



## Reynoldsburg Parks and Recreation Commission Meeting

Wednesday, October 11, 2017

5:30pm

- I. Roll Call Roll Call
  - a. Meeting was called to order by Ryan Phillips at 5:39pm
  - b. Roll was taken by Michelle Brennan. Dawn McCloud was not in attendance. All other members were present
- II. Minutes
  - a. Minutes were approved
    - i. Motion made by Joe
    - ii. 2<sup>nd</sup>: Teresa
- III. Public Comment
  - a. No public present
- IV. New Business
  1. Farmers' Market
    - a. Summer market wrapped up, attendance was down this year
      - i. City is purchasing the lot where at the Corner of Lancaster and Main where the Farm Market was this year
      - ii. Changing hours for the 2018 market to 4:00pm – 7:00pm
      - iii. Schmidt's is moving back to Thursday's and will be stationed at the Farmers' Market weekly
    - b. Winter Dates January 25 – March 1 (No Market Feb 8)
      - i. 4:00pm – 7:00pm
      - ii. Thursdays
      - iii. Senior Center
  2. Programs/Events
    - a. Mother Son Halloween Party 10/19/17
      - i. Approximately 90 people registered
    - b. Rabies Clinic 10/20/17 Huber Park
      - i. Continues to have a lot of interest and has been success in past years
    - c. Community Halloween Party 10/21/17 JFK Park

- i. Event will run Rain or Shine
- d. Reynoldsburg Trick or Treat 10/31/17

V. Other/Old Business

1. Programs/Events
2. Registration for basketball (late registrations), volleyball clinic
  - a. Accepting late registrations for Basketball
  - b. High School team will run the volleyball clinic
3. ADAMH Mural
  - a. Possibly have a traveling mural for now
4. Livingston House—shutters, updates
  - a. Work continues
  - b. Shutters are up
  - c. Redoing the front porch
  - d. Very pleased with the color
5. Livingston House Society
  - a. Society was created to educate the public
  - b. Having difficulty in finding new members
  - c. Going to try some marketing – reaching out to the public
  - d. Will share the snapshot flyer with commission members – will highlight what they do and why (events etc)
6. Tobacco Free Parks
  - a. Spoke with Council – was well received
  - b. Maybe have certain smoking zones
  - c. Increase signage if it passes
  - d. Recreation Commission voted on the motion – all for, none against
7. Budget
  - a. Community Events
    - i. Increase entertainment at community events
    - ii. Bring more kid friendly options such as bounce houses
    - iii. Continue to improve the 5K Race
    - iv. Add more to the Food Truck Festivals – will have 4 next year
    - v. Market – work on additional marketing
    - vi. 4<sup>th</sup> of July – add more
  - b. Park Improvements
    - i. Adding more picnic tables
    - ii. Adding more trash cans
    - iii. Adding concrete pads for trash cans
  - c. Project List
    - i. Shared ideas list with commission
    - ii. Top focus areas
      1. Blacklick Trail

2. Tennis Courts
3. Scoreboards
4. Concrete pads
5. Tree work
6. Seal coat JFK and Gazebo areas

iii. Land improvements

1. New pole barn for storage of equipment
2. JFK bathroom/concession stand

iv. Senior Center

1. Rehab bathrooms
2. Look into upgrading vehicles – trips

v. Budget to Council

1. TBA

8. Next Meeting

- a. November 15, 2017 at 5:30pm

VI. Adjournment at 6:51pm

- a. Motion to adjourn: Steve
- b. 2<sup>nd</sup>: Joe