

PARK RIDGE RECREATION & CULTURAL COMMITTEE

MONTHLY MEETING MINUTES

Monday, October 21, 2013

Chairperson Steve Masson called the regular meeting of the Park Ridge Recreation & Cultural Committee to order on Monday, October 21, 2013 at 7:35 PM at the Community Center.

Members Present:

Steve Masson (Chairperson), Jeanine Sweeney, Michael Raia, Elise Smith, Paul Wharton, Jason Roth, Bob Fornatale, Robert Metzdorf, Rob Nicolich, Jonathan Shein, Jill Shifris, Tom Mitchell, and Tom Hoskins.

Events:

Ragamuffin Parade: The parade will be held October 26th at 3PM. The parade will start at Depot Square and will end at Rotary Park (Memorial) behind the Borough Hall. There will be a costume judging contest, refreshments, games, music, and lots of fun for children 12 and under. Participants are encouraged to bring non-perishable food items for the Pascack Food Center. Rain date is October 27th at 3PM. Set up for the event is at 1 PM. Delivery of donuts and cider from DePeiro's is at noon. Angela Masson will carve 5 pumpkins and Tom Mitchell will paint 15 pumpkins. We are looking for two other judges besides Terry McGuire to judge costumes. Jill will do all foods related to Frankenstein's closet. Elise will pick up singles for winners of costume contest. Check bullhorns, PA system, and microphones. Tom Mitchell will bring microphone and sound system. Jason Roth will burn a CD of Halloween music.

Bowling Night: Date is November 17th at 5PM. Elise Smith booked Bowling Alley. Tom Hoskins will ask Park Ridge Diner for food donations.

Tree Lighting: The event will be held on Sunday December 8th, with a rain date of Saturday December 14th. Lyn Beer will co-chair this event with Andy Deutch. Jason Roth would like to discuss putting a dreidel or Hanukkah symbol in the same area as the holiday tree, to be lit also at the tree lighting.

Holiday Party: Elise Smith to book holiday party at Village Grille on January 12 from 2 – 5.

The meeting was adjourned at approximately 8:35 PM. The next meeting is scheduled for November 18th, 2013 at 7:30 PM in the Community Center in the basement of the Borough Hall.

The Park Ridge Borough web-site is www.parkridgeboro.com

Respectfully submitted,

Elise Smith, Secretary

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