

Copake Park Commission

Minutes June 2, 2009 Meeting

Present: Krista Goodacre, Chairperson
Ralph Platt, Vice-Chairperson
Diana Jamieson, Secretary
Barbara Filipovits, Public Relations
Shannon Holdridge
Stacy Smith
Scott Preusser
Scott Swenson
Nicki Banyart
Mike Bradway, Park Maintenance

Treasurer's report: Balance \$19,610.69

Maintenance Update:

Mike Bradway gave a report on the state of the Park. Problems occurred over the Memorial Day weekend. There were an extreme number of bottles and cans left on the ground around the skate board area. There was damaged to the men's room. Kids climbed the fence between the park and the camp ground. Information has not been received from the Copake Days committee about what set-up needs to be done for the event.

Commission Update:

Summer Program

Bridgette and Colleen presented their proposed schedule for the Summer Program. Sign-ups went well the first day. 115 of the 150 openings have been filled. Another day of sign-ups is scheduled for June 6. Four trips are planned and the Cornell Co-operative Extension will be coming to speak to the young ones about farming. The Counselor positions have all been filled. They have received a grant that will enable them to purchase supplies that they otherwise would not be able to afford. The Park Commission wishes them another great summer.

Circus –July 6th. There will be two shows – 4:30 and 7:30. The money from the pre-sale tickets was turned in. Many businesses donated the tickets back to the Park Commission. Tickets were handed out to Park members for more pre-sale. Posters will be hung around Copake, Ancram, and Hillsdale to promote the Circus.

Mike is unable to drive the float for the Copake Days Parade. Since there is a theme this year it would also have to be decorated accordingly. A vote was taken to not participate in the Copake Days Parade.

A donation from the Park Commission will be made to the Rescue Squad in memory of Bill Gregory's mother, who passed away.

A work schedule was set up for the concession stand at Copake Days. The menu will be the same as for the Tractor Pull. Saturday hours will be noon to 8 pm. Sunday hours will be 7 to 11 am.

Diane Moore was to be interviewed tonight. She did not come to the meeting.

The manager of Camp Wabeka will be invited to attend our next meeting. We will introduce ourselves and address any concerns both parties may have.

Trash to Treasure will be held on July 11th from 9 am to 5 pm. The registration forms are on the back of the flyers that will be handed out in the surrounding areas. Some were already handed out at the Tractor Pull. It was too expensive to do an insert in one of the newspapers since we are not charging for the tag sale spaces. Shannon is looking to getting a D.J. for the afternoon.

Meeting adjourned.

Schedule of Events for 2009:

Circus	July 6
Trash to Treasure	July 11
Haunted House	October 30