

Borough of Wildwood Crest Recreation Commission

Wednesday, February 8, 2023

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	not present
	Toni Fuscellaro	present
	Bryan Vasti	present
	Salvatore Volpe	present
	Frank Basile, Recreation Supervisor	present
	Brian Cunniff, Asst. Rec Supervisor	present

A quorum is present.

Tore Volpe made a motion to accept the minutes of the last Recreation Commission meeting as presented. Bryan Vasti seconded the motion. Motion approved unanimously.

Brian Cunniff stated that the new digital signs at the Crest Pier are currently not working due to an electrical issue. Public Works is working with KC Signs to rectify.

Frank Basile handed out the February newsletter for Recreation.

Frank Basile stated that the annual grammar school basketball Island Tournament is scheduled for Tuesday 2/21 through Sunday 2/26 at the Crest Pier. There will be no games on Friday 2/24 for a variety of reasons, most notably the possibility of some high school state playoff games on the island. Sixteen games will be played, plus the Skills Competition. Dance is schedule for Saturday evening.

Frank Basile stated that the Crest Pier will be hosting the South Shore Basketball League Championships on Saturday, March 11. A total of six games. Specific schedule TBA.

Frank Basile stated that the Crest Pier will be open on the Presidents Day holiday. Keeping with the goal of trying to be open every day.

Frank Basile stated that the pool will be closed for about 12 weeks from mid August to early November due to extensive renovations. Hoping this closure does not run longer into

the high school swim season. Tore Volpe stated that there's no doubt some people will complain about the closure. Bryan Vasti responded that as a member he would want a nice pool, so work needs to be done once in a while.

Frank Basile stated that registration has opened for the grades K-2 indoor soccer program scheduled to be played on Tuesdays and Thursdays in March. Priority registration for Crest residents ends 2/17. Registration open to all island residents thereafter.

Brian Cunniff stated that the recreation department staff has been busy handling beach box registrations for the past couple of weeks.

Frank Basile stated that summer basketball registration forms will be handed out at the Island Tournament and that registration will open. Deadline will be in May this year. Expected to sell out as usual. Bryan Vasti expressed interest in possibly coaching in the leagues this summer. Tore Volpe asked the age groups. Brian Cunniff responded that the leagues are grades 3-5 coed, grades 6-8 coed and high school boys.

Frank Basile stated that registration information for new campers for Pier Playmates Day Camp will become available on March 1. Forms will be mailed to potential returning campers shortly after the Island Tournament and they will have a deadline of around Easter to re-register for the 2023 camp. Phone calls for open registration will be taken Friday 4/28. Some grades may be closed before registration.

Bryan Vasti said he has been impressed with the work done at the Little League field so far.

Meeting adjourned 5:50 p.m.