

REGULAR MEETING
YORKTOWN PARK BOARD
Field Operations Building
April 12, 2017

Meeting was called to order by Jon Myrick @ 5:30 pm.

Roll call: Those present: Jon Myrick, Greg Holzer and Peggy Flanagan.

Also present: Pete Olson, Erin Hurley, Todd Blevins, Tara Whitehead,
Todd St. John

Absent was: Bob Drummond.

Motion made by Vicki Craig and seconded by Jon Myrick. Motion carried.

OLD BUSINESS

PARK PLAN: The Park Plan, as submitted by Kieser Consulting Group, LLC, needs some editing. Tabled the approval until the Park Plan is edited.

HANDICAPPED PLAY EQUIPMENT: A swing has been ordered.

LION'S CLUB PARK: The swings need to be replaced. Also need a sign directing the public to the park.

NEW BUSINESS

Tara Whitehead, one of the volunteer coordinators for Bark for Life, a fund raising event for the Cancer Society, requested the use of Morrow's Meadow on Saturday, September 23, 2017 from 9am until noon. Permission granted.

EASTER EGG HUNT: On Saturday, April 15, 2017 there will be an Easter Egg Hunt in Morrow's Meadow. At 11 am there will be a pet parade, followed by the egg hunt which begins at noon. There will be three roped off sections, one for toddlers, one for 1-3 year old children and one for older children.

COLTS FAN FEST: On June 15, 2017 The Summer Tour Fan Fest of the Indianapolis Colts. The outline timeline is as follows:

8 am until noon the park and park roadways cleared.

1 pm the Indianapolis Colts will be on site (Colts in Motion, Colts Stage, Play 60 Zone, Inflatables, LIDS). At 3 pm Sponsors on site (mobile units, Indiana Blood Center, Hoosier Lottery, Papa John's).

4 pm Sponsors on site (booth spaces) TBD Sponsors.

4:45 pm the Players/Cheerleaders/ Blue arrive.

5 - 7 pm Event open

7:15 pm. Tear down

They bring everything----electricity, trash cans, porta potties, etc and also clean the area afterwards. Parking will be across Tiger Drive in the Yorktown Middle School parking lot.

MEMORIAL TREE: In memory of Deanna Thomas Flynn, their family would like to plant a tree, mentioned an oak tree of some kind. The Park Board was agreeable to the planting of the tree. The family also mentioned the possibility of having a stone or a marker of some kind, placed in Mrs. Flynn's memory. The Park Board

members suggested the family to submit a picture. Then seeing how that could grow, we discussed the possibility of having a Memorial Wall that families could place a plaque(s) in memory of loved ones.

MUNCIE CIVIC THEATRE: Greg Holzer made a motion to approve the use of Morrow's Meadow to Muncie Civic Theatre for their summer camp and also the showing of the performance of *The Magic Treehouse* during July 2017 as long as it does not interfere with the movie night sponsored by Mutual Federal Bank. Vicki Craig seconded. Motion carried.

YHS CAMPUS LIFE: Requested the use of the large pavilion for a Friday night. They said about 200 children would be involved. The Park Board requested that they telephone closer to the date they desired to have the pavilion. Also noted that Yorktown Schools have no input in YHS Campus Life, so it is not a school sponsored event.

BUTTERFLY HABITAT: Greg Holzer is to submit to Erin Hurley a list of trees for the butterfly habitat so they can be ordered. Jon Myrick will dig the post holes for signage. In general there will be no mowing of the grass although there will be paths mowed to enable the public to observe the habitat.

NEXT MEETING:

The Yorktown Park Board and the Yorktown Arts Council will have a joint meeting on Tuesday, May 24, 2017 to view the design of the interactive structure that the B.S.U. School of Architecture will present.

Greg Holzer made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Vicki Craig. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted by Peggy Flanagan