Harrington Park Recreation Commission Minutes
November 13, 2024

Call Meeting to Order

In compliance with Chapter 231, Public Law 1975, adequate notice of the scheduled meeting was made. It is posted on the bulletin board in the Municipal Center. Copies have been mailed to the BERGEN RECORD, SUBURBANITE, and THE NORTHERN VALLEY PRESS. A copy has been filed with the Borough Clerk, and copies have been mailed to individuals requesting the same.

COMMISSION Members	PRESENT	ABSENT
Steve Howe (SH)	8:22	
Lauren Pribila (LP)		x
Barry McAuley (BMc)		x
Ashley Plescia (AMP)	x	
Matthew Saland (MS)		x
Rob Hwang (RH)	x	
Councilwoman Chung (JC)	x	
Hideaki Nakamura	x	

Swearing in of new member Hideaki Nakamura

$57,000 of Open Space funding will be used on dugouts next year.

There are ruts on the soccer field because of the trucks that were working on the dugouts.

The asphalt for the basketball court is finished. The lining is still to be done.

The George Street work is done. The pickleball players would like there to be lines on the George Street courts. Perhaps we could use a local recreation grant for patching and lines, and maybe DPW can stripe before then.

Pondside: $240k has been secured. The walking path has been leveled.

Approval of Minutes of October 2024 Ashley moved to approve, second Rob. All in favor. Carried.

Park Monitoring (Prior to Meeting Each Month to Allow for Reporting at Meeting)

Pondside
Highland Field
George Street
Beechwood
Don Horsey
Columbus

Grants/Budgets

Other Items/Updates

The Police are opening the tennis courts very early.

Field rentals—Councilwoman Chung will ask Muggeo Baseball about fees for the field rentals.

Cricket O'Neil asked about using the Highland Field and basketball court for a bike rally next spring. The Commission felt that she should try the school first, especially as the court has just been repaved.

There will be no driving over the new court.

Discussion of Town Day and whether to arrange to have it in conjunction with Farmers Market again in 2025. Discussion to be continued.

Baseball created a board of directors.

The advertisement for a Recreation Director will be posted on social media.

Discussion of whether to use Team Snap or Community Pass.

Adjourn Rob moved to adjourn, second Ashley. All in favor.

Adjourn 9:15 pm.

NEXT MEETING

December and January meetings canceled due to lack of quorum.

Next meeting: February 12, 2025