

**MILLSTONE TOWNSHIP PARKS & RECREATION COMMISSION  
OCTOBER 3, 2016  
MEETING MINUTES**

Meeting Called to Order by Chairman Morris at 7:31 p.m.

Reading of Adequate Notice by Chairman Morris.

ROLL CALL: Present: C/Morris, C/Hanson, C/Simels, C/Adornetti  
C/Skowronski, C/DeFelice  
Absent: C/Peake

Mayor Kinsey was also in attendance.

Chairman Morris opened the meeting to the Public at 7:31 p.m.

Mr. Gary Mason, president of the MUTS (Millstone United Travel Soccer) Organization was in attendance. He spoke regarding the MUTS program to combine under the Recreation Department. The organization feels it makes sense for Recreation to administer both programs, the Travel and the Recreation programs. The travel program has gone through some changes within the last year regarding new age requirements. Their teams have seen an increase. They feel having a working relationship will have a benefit to both programs. Within the new relationship, MUTS trained coaches will help out with instruction for the Recreation Programs. The discussion also included how the kids will be evaluated during tryouts, the percentage of Millstone Township players, and the budget process. The Commission thanked Mr. Mason for his attendance.

Chairman Morris closes the meeting to the Public at 8:36 p.m.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES:** September 1, 2016

C/Simels made a Motion to approve and C/Adornetti offered a Second. Roll Call Vote: Morris, Simels, Skowronski, and DeFelice vote yes to approve the minutes.

**Soccer:**

C/DeFelice had a concern regarding the By-laws for the MUTS organization. C/Morris asked that all commissioners review the by-laws and submit any changes during their next discussion. C/Morris and C/Simels will meet with Mr. Mason to further discuss the budget before presenting to the commission.

C/Simels noted that the previous instructors backed out of the Mini Maestro program. New instructors were brought in for the Fall season. C/Morris noted that the MUTS program may be helping us out with the Mini Maestro program in the Spring.

**Pop Warner:**

The Secretary noted that the DPW will be changing over some of the locks at the Wagner Farm Park Building to increase security. There have been no further issues.

**Warriors Basketball:**

C/Adornetti noted that there were eight (8) Warriors teams this year, 5 boys & 3 girls' teams. Two age groups did not have enough participants, U10 Boys and the U13 girls. The teams are mostly made up of Millstone Township players and a few from Allentown. C/Adornetti is currently working on changing over the By-laws and obtaining a bank account for the booster club.

**Basketball:**

C/DeFelice is working with Allentown to revise the rules so they are similar between both leagues. Weekly reminders will be going out to register for basketball. Junior Board applications have been made available in the Recreation Office. The Deadline is November 1st. A notice will be sent to all prior coaches regarding their return for this season.

**Holiday Lighting:**

The Middle School Chorus has been invited and agreed to attend. Signs will be ordered once the date has been confirmed. The crafts have been purchased and the Fire Department will confirm the date at their next administrative meeting.

**New Business:**

The Secretary notified the Commission that Maria Dellasala, the Township Administrator, has received the proof of residency regarding the Men's basketball applicant. His registration will be received as long as the Commission agrees to allow the player participate in the program. C/Morris noted that participant will be notified that he may return to the program.

C/Hanson spoke regarding a program that the Upper Freehold Township School District is using to administer their booster programs. It's a combined booster club and the P/L is by sport. It's something that he said could be of interest for our booster clubs in the future.

Seeing no new business Chairman Morris asked for a Motion and a Second to adjourn the meeting. C/Adornetti made a Motion to Adjourn and C/Hanson offered a Second and by unanimous vote, the Meeting adjourned at 9:03 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Melissa Peerboom

