

A meeting was called to order by board member Bart Beck on February 7, 2012 at 6:40 pm. At our recreation building located in Ventnor Heights at Surrey & Balfour Avenues in accordance with the sunshine law.

Present: Bart Beck, John Gallagher, Debbie Beirne. Lori Nolan contacted, will be arriving in few minutes.

Motion made to approve Jan 2012 minutes by John Gallagher and second by Debbie Beirne.

Mayor Kelly in the audience.

Lori Nolan arrives at 7:05pm

Special Events Apps: Bill Skolic here to present is application for Walk for Williams- fund raiser for William's Syndrome (a genetic developmental deficiency). Have been doing it in AC past several years but wanted to move to Ventnor if possible. Looking for Sat, May19, 2012 and rain date of Sun, May 20, 2012. Start registration at Newport Gazebo, go to end of boardwalk ( Margate side) and then to Jackson Ave and back to end at Newport Ave again. Event will take place from 10am until Noon. Usually have about 40 people. Looking to have outdoor bathrooms at Newport Ave opened if possible. They will provide their own tables for registration. A motion was made to approve application by Debbie and seconded by Bart Beck. Board member Birkbeck was reached by phone for a vote. All were in favor

Rabbi Rapaport and Ron Mangle were present to discuss their past events with the City. Board discusses with them their concerns and the rec. board needs to review the city ordinances and then an official decision will be made and at next month's meeting a decision will be made and they will be notified of such.

Joe Iannuzzelli and Mike Gill- Ventnor Babe Ruth League. Asking for assistance in regards to help to raise funds for the league. Talking about the field conditions and looking for permission to sell sponsorships to have local merchants have signs on the left field area. They would charge them for their sign and possible a 2 year time frame. Board has no problem with that, all details must go through Jerry Thomas. Also mentioned is the baseball overlay on the scoreboard. They would like it to put up when baseball season begins. (this matter will be looked into by Mayor Kelly) And also to make sure the fields are ready for the season. Some other concerns about rain on fields, this is always a work in progress.

Also asked if they can paint the dugouts red since it's Ventnor's colors. Board had no objections to this but need to communicate with Jerry Thomas all details.

They mentioned that they will be hosting ACHS vs. HSHS game on April 2<sup>nd</sup> here on our fields. Lori Nolan offered to open the snack stand for the event.

Directors report:

Adult classes moving along nicely

Repairs will be done to the refreshment stand.

Question was asked about the re-fab building that has been discussed in previous meetings by AJ Russo, Mr. Russo was not at meeting so Mr. Thomas will call and discuss with him.

Also mentioned were field repairs that will take place. 3 quotes were obtained and repairs will begin asap.

Motion was made to adjourn meeting by John Gallagher and seconded by Lori Nolan. All were in favor.