

Borough of Wildwood Crest Recreation Commission

Wednesday, February 12, 2020

Crest Pier Recreation Center

Meeting called to order by Brian Cunniff at 5:10 p.m.

Pledge of Allegiance

Reading of the Sunshine Ordinance – In compliance with the Open Public Meeting Act, Chapter 231 P.L. 231 175, the notice requirements have been classified as to the time, place and date of holding said meeting by posting notice of the same on the bulletin board in borough hall and by mailing the same to the Gazette Leader and the Herald.

Roll Call:	Don Cabrera, Mayor/Commissioner	present
	Toni Fuscellaro	present
	Zach Ruffo	not present
	Salvatore Volpe	present
	Frank Basile, Recreation Supervisor	present
	Brian Cunniff, Asst. Rec Supervisor	present

A quorum is present.

New member Tore Volpe is attending his first meeting. Mayor Cabrera welcomed Tore Volpe to the commission.

Mayor Cabrera stated that, as per the borough CFO, the Recreation Commission funds stood at \$42,675 as of Jan. 31.

Mayor Cabrera stated that borough resident Colleen Ferraro is interested in teaching art classes through the recreation department. He added that she plans to make a presentation at an upcoming meeting.

Mayor Cabrera said that the recreation department will take over administration of the beach rental boxes.

Mayor Cabrera stated that upgrades are coming to Sunrise Park at Rambler Road. Hoping to start prior to next summer. A water spray area, fitness equipment, an additional playground and more bike racks are in the plans.

Toni Fuscellaro stated that this park, because it's centrally located, is easily accessible by the entire Crest community by walking or biking. Tore Volpe stated that there is enough asphalt and concrete on the island and that it's nice to keep this as a large green space.

Mayor Cabrera stated that the recent Fishing Pier Presentation was received well. Could be a 750-foot extension and would accommodate new dune.

Frank Basile stated that money for the Islanders traveling basketball program in the South Shore League needs to be sent to Woodbine Recreation to cover league fees and officials' costs. Toni Fuscellaro made a motion to for the recreation commission to approve \$3000 toward this expenditure. Tore Volpe seconded the motion. Motion approved unanimously.

Frank Basile stated that the Island Tournament is scheduled for Feb. 19-23 and the scheduled for the event went to the schools today.

Frank Basile stated that the South Shore League playoffs and all-star games might be moved to March 6-7 instead of being held on Feb 29-March 1.

Brian Cunniff stated that grades K-2 indoor soccer registration has opened. Registrations coming in at a good rate. League will be held in March and early April.

Frank Basile stated that the tumbling/gymnastics program is ongoing.

Mayor Cabrera stated that the borough has applied for a grant to upgrade Scoop Taylor Park. Landscaping and equipment. Make playground ADA accessible. Grant is for \$400K. Work to be done in fall of 2020 or spring of 2021.

Toni Fuscellaro asked if upgrades could be made to the bathroom at the Little League Field. In very poor condition. Mayor Cabrera stated that there is a meeting scheduled to discuss Little League upgrades next week.

Mayor Cabrera stated that the outside decking at the Crest Pier should be finished by next year.

Meeting adjourned 5:40 pm