

**VILLAGE OF VALLEY VIEW  
RECREATION DEPARTMENT**

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**RECREATION BOARD MEETING MINUTES**

Thursday, February 15, 2018

7:00 P.M. Meeting

- I. Roll Call
  - A. Todd Von Ville, Director of Recreation
  - B. Janet Flaherty, Assistant Director of Recreation – ABSENT
  - C. Rocco Casadonte, Recreation Board
  - D. Doug Dyer, Recreation Board
  - E. Jeff Grabel, Recreation Board
  - F. Debbie Hartman, Recreation Board – ABSENT
  - G. Tina Paulson, Recreation Board
  - H. Tom Perk, Council Recreation Committee Chair
  - I. Brad Borowy, Council Representative
  - J. Dan Westfall, Council Representative
  - K. Jeff Gabor, Groundskeepers Foreman – ABSENT
  - L. Cindy Termini, Recreation Leader
  
- II. Random Selection of Pavilion Lottery Positions
  - Positions were randomly chosen for each resident who entered the lottery (1-183). Letters will be sent to notify each lottery participant that Pavilion Assignment Day is scheduled for Saturday, March 10.
  
- III. Service Department/Groundskeepers
  - The groundskeepers are performing typical winter tasks in preparation for spring.
  
- IV. Project List
  - The installation of a holding tank adjacent to Pavilion A has been approved for plans and specifications and is under design by the engineer's office.
  - The process for a potential restroom at the soccer field was continued at the February Council meeting. If plans continue on track, the facility could be opened during the fall 2018 soccer season. Board member Rocco Casadonte wanted to let the Board know that he saw an article regarding the Cleveland Metroparks recent agreement to lease Dunham Park from the City of Maple Heights. Casadonte said that the article mentioned the possibility of the Metroparks working with C.E.I. to obtain access to their property in an effort to connect Dunham Park to the Towpath via a path/trail, which if it would become a reality, could pass by Valley View Woods.
  - Additional possible projects (replacement of the pipe beyond the outfield fence at Winik Field, the camera work and the potential cleaning of the storm sewer at the soccer field in Valley View Woods) are still in the queue with the Engineer's Office. The timing of the work at Winik will hopefully avoid major conflicts with scheduled activities, and the Recreation Department is working in conjunction with the Engineer's office to have as little of an impact to the schedule as possible.

- A plan for test areas to curb erosion on the path in Valley View Woods is progressing. The steps on the east side of the bridge between the soccer field and Winik Field have been removed as part of this process.

#### V. Other Discussion

- Council Recreation Committee Chair Tom Perk said that the facility in Valley View (CAPS Fieldhouse) that replaced the Golf Dome is scheduled to open soon, and that the Fieldhouse may be willing to work with the Village to use field space in the event of bad weather.
- Board member Tina Paulson asked if the walls in the Aerobics Room would be painted soon. Some of the paint is beginning to chip and many of the users prefer one solid color. The painting will be put on a future project list, but may not be accomplished until next winter.
- Board member Doug Dyer asked if the Recreation Board or Recreation Department had any information regarding the removal of the road signs that recognized the 2014 State Championship Softball Team from Cuyahoga Heights High School. The Board nor the Recreation Department had any knowledge of the removal of the signs.

#### VI. Information Update

- Spring Soccer registrations are in the lobby, for those who did not play in the Fall, but wish to play in the Spring (deadline March 1).
- Baseball/Softball registrations and Coaching Applications are in the lobby of the Community Center (deadline April 1).
- Youth Baseball and Softball Clinics (April 22) and Pitching Clinics (April 29) are scheduled for the spring.
- A summer Soccer Camp will be held in Valley View Woods from June 4-8.

**Next Meeting: PLEASE NOTE DATE – Wednesday, March 14 at 7:00 P.M. – Village Hall**