

Mayfield Village Parks and Recreation Board Meeting
Wednesday, May 25, 2022, 6:00 p.m.
Mayfield Village Civic Center

MINUTES

Attending: Councilman Mark Arndt, Pat Andrzejczyk, Mary Ann Brastoff, Terrie Haycox, Peggy Kerver, Dona Kless, Mary Murphy, Dave Perout, Laura Prcela, Council President Steve Schutt, Kate Sullivan, Shane McAvinew and Danielle Echt.

Introduction: Kate opened the meeting and called for approval on the April 6, 2022 Meeting Minutes. Peggy made a motion to approve. Laura seconded. All committee members in attendance agreed.

Special Events Update

Memorial Day Celebration

- Sunday, May 29, 1:00 p.m. at Whitehaven Cemetery.
- Mary Singer has coordinated with Whitehaven and has arranged for placing the flags, speakers, programs and refreshments.
- Danielle and Shane will be helping Mary that day and Shane will be coordinating the sound system.
- Mark will be Master of Ceremony.

Mother's Day Pancake Breakfast

- Sunday, May 8, 8:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. at Community Room
- Shane reported that there was a rush on last minute registration and numbers doubled the week before the breakfast. In 2023, there will be an early bird rate to encourage timely registration.
- Mark said that the event was great; flawless. The Community Room is very inviting. Mary also agreed that it went well.
- Shane suggested eliminating backdrop for pictures and just take pictures outside or at table where family is eating. This will free up space in the fireplace area.

Cruise Night

- Saturday, June 11, 3:00-7:00 p.m.
- Volunteers still needed.
- Shane reported that all restaurants except for one are okay with the new time. He said that the Village will not have to rent lights, there is less competition with St. Francis Festival.
- The event has been well received on social media.

Program Updates

- Shane reported gross income is above where it was in 2019 at this time. Due to Covid, 2020 & 2021 are not comparable.
- Summer Camp is full and other programs are filling.
- Covid hit the adapted programming hard. This population has been more reluctant to return to programming. One of the co-op groups that Mayfield Village programmed with has new leadership and is looking to do more programming on the west side. They may still partner up on a few programs which is encouraging.
- Swim lessons increased to \$60 and \$50. Tuesday night lessons were added. Note: New lap clock needed.

Other Items

Scholarship Update

- Shane reported that the food trucks at The Grove have committed to contributing money to the Village this summer; earmarked for the scholarship fund. The account sits at \$8,500 currently and the food trucks should contribute \$1,000 approximately. Shane would like to review the account in the fall and determine the 2023 scholarship amount to give out.
- Shane said money could be given to one student or two and not necessarily the 4.0 student. He suggested looked at other levels and reviewing the scholarship criteria. Mary added that the “superstars” usually have other scholarships. Kate and Laura said that the scholarship committee looks at the who picture. Grades are not everything. They like seeing how the kids interview.
- Laura suggested putting something about the scholarship in the VOV so the Mayfield Village families are aware of it. There could also be a little showcase of who received the scholarship last. Shane said that he could put something in the January edition.

Volunteers

- A reminder that volunteers are needed for all special events. There were only a few Recreation Board Members for the Easter event and one or two for the Halloween event.
- The Interact Club from Mayfield High School has supplied a lot of volunteers. Several of the members signed up to help out at Cruise Night as individuals.

Next Meeting: TBD