

RAMSEY RECREATION COMMISSION

MINUTES OF MEETING

MAY 16, 2022

The May meeting was held in person at borough hall and also via teleconference. The regular meeting of the Ramsey Recreation Commission was called to order by Recreation Director Popolo at 7:32 p.m. Present via teleconference were Mr. Kemp and Mrs. Oliver. Commissioners, and Council Liaison Gutwetter. Present at borough hall were Mr. Blasius, Mr. Jachts, and Mr. Winterhalter, Commissioners. Mrs. Fitzgerald, Mr. Jarvis, and Mr. Siraki were absent.

MINUTES

Mr. Winterhalter moved that the minutes of the April 18, 2022 meeting be approved as received, seconded by Mr. Blasius, and passed.

ACTIVITY REPORTS (OLD/NEW BUSINESS)

Mrs. Dey noted that the by-laws should be in the possession of the governing body for approval. Councilman Gutwetter will check with Borough Administrator Vozeh about their status.

Ramsey's 50th Home Run Derby is scheduled for Saturday, June 18, 2022. Ramsey's six overall winners through the years will be recognized prior to the 2022 contest. Rather than have a cake, baseball and softball cookies with the number 50 on them will be available. An e-mail was sent to the RBSA, detailing the plans so far. The concession stand will be open. Mrs. Dey has started to publicize the event wherever possible. Non-Ramsey residents are able to participate. Mr. Popolo distributed the Ramsey Recreation clothing to the Commissioners at borough hall and will get the clothing to those Commissioners attending via telephone or unable to attend. The Bradley brothers will also be given shirts.

As of Monday, May 16th, there were 246 campers registered for summer camp, 26 kindergartners, 33 first graders, 43 second graders, 41 third graders, 48 fourth graders, and 55 fifth graders. In 2021, 196 were registered by May 16th and 223 were registered in total. The numbers are capped at 400 total campers. Mrs. Dey will send out another reminder e-mail blast.

Women's over 23 softball and Men's over 45 softball are going well. The adult softball league has also started with nine teams.

Mrs. Oliver asked about the status of wrestling. Mr. Reid had told Mr. Popolo that there may be a couple of people with younger children ready to take the reins of the program.

The July meeting will be the summer meeting that will be cancelled.

At the August meeting, plans for the Ramsey Run on Saturday, September 24th, will be finalized. The bathrooms at the pool will be used rather than the senior center bathrooms.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to come before the Commission, the meeting was adjourned at 7:45 p.m. upon motion by Mr. Jachts, seconded by Mr. Winterhalter, and passed.