

**East Brandywine Parks & Recreation
Meeting, May 2, 2016**

Agenda:

In Attendance: Betsy Brown, Kirk Fuhrman, Sandy Lammey, Don Lynn, Susan Massimini, Luke Reven, Robert Smedley, David Summers, and Leslie Winters. Also sitting in on this meeting was Andrew Hyde, a Scout observing for a merit badge, along with his father, Dale Laughman.

FYI – Tennis gate repaired. Matt will have an electrician look at the clock. I have not checked the light at the Alison. Matt thought it might be in need of a bulb.

The township has received a complaint about people parking on the grass. Dave referred this to Scott, Matt, Luke etc.

We need signage for “No Parking” on the grass as has been requested by Parks and Rec. Kirk will say something to EBYA about parking.

Community Park Service Project - Cadette Girl Scout Troop is going to work on cleaning up the Jane Humphrey Garden.

EBYA Update – Kirk

Arrangements have been made for use of the gators for the Wall That Heals and the Concerts In The Park. EBYA will work around the June concert and the July concert will not be an issue.

Newsletter Response – Dave

Received the following donations: \$600.00 for maple trees from Matt Micken; \$500.00 unrestricted donation from Britt Kay & 2 brick orders. Talked about phase 3 as the location for the donated trees and hope to have trees in before the end of the month.

Golf Outing Update – Dave, Bobby

Coatesville Country Club – June 6, 2016

Dinner Menu? Not finalized yet, but looking at a pasta, meat, potatoes, vegetables, salad and rolls menu.

Celebrating 25 Years at the Community Park

Run for the Parks – Leslie

Leslie mentioned that we’re losing some big sponsors this year (Stauffers being one). Looking at other vendors to get a cheaper bid on the tee shirts. Discussed commemorating 25 years of the park on the shirts.

Community Day

- Confirmed events – see separate...Sandy will update.
- Opening Ceremony – presentation of quilt
- East Brandywine Cup – Sponsored by Medicine Shoppe - \$1,000 – see brochure

Concerts – Don

- DNR Band
- Anna Spackman – singer/songwriter
- Advertising
- 50/50
- Pass the Hat

Both concerts are on the Community Calendar with links to their sites. Don will be in touch with DNR and Anna Spackman one month before their concerts and will also put posters up in the park.

Wall That Heals - Update

- 70% complete volunteers
- Online donations with Hopewell UMC
- Escort Route approved by VVMF – Starting location at DHS East? Stop at Veteran’s Memorial in Kerr Park
- Setup time – July 27 - 11:00 am; Teardown time – July 31 - 4:30 pm

Memorial Day Flag Display – Tentative setup date – Tuesday, May 24 – 6:00 pm

Flag set-up was changed to Thursday, May 19th @ 6 so that the display would be in place for the

Armed Forces Appreciation Picnic with Rep. Becky Corbin – Saturday, May 21, 11:00 – 1:00.

Township Info. - Luke Reven

The tennis court rental is set. Also talked about the Whiteacre Memorial Park, a park established by funds raised by Dr. Whiteacre when he was alive.

Other???

Next Meeting – Monday, June 6, 2016 – 7:00 pm.

- 25 Year Celebration
- Newsletter
- Community Day/Run for the Parks
- Golf Outing
- Concerts