

WHEATFIELD TOWNSHIP PARKS AND RECREATION

The Wheatfield Township Parks and Recreation Board met on November 17, 2009 at 6:30 p.m.

PRESENT: Robert Foltz, John Weldon, Carlton Williams and Dave Mills.

SECRETARY'S REPORT:

John Weldon made a motion to approve the minutes of the October 20th meeting. Carlton Williams seconded. Motion approved.

TREASURER'S REPORT:

Checking Account	\$ 14,044.18
Savings Account	\$ 11,236.15
<u>TOTAL FUNDS</u>	\$ 25,280.33

Dave Mills made a motion to accept the Treasurer's Report. Carlton Williams seconded. Motion approved.

BILLS

Check #782	John Weldon, 23 Hours Mowing	\$ 460.00
Check #783	Sylvester's Services, 7 Months Trash for 2009	\$ 700.00
Check #784	PPL, Electric 11/09/09	\$ 89.77
<u>TOTAL BILLS (PAID)</u>		\$ 1,249.77

John Weldon made a motion to pay the bills. Dave Mills seconded. Motion approved.

OLD BUSINESS:

Dave Mills reminded the recreation board that a sign must be put up acknowledging that DCNR grants helped purchase the additional land at the park. Bob Foltz stated he received information from the township secretary and he is working on the sign.

Bob Foltz provided estimated prices for a backstop and side fences to be installed on the new softball field. Also, provided were estimated prices for putting drain pipe between the fields.

Bob Foltz reported that he finally received a bill (\$700) for trash pickup from Sylvester's Services. The bill has been paid.

The board decided that we should have three more handicap signs for the park. Jim Fuller provided one more sign. Need to talk to Jim Fuller to see if he will get more signs.

Bob Foltz reported that he received a \$750 donation from the Girls Softball Association for use of the fields in 2009.

John Weldon and Bob Foltz reported they walked and measured some of the hiking trails on Saturday September 19th. Bob provided a drawing showing some of the distances they measured. This will be drawn on a topographic map and posted on the building.

The tractor needs serviced. Hydraulic leak, antifreeze leak, adjust four wheel drive lever, fix glow plug light are things we know that need to be done. Recreation Board will decide in November where and when the work should be done. (On hold till early spring)

Jeff Beinhower informed the board that midget football planned to fertilize the football field before winter.

Bob Foltz agreed to get prices for cigarette butt receptacles. (Need to see Carl Fox)

NEW BUSINESS:

Bob Foltz reported that he put up orange signs warning hikers that “Hunter’s Wear Orange and They Should Too”, when hiking during hunting season.

Bob reported that he talked to Stephen Hower (Game Warden) and he stated that if the park ground is signed up for the ‘Safety Zone Sign Program’ we could get free signs, trees, etc. from the Game Commission. John Weldon made a motion to have the township enroll the park ground in the Safety Zone Sign Program. Carlton Williams seconded the motion. Motion approved. Bob will talk to Vickie and ask her to look into enrolling the park ground in the Safety Zone Sign Program.

Dave Mills reported that PPL brought some used light poles to the park and should be bringing more.

The next meeting will be December 15th 2009.

John Weldon made a motion to adjourn at 7:15. Carlton Williams seconded. Motion approved.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert E. Foltz

Acting Secretary

cc: Township Supervisors