

Jackson Township Recreation Commission
Meeting May 15, 2007

Call to Order: Tim Davis at 7:15 pm

Pledge of Allegiance

Members Present: Darrin Brown, Tim Davis, Regina Markovich, Alfred George

Correspondence: The letter from DCED concerning close out of the grant for the Veteran's park Lighting project in Vinco was announced.

Approval of Minutes: The minutes from April 17, 2007 were deferred for approval.

Items of Discussion:

1. The Spring Joint Meeting of Boards, Commissions and Authorities will be held 5/17/07 in the Municipal Building at 7:00 am
2. Pashek Associates 2007-2008 Grant Application waiting for State approval.
3. The close out of the Master Recreation, Parks and Open Space Plan was announced.
4. The fence crown project for Mitchell and Leidy Parks has been completed.
5. Use of the lower field at Leidy Park was approved for use by the Central Cambria Midget Football league for practice from August – October. Supervisors were informed about the rocks/stumps which will be removed.
6. Bio-Diversity Project at Leidy Park: trees marked for planting
7. Eagle Scout Project will be completed by Frank Brown and will include landscaping around tree planted for Aaron Rusin at Leidy Park
8. Eagle Scout Project will be completed by A.J. Pagano and will include a landscaping project around the flag pole at Mitchell park.
9. New Playground equipment and improvements at Leidy Park; bid given to Snyder excavation
10. Central Cambria recreation Map (Central Cambria Coalition): waiting on Cambria Township.
11. Grass cutting is being completed by the Township employees.
12. Events and Activity Update was given by Kelly Lundgren. (see attached update)
13. The Fishing Derby held with the Jackson Twp. Rod & Gun club was a success.
14. Cambria County Bookmobile will be visiting this summers.
15. A decision has not yet been made to hire another member for the 2007-2008 Americorps program

Public Comment: none

Tour of Parks was conducted.

Leidy Park: Crown fencing project completed; trees and benches will be placed; new shingles are needed for the Pavillion; Baseball infield needs grass removed; Eagle Scout project will consist of landscaping around tree planted for Aaron Rusin.

Mitchell Park: Crown fencing project completed; Eagle Scout project will consist of landscaping around flagpole; rolls of fencing needs discarded

Veteran's Park: nothing needed; lighting project completed and positive comments were made.

Adjournment: The meeting was adjourned at 8:20 pm by Tim Davis