

Copake Park Commission

Minutes September 1, 2009 Meeting

Present: Krista Goodacre, Chairperson
Ralph Platt, Vice-Chairperson
Diana Jamieson, Secretary
Barbara Filipovits, Public Relations
Stacy Smith
Scott Swenson
Mike Bradway, Park Maintenance
Guests: Chris Quinby
Karen Hallenbeck

Treasurer's report: Balance as of July 31, 2009

Maintenance Update:

Mike Bradway gave a report on the state of the Park. The trees in the Park have been sprayed. They will be sprayed again in the Spring. Cat's Eye Pest Control has done an inspection of the building. They suggested moving the dumpster further away from the building and have set baited traps in the back of the building.

Mike will help with the "Haunted House"

Guests:

Chris Quinby gave an over view of the Town sponsored event scheduled for October 10th in the Park. He and Mike discussed what would be needed as set-up for the event. Chris asked the Park Commission to participate by selling food.

Karen Hallenbeck is interested in organizing a Friday Night Bingo Night next year over the summer months. She is looking for volunteers to help with this program and asked the Park Commission if they were interested in the food concession.

Commission Update:

The Park Commission will be one of the food vendors on October 10th. The proceeds will be donated to the Summer family.

Krista will have flyers ready for both the Haunted House and the Light Parade ready to be handed out that day.

The manager of Camp Wabeka was asked to attend tonight's meeting, he was not able to attend.

Krista is going to check with the Ladies' Auxiliary to find out if they are planning on hosting a Halloween party and the Christmas Shopping event this year. If they are not

planning on this, then the Park will plan on doing it. Krista will get back to us next meeting.

Lisa requested the Park Commission purchase a new vacuum cleaner. After discussion Barbara made a motion that we not purchase a new vacuum. Ralph second the motion. All were in favor. Motion carried.

Next month's meeting we will focus on selecting new playground equipment. Nikki will take this information and write a grant proposal.

The Park account is being used to pay bills for the Summer Program. Krista will find out why this is happening. The Summer Program is a Town sponsored program, with its own budget, not a Park sponsored program.

We will work on the Events Calendar for next year at the next meeting.

The Copake Park Commission will help with a Spaghetti Dinner fund raiser for the Waldorf family on November 6, 2009.

Stacy made a motion to adjourn, Scott second, all in favor, motion carried.

Schedule of Events for 2009:

Fundraiser for Summers Family	October 10, 2009
Haunted House	October 23 and 24
Spaghetti Dinner Fund Raiser	November 6
Annual Light Parade	December 12

Next Meeting October 6, 2009