

**Borough of Wood Ridge**  
*Recreation Commission*  
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These are the Recreation Commission Meeting minutes for the Recreation Meeting of October 14, 2009.

Dennis Brubaker called the meeting to order at 7:58 p.m. After the Sunshine Law was read, attendance was taken, attendees were:

ToniAnn Azzolini –in attendance,  
Emil Bevacqua –in attendance,  
Dennis Brubaker – in attendance,  
John Gingerelli – in attendance,  
Jerry Lanzerotti – in attendance,  
Michael McGahn – in attendance,  
Joe Zielinski – in attendance.

Council liaison Ezio Altamura was in attendance.  
Jacki Goldklang was in attendance.

*A motion was made by Mike McGahn to accept the September 9, 2009 minutes with one change (Toni Ann Azzolini – in attendance), seconded by Toni Ann Azzolini, vote taken; all ayes, Motion passed.*

**Correspondence Outgoing**

Memo to Tracey Flannery re: New Fall Programs  
Memo to Tracey Flannery re: Certificate of Ins Fall Babe Ruth Baseball  
Memo to Tracey Flannery re: Certificate of Ins Adult Softball

**Correspondence Incoming**

Don Anthony Brochure  
Bergen County – Fall 2009 Professional Development Schedule  
Hunterdon Hills Playhouse – Brochure  
Flavian – Brochure  
Redds – Summer Luncheon Schedule  
Chris Eilert – memo re: out of town.  
Philips Lifeline – Brochure  
Pitney Bowes – Brochure  
Prudential Center – Group Sales Brochure  
Bob Riccardella – Council resignation

**Permits:**

N/A

**Permits (denied):**

N/A

**Flyers to the schools:**

Winter Sports (Basketball and Wrestling)

**Bills:**

<b>Vendor</b>	<b>Amount</b>	<b>Account</b>	<b>P/O2009</b>
Designs Advantage	\$168	Jr. Football 204	r9-01069
Designs Advantage	\$4084	Jr. Football 204	r9-01070
David Fortuna-refund	\$50	Jr. Football 204	r9-01083
Jackie Goldklang-reim	\$730.75	Jr. Football 204	r9-00992
Steven Turi-refund	\$25	Jr. Football 204	r9-01103
Designs Advantage	\$523.95	Jr. Football 204	r9-01154
Carey Piret	\$45.24	Jr. Football 204	r9-01157
Vincent Crea-refund	\$50	Soccer 225	r9-01073
Rosa Ginorio-refund	\$50	Soccer 225	r9-01076
Lucrezia Maurin-refund	\$50	Soccer 225	r9-01080
Designs Advantage	\$2337.40	Soccer 225	r9-00991
Designs Advantage	\$440	Soccer 225	r9-01155
Rich Proni-reim	\$190	Adult SB 200	r9-00081
Rich Pronti – umpire fees	\$960	Adult SB 200	r9-01092
Stan’s Sport Center	\$3,181.50	Adult SB 200	r9-01094
Phil Taylor-refund	\$50	Summer 209	r9-01071
Funtime	\$750	Summer 209	r9-00970
Johnny on the Spot	\$166	Misc 099	r9-01093
Concetta Tartaglione	\$50	Babe Ruth 202	r9-01082
Designs Advantage	\$200	Babe Ruth 202	r9-01153
Spoo Incorporated	\$336	Babe Ruth 202	r9-01164

*A motion was made by Jerry Lanzerotti and seconded by Toni Ann Azzolini to approve the above bills; vote taken; all ayes, Motion passed.*

**Hearing of Citizens:**

**Representative from US Sports Institute was in attendance offering a 1 week summer camp to be held for Wood Ridge/Moonachie children. Coaches for the**

camp would be from the U.K., Holland, Australia, and South Africa. Coaches are CPR trained and fully insured on a valid visa through the U.S. embassy. They will cover the flyers, website, and registrations. Camp would be held 9-3 p.m. (\$149 for Wood Ridge and Moonachie children). They provide all equipment. Sixteen children are needed in order to run the camp. Tentative date of June 21<sup>st</sup> was given. Emil will check out the references.

Bryon Hansen was in attendance on behalf of Girls Softball. Girl's softball held their first meeting of the upcoming 2010 season. They would like to expand their Sunday winter program to be indoor team practices following an early draft in lieu of clinics. Bryon will contact Jacki to set up registration.

Rolando Rojas was in attendance on behalf of Recreation Basketball. Rolando questioned the date of flyer distribution and registration. Jacki mentioned that the flyers were in Assumption School. Moonachie School has one day per week for flyer day and would have the flyers for Thursday. She was still awaiting approval from the Wood Ridge Superintendent but the flyers were counted and ready to go. Rolando read an email from 2008 concerning flyer distribution. Tony Seiga questioned the proposed blind draft for Recreation Basketball. Recreation Commission stated that they do not support a blind draft. Dave Barteck questioned if there is a ranking system, why would we even consider a blind draft, and stated that there is no reason for one. Recreation Commission agreed. Jacki asked Rolando, if the division coordinators vote down the proposal of a blind draft will he still have one? Rolando responded no. Rolando questioned including 8<sup>th</sup> graders in the Recreation Program registration. Jacki commented that Rolando had already approved grades 2 through 7 and that any changes should be requested in writing. (Please note: At this time a request has not been received.) Jacki also mentioned that nothing to date had been done for South Bergen pending decisions to be made from the Basketball Board. Rolando mentioned that Recreation Basketball was holding their next meeting on November, at which time they would choose Division Coordinators, Coaches and schedule the player evaluations (to be completed by November 5<sup>th</sup>).

A motion was made by Jerry Lanzerotti, seconded by Toni Ann Azzolini to approve the Recreation Basketball Bylaws. Vote taken; all ayes. Rolando will give a final copy to recreation to keep on file.

#### **Old/Business Committee Reports:**

- a. **Dennis Brubaker:** Certification for October 19<sup>th</sup> will be cancelled. Next certification will be held on November 9<sup>th</sup>. The plan is to contact Instant Verification and have them be in attendance. Question as to whether or not officials need to have a background check or finger printing. Jacki mentioned that because officials are at no time supposed to be alone with the players, it was determined that officials and team moms did not require finger printing or background checks.
- b. **Jerry Lanzerotti:** Soccer will hold their next meeting on October 15<sup>th</sup>.

- c. **Joe Zielinski:** Football 2 recent injuries (concussion and sprained ankle)
- d. **Mike McGahn:** See Hearing of Citizens (Rolando Rojas).
- e. **John Gingerelli:** Nothing to report.
- f. **Emil Bevacqua:** Soccer is doing well.
- g. **Toniann Azzolini:** Ragamuffin parade will be held on Halloween no time change.
- h. **Ezio Altamura: (left following report due to illness)** Instant Verification 2<sup>nd</sup> and final reading will be October 20<sup>th</sup>. Eleven year old all stars will be honored on October 20<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 p.m. Ezio reported that he was questioned by a resident as to why the ambulance is not at the field during Jr. Football games. Mike McGahn responded that due to the long day and the fact that most of the volunteer responders are at the firehouse on Sundays anyway washing the fire engines, they felt the response time was minimal.
- i. **Recreation Report (Jacki Goldklang):** Online system up and running for Wrestling and Basketball registration. Coordination of flyers to the schools was hindered by the delivery of a new copy machine that was received in non working condition and has since required two service calls due to problems. Announced two senior trips that were held to Miniature Golf in Paramus followed by lunch at IHOP and to Bayonne to view the 911 Monument followed by lunch at the Olive Garden. Resolution of the skirt issue at Recreation Cheering was briefly discussed. Brief discussion of Tax Id Numbers for Jr. Football and Soccer was discussed. If Borough Tax Id is used, then money received must be deposited into the Borough Account.

**New Business:**

N/A

**Announcements:**

The next regular meeting of the Wood Ridge Recreation Commission will be held on **November 18th**. The meeting will begin promptly at **7:30 p.m.** at the Borough Hall in the conference room next to the elevator. Please call Jacki Goldklang if you are unable to attend.

Meeting adjourned at 9:40 p.m.