

East Brandywine Parks & Recreation
Minutes, June 6, 2022 – 7:00 PM
Meeting – Township Building

Attendees: Sandy Lammey, Dave Summers, Gail Matthews, Kirk Fuhrman, Mike Mize, Luke Reven, Township Manager, Leslie Winters and Dave Perme, Race Directors

Meeting started at: 7:02pm

Leslie Winters – 5K+ Run for the Sun

- Signups are underway - 25 signed up so far
- Updates - good list of sponsors so far
- Volunteers
 - Need 7 Marshalling stations
 - Hopewell UMC will cover the water stations
 - Need 17 volunteers, have 20 responses, starting at 5:30pm

John Montgomery – Hopewell Field - tabled to future meeting

Approval of May Minutes - Kirk motioned, Gail seconded, all voted in favor.

Additional Items for Discussion: Sandy

- Blue and Gold Festival
 - Starting at 1pm
 - Parks & Rec does not think that EBYA should reserve parking spaces for food trucks
- Lacrosse Goals
 - Moved to Field 6
- Slide Repairs at Spatola
 - May have been natural damage, not vandalism
 - Slides will be replaced in the near future
- Open Space Committee Inquiry
 - Re-opened inquiry on McQueen RV Park
- Flag Donation from VFW
 - \$500 donation toward Memorial Day flags
- Inclusive Playground Project
 - Gail and Sandy met with proponents today, and they are willing to help with fundraising for this project
 - Existing area is 45' x 78' and the group will review the area beyond David's Garden
- Bench Installation
 - To be installed by Public Works in the near future
- Trash Cans on Weekends
 - Consider opportunities to expand trash removal coverage into the weekend
- Baptist Food Truck Festival
 - Large Gathering and Fireworks meeting this morning - permits have been secured
 - Exclusion zone for the specific mortars is 210'
- Light on flag pole repaired at Krapf

Financial Report – see attached

New Bathrooms/Well Update – Dave

Well is drilled - 300', 20gal/min which is a good yield. Waiting on timeline for further construction.

Golf Outing – Dave

- \$17,385 received from fees and sponsors
- \$6,864 Honeybrook Golf Club bill and some incidental expenses
- Net about \$10,000 for the event

Memorial Day Ceremony – Sandy

Event went well, but low turnout, may consider eliminating the ceremony in the future

2022 Events

- June 17 – Movie – Luca - *Gail*
- June 21 – Run for the Sun - *Leslie*
- June 23 - Concert – West Chester Swing Kings - *Don*
- July 7 - Concert - Jay Allan's Legend of Elvis - *Don*
- July 15 – Movie – Onward - *Gail*
- July 21 – Concert – Minerva with Kevin Henry and Peggy Carroll-Henry - *Don*
- August 19 – Movie – Raya and the Last Dragon - *Gail*
- October 9 - Fall Festival – *Sandy*
- December 4 – Tree Lighting - *Sandy*

Eagle Scout and Gold Award Scout, Graduation Project Updates – Mike, Don, Dave

- Trager Brown - **no updates on next planned activity**
- Elizabeth and Kate Mahmud
- Rachel Dawson - **looking for timeline to start project**

EBYA Updates – Mike

- Rec season wraps up this weekend
- Softball tournament at Community Park on Father's Day weekend
- 11U Baseball tournament starts that weekend at both Community & Spatola Parks and runs MON/WED/FRI the week of June 20

Meeting adjourned at: 8:49pm

Next Meeting – July 11, 2022 – 7:00 pm. – Township Building