

RAMSEY POOL COMMISSION
MINUTES OF A REGULAR MEETING, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 31, 2021

Due to COVID-19 restrictions, the March meeting was held via Zoom. The March meeting of the Pool Commission was called to order on Wednesday, March 31, 2021, rescheduled from Wednesday, March 17, 2021, at 8:02 p.m., by Chairman Hewitt. Also present were Ms. DeLorenzo, Mrs. Hoffman, Mrs. Meyer, Mrs. Suarez, Commission members, Mr. Bach, Pool Manager, and Mrs. Dey, Secretary. Mr. Jost and Council Liaison Jones were absent.

In accordance with the laws of the State of New Jersey, public notice of the meeting was published in The Record and The Ridgewood News, and posted in the Municipal Building.

MINUTES

Upon motion by Mrs. Hewitt, seconded by Mrs. Suarez, the minutes of the February 17, 2021 meeting were approved as received.

PUBLIC COMMENT-None

REPORT OF THE POOL MANAGER (AGENDA ITEMS)

Thus far, approximately \$160,000 has been received for memberships. There are more than 900 family memberships, 150 senior memberships, and 120 out-of-town memberships. He provided some comparisons to prior years and the 2021 numbers to date are considerably ahead. The first tier of fees ends on Wednesday, April 14th; in-person registration will be available on that day at the pool from 2 to 6 p.m., providing one more push before the fees go up on Thursday, April 15th.

The usual seasonal contracts will be awarded soon. The information regarding the snack stand has been sent to Pete LaBarbiera (Pete and Mary's) and can be sent to anyone who is interested.

REPORT OF THE CHAIRMAN/BOARD MEMBER COMMENTS-None

REPORT OF THE COUNCIL LIAISON-None

SUB-COMMITTEE REPORTS

Activities

Mr. Bach has booked two bands for two Fridays in July.

By-Laws-None

Facilities

Mr. Bach would like to purchase two more big umbrellas. There is a tree which must come down and he is looking for someone to do that removal. Many names were suggested by the Commissioners.

Swim Team

Mr. Bach has been in contact with Coach DeCaro. There will be a regular swim team this year which will practice from 8 to 9 a.m. One home meet and one away meet will be scheduled, with more, if possible. No decisions have been made about swim lessons, but private lessons would be an option.

OLD BUSINESS

Mrs. Hewitt shared details about the pavers fundraiser. If fifty pavers are sold, approximately \$3,000 will be raised if the pavers are sold for \$100. The company provides a website and flyers. Shipping is free. Mr. Hewitt has someone who can install the pavers. Mrs. Hewitt will speak to Councilman Jones about the project.

NEW BUSINESS

Shaun Bach is now a dad (Jason Anthony) and will be cutting back on his pool hours, with his salary adjusted accordingly. Gary Bach will need to hire someone to fill some of Shaun Bach's shifts.

The April meeting will be held at the pool on Wednesday, April 21st.

ADJOURNMENT

Upon motion by Mrs. Suarez, seconded by Mrs. Hewitt, and approved unanimously, the meeting was adjourned at 8:27 p.m.

The next meeting of the Pool Commission will be held at the pool on Wednesday, April 21st, at 8:00 p.m.

