

Shandaken Parks & Recreation Board

Meeting

May 4, 2017

Call to Order - 3:00 p.m.

Present: Carole Chanler
Martie Gales
John Michellotti
Kathy Williams

Smith Park - Carole Chanler

The tennis court fence, an eyesore and a hazard, has been removed. Carole will initiate steps to complete the refurbishing of the tennis court. Beginning with Rob Stanley, Supervisor, she will seek to get a commitment from Eric Hofmeister, Highway Superintendent, to get the surface repaved. Once the repaving is complete she will re-contact fencing providers for quotes on erecting new fencing. The companies contacted previously include:

Cherry Fencing, Fleischmanns - Craig Cherry 845-254-4321

Dewitt Mills Fence Co - Steve - 845-706-1769

Bernardi Fencing - John - 845-339-6034

Timely completion of this work is necessary In order to complete the O'Connor Foundation Grant.

Other projects needing attention include painting park equipment, fresh plantings and, perhaps, removing questionable equipment.

Sources of support for materials include:

Fleischmanns/Pine Hill Rotary

Peekamoose

Wadler Brothers

Sources for physical assistance include:

Amelia and Michael from the Zephyr Restaurant

Adam Turba (soccer dad) 845-254-8036

The Community Center

The Library

Big Indian Park

Plans for Big Indian Park include:

- determining electrical capacity
- exploring replacing the small pavilion with a bandstand
- negotiating with Bridge contractors regarding the transfer of land to the park once the bridge is completed.

Glenbrook Park

The new bench donated by the Wygant family has arrived. John agreed to take it and assemble it. It will be placed where the child's sized bench is now. The child sized bench will be moved nearer the playground.

A concern was raised regarding the bleachers needing repair or replacement. Kathy will look into this. Martie is checking with Aaron Bennett.

The flowers and bushes planted last summer survived the winter well. Little league games have begun and appear to be going well.

Parish Field and Simpson Minipark

The daffodils have made a colorful appearance in Simpson Minipark.

Before commencing landscaping projects, we are seeking confirmation from Rob Stanley concerning changes to the park's entrance.

Next Meeting: Wednesday, June 14 - 3:00 p.m. Town Hall