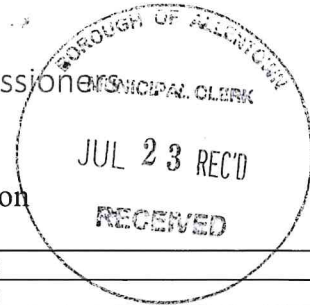


Allentown Borough Board of Recreation Commissioners

Meeting Minutes

Monday, June 24, 2024, 7:00 PM

This meeting is being held via Zoom and in-person



Board Members Participation

Present	Craig Rondinone (Chairperson)	Absent	Rob Schmidt
Present	Diana Bamford (Secretary)	Present	Kelly Owens
Present	Michael Pleva	Present	Claudia Lilley (Assistant Chairperson)
Present	Barbara Pleva (Green Team Rep)	Present	Mathew Zarzecki (First Alternate)
Present	Michael Drennan (Council Liaison)	Present	Adam Bucon (second Alternate)

Call to Order by Chairperson Craig Rondinone at 7:04 pm and the compliance statement was read.

1. Salute to Flag
2. “In Compliance with the “Open Public Meetings Act” Chapter 231, PL. 1975, Section 5, adequate notice has been given of the meeting by posting a Notice in a public place and by transmitting a Notice to two newspapers, THE TIMES and the ASBURY PARK PRESS, as required by law.”
3. Roll call was performed by Craig Rondinone
4. Minutes Review and Approval – May Minutes approved Kelly Owens and seconded by Matt Zarzecki.
5. Carpool Cinema (May 31)
 - a. 30 cars about 150 participants
 - b. The movie was sufficiently bright this year.
 - c. Cost approximately \$1,950
6. Historic Allentown 5K (September 28):
 - a. Website is live
 - i. Runners under 17 only pay \$20, others \$30. The “fun run” will remain \$15.
 - b. The banner for the race was approved by Monmouth county. The banner placement in a new place this year, expected to be up before Labor Day.
 - c. Sponsorship letters to be sent out within the next two weeks. Lawn signs to be updated and put up.
 - i. Sponsorship packages to stay the same.
7. New Business:
 - a. Allentown Commission Presidents meeting scheduled for July 9th, 5pm. Craig is not available, either Barb or Kelly will represent our commission.
 - b. Pro Wrestling Event request, that we the commission would need to pay \$4,500. The commission would get the door ticket income. A ticket normal price \$45 ring and \$25 general – we would need about 150 to break-even.
 - i. Who would have the insurance risk?
 - ii. Preliminary vote: **Sustain** – Barb **No** – Kelly, Diana, Claudia, Craig, Matt, and Adam
 - c. The Commission talked about possibly having one carriage ride day around Halloween and one in December, instead of having a full weekend of carriage rides in December. Waiting for the carriage availability for October. Proposing 10/24 (preferred), 10/25 or 10/26
8. Old Business:
 - a. Christmas Lights are still on the tree, that need to be removed.
9. Next Meeting –July 22, 2024
10. The Meeting was adjourned at 7:44 p.m.