

**MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION OF THE  
VILLAGE OF NORTH BARRINGTON WHICH WAS HELD MONDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 2009  
AT THE NORTH BARRINGTON VILLAGE HALL, 111 OLD BARRINGTON ROAD IN  
SAID VILLAGE**

**1. Call to Order, Roll Call, Approve Minutes of January 5, 2009 Parks & Recreation  
Commission Meeting:**

At 7:39 P.M Chairman Pat Ryan called the meeting to order and the Deputy Village Clerk called the roll:

Present in Person:	Chairman Pat Ryan, Ann Kafka, Andrew Seagren, Lloyd Struttman
Absent:	None
Also Present:	Trustee Pete Boland Deputy Village Clerk, Sue Murdy

The Minutes from the January 5, 2009 Parks and Recreation Commission Meeting were made available to the Commission.

Motion: Ann Kafka moved to approve the Minutes from the January 5, 2009 Parks and Recreation Commission Meeting; seconded by Andrew Seagren.

Discussion: There was no discussion.

Vote on the Motion:

The voice vote was unanimous in favor.

Chairman Pat Ryan declared the Minutes of the January 5, 2009 Parks & Recreation Meeting approved and put on file.

**2. Discussion of 2009**

Vice Chairman Ann Kafka has contacted a company who can print tee-shirts to be worn by Parks and Recreation Commission volunteers during particular Village events, for a cost of \$10 per shirt. The Commission discussed color options and decided on green. Barrington Print and Copy will e mail the Village logo to Ms. Kafka who will provide the logo to the tee-shirt company.

The Commission discussed the music possibilities for the 2<sup>nd</sup> summer concert in Eton Park to be held in July. A potential band by the name of 11<sup>th</sup> Hour Band will be playing at Gino's East in Lake Zurich; Chairman Pat Ryan and Vice Chairman Ann Kafka hope to go listen on February 21<sup>st</sup>.

There was additional discussion regarding guidelines and qualifications for the summer talent show. The Commission decided it was difficult at this time to set specific criteria since this was a new event for the Village. Chairman Ryan asked the Commission members to give the subject more thought and bring their ideas to the March 2, 2009 Parks and Recreation Commission Meeting.

The Commission is looking forward to including an ice cream social at Eton Park in July. The film Over the Hedge will be shown at the Movie Night at Eton Park. Trustee Pete Boland will be responsible for obtaining the liquor license for Eton Park events.

The Commission discussed the 2009 Fall Festival along with the 50<sup>th</sup> Village of North Barrington Anniversary Celebration. Kraig Kenning has been the musician at the Fall Festival for several years and the Commission discussed the possibility of changing the artist.

The Commission confirmed the Steel Drum Band for the June 2009 Summer Concert. Various music options still being considered are The Underwater People, The Westside Winders and a possible bluegrass band.

### **3. Recruitment for Parks and Recreation Commission**

Chairman Pat Ryan will follow up with two candidates for the Parks and Recreation Commission, as well as ask Trustee Jane Farrell if she would be interested since her Village Trustee position ends in April 2009.

The Commission will continue their efforts to recruit new members, and acknowledged that fewer residents are able to volunteer their time.

### **4. New/Old Business**

The Commission discussed the maintenance and mulching of Eton Park, as well as the walking trails. Brian Thomson will supply the playground mulch, which is preferred for Eton Park. The Deputy Clerk will arrange for the playground equipment at Eton Park to be inspected this spring in order to satisfy safety standards.

The Commission agreed that the installation of an ice rink at Eton Park was not feasible.

### **5. Adjournment**

Motion: Ann Kafka made a motion to adjourn the meeting; seconded by Andrew Seagren.

Discussion: There was no discussion.

Vote on Motion:

The voice vote was unanimous in favor.

At 8:25 p.m. Chairman Pat Ryan declared the meeting adjourned.

These Minutes were approved at the Parks and Recreation Commission Meeting held March 2, 2009.

ATTEST:

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Sue Murdy, Deputy Village Clerk