

**Ashford Parks and Recreation
Meeting Minutes
Monday, October 16th, 2017**

Present: Sherry York, Sandra Moquin, Garth Bean, Neil Gordon, and Dan Kehoe

Public to be Heard: None

Meeting Minutes: Dan made motion to accept the September minutes, Neil seconded, all in favor.

Financial Report – There was no financial report

Chair Report: No chairperson at present. We discussed recruiting for the APRC. We all wrote down names of possible candidates for APRC commissioners.

Old Business:

Program Update - Fall:

- Soccer – ends Friday (October 20th)
- Gymnastics – ends next week
- Swim Lessons – 2 more weeks (November)
- Yoga – running
- Tai Chi – completed 4 week intro, wants to make an 8 week session. Looking for more pp. Joe Pandolfo is the instructor. This is advertised in the Citizen
- Upcoming Basketball Season – Flyer will be available on 10/23
- Carol Sing/Tree Lighting December 3rd – 4:30 P.M. – 7:00 P.M.
- Bus Trips Schedule – Radio City Music Hall – November 11th – Christmas Spectacular. This is Sherry's program and we will need to have a chaperone. Sherry inquired if anyone one interested in going as a chaperone. The show is at 5:00 P.M. The fee is \$125 per person. The bus leaves at 9:00 A.M. and returns at 10:00 P.M.

Plans and Upcoming Special Events:

- Halloween Party is on October 27th we discussed who will be doing what at this event
- Carol Sing is on December 3rd – Soup will be broccoli & cheddar, chicken noodle & hodgepodge. Dan will oversee the making of the soups.
Neil suggested that we post events on board out front: advertise Radio City on Sandwich Bd.

New Business:

We discussed meeting schedule for 2017 – to continue with the 3rd Monday of the month

Next meeting is Monday, November 20th, 2017. There is no meeting in December. (Carol Sing). There is a Budget meeting in January.

Parks Maintenance Update:

Six students from Eastern worked with Troy Hopkins to clean then trail at Pompey Hollow Park. They were unable to paint the bridge overlook that day due to the wet weather. The Commissioners will check out the bridge on a nice day to plan for its maintenance.

Motion to adjourn – motion made to adjourn by Garth and seconded by Dan all in favor. Meeting adjourned at 8:45 P.M.

Minutes taken by Sandra Moquin and submitted to Sherry York on 10/24/2017