

**Lyn Beer**

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the following minutes were approved last Monday- thanks! 

**PARK RIDGE RECREATION AND CULTURAL COMMITTEE MINUTES**  
**SEPTEMBER 21, 2009 MEETING**

Chairman, Steve Hopper called the meeting to order at 7:30 PM on 9/21/2009. Motion to accept last month's Minutes was made by Lynn B. & seconded by Tom H.

*ATTENDANCE*

The members present were: Ben Martin, Liz Falkenstern, Steve Hopper, Paul Wharton, Bob Fornatale, Lyn Beer, Peter Montalbano, Tom Hoskins, Kevin Deen, Michael Raia, Robert Nicolich, Robert La Rubbio, Geroge Bottiner

*OLD BUSINESS*

Steve H. reported the Day Camp went very well this year!

The last Movie was rained out and 6 people are needed to set up for Friday night's Movie. It will be in the Community Center as there are not enough volunteers to set it up outside.

Lyn B. said the baseball game trip ran smoothly and the fireworks show after the game was impressive.

Paul W. suggested we act early next year to get Yankee/Mets tickets. There may be a survey sent to residents regarding what people would be willing to spend.

The Concerts at the Pavilion went well. Hopefully next year we can schedule concerts in May, June, July and Labor Day. The plan would be to have a teen band as a warm up band and then feature an adult band.

Steve H. commented on how spectacular the Labor Day Concert and Fireworks were! There were 2 excellent bands and the Fireworks were enjoyed by over 1500 people attending the event.

Lyn B. made a motion to have Fireworks and Concert on Labor Day in 2010; this was seconded by Tom H. and approved by a unanimous vote.

Paul W. said we need 80 posters for next year to advertise the event. We also need to send emails and put Press Release in Community Life.

Bob R. reported on Tennis program.

*NEW BUSINESS*

Kevin D. and Paul S. are co-chairs of Ragamuffin Parade to be held on 10/24/09. Email to follow with additional information.

Steve H. put in a request for new basketball hoops for next year's Day Camp as the old hoops are broken. The request is also in for new safety rails for the stage so children cannot fall off.

Steve mentioned there was a fundraiser for a child and they were asking us for assistance on 10-30. For older kids, Mike R. is checking with Palisades Ice Rink to see if we could plan a Cabbage night (10-30) Park Ridge Free Skate night. Paul W. made a motion to cap the cost at \$1000.00 and Lyn B. seconded it.

Plaza Regency asked if they could borrow projector for sound show at their Car Show. Operation Graduation asked to

use sound system

A motion was made by Lyn B. to adjourn the meeting at 9:05 PM and seconded by Tom H. Next Recreation and Cultural Committee Meeting is Monday, October 19th at 7:30 PM.

Respectfully submitted,  
Liz Falkenstern  
Secretary

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