Borough of Park Ridge Recreation and Cultural Committee Meeting Minutes – March 20, 2023

Attendance: The following were present at this meeting: Kelly Epstein, Marissa Ekback, Rob Nicolich, Mike Raia, Doug Salvi, Ira Rosen, Rosemary Happ, Carolee Chirico, Laurie Wharton, Paul Wharton, Neil Pollenz, Linda Quinn, Paul Scarduffa, Austin Baxter, Liz Falkenstern and Council Liaison Greg Hoffman

Review of Previous Minutes: The meeting began at 7:31 PM by a motion made by Mike R. and seconded by Doug S. The Minutes of the previous February 27th meeting were reviewed and unanimously approved by a motion from Rob N. and seconded by Doug S.

Old Business

- Car Show: Ira R. discussed the Car Show with the committee. Explained the new variety of foods hotdogs, hamburgers from a gourmet food truck as well as pizza from Marcs Deli. He added a new class of cars to the show, music upgrades, breakfast will be available. Need to ask the DPW to blow off the parking lot before the show. Scouts will do the Flag Ceremony and we have our singer from last year.
- 2. Egg Hunt: Boy Scouts will help set up, Bathrooms are ok to use, 11 am start time, need picnic table for food donations, cones from trailer and table for TD bank.
- 3. TGA Programs: Spring Break Camps available
- 4. Town Picnic: No trackless train due to cost, do more blow ups. Liz F. to check on Pony Rides/petting Zoo, Outrageous Pets, Face Painting and Balloons will be available, have band to play.

New Business

Summer Day Camp: We are looking for new director and 2 new assistant directors Paul S. inquired about his Rotary Club borrowing some equipment for a fundraiser.

Motion to close: 8:10PM by Mike R. and 2nd by Rob N. Next meeting is Monday, 4/24/2023 at 7:30 pm in the Community Center **Agenda** is:

Egg Hunt Final Wrap Up

TGA Rec programs-no Spring break camp or Golf due to low enrollment Car Show-(5/6)-Ira R. will update us. We need all members to help!
Outdoor Recreation Dining Event on (6/3) discussion
Town Picnic-(6/10) - rides, sponsors, final count/ tents, Beverage/food choices, senior's Summer Concert Series change in schedule and anything else...

Respectfully submitted, Kelly Epstein, Secretary