our financial responsibility.

1.the pump motor needs to be replaced

2.the concrete pit that houses the pump, filter, etc. needs to be vented because of too much condensation.

3.all of the electric needs to be upgraded that is in the pit- unsafe.

New Business:

I was approached by local landscaper, Kevin Ellenberg/Affordable Landscaping, regarding the window racks on Visitor Ctr building as well as his idea of a garden @ Visitor Ctr. I told him to work up a proposal/estimate but to date have not received anything. This could very well be something that we could do ourselves - at least the window racks - by the July 4th holiday. They look pretty bad.

Gardening Committee Update:

All hanging baskets and hayracks were planted in time for Memorial Day Weekend & look awesome!

Living Earth plants the hayracks onsite (this was a question last month).

I cleaned out the hayracks along Main Street and West Mechanic Street (still had overgrown weeds and leftover holiday decorations). Next year I would like to request that Public Works cleanout all baskets by end of April.

Meeting adjourned

Next meeting: Monday, July 25, 2022