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CITY OF PARK RIDGE

MINUTES

Youth Commission

January 25, 2012

Park Ridge Fire Department
901 W Devon

7:00 p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Commissioners J. Skiba, D. Soljaga, M. Nye, B. Pierobon, Student Commissioners King, Ronis and Loomis and Lt. Shaughnessy.

MEMBERS ABSENT: Chairman Maloney and Student Commissioner Rubino

ALSO PRESENT: Jennifer Steurer

I. NON-MEMBER ALDERMEN WISHING TO BE HEARD ON NON-AGENDA ITEM

None.

II. CITIZENS PRESENT WISHING TO BE HEARD ON A NON-AGENDA ITEM

None.

III. ACTION ITEMS

A. *Approval of Minutes from December 8, 2011 meeting*
Motion approved.

B. *Civic Projects*

Logo Contest

Lt. Shaughnessy spoke with Bernadette Tram at the School District regarding the logo contest and Tony Chism was the contact person assigned. Bernadette suggested putting this information out via Healthy Living Month in April. Lt. Shaughnessy will look into the timeline for distributing the information then and had also spoke with the Superintendent, who approved putting the information up in the school.

Snow Removal

Commissioner Skiba reported quickly on the snow removal project for seniors. He recently spoke to the person from Troop 1, the Boy Scout Troop at the 1st United Methodist Church. To honor their 100th anniversary, their (Boy Scouts) goal was to shovel 100 sidewalks during the month of January. Commissioner Skiba suggested partnering with the Scouts in the future and he will pursue this matter with them.

Cards for Kids

Tabled.

C. Upcoming events

Rock-N-Dodge

Rock-N-Dodge is scheduled for February 4, at the Community Center. Commissioners Skiba and Pierobon will meet to discuss the logistics for set up and supplies that are needed.

- Registration for dodge ball (including middle school) begins at 7:00 p.m. and games begin at 8:00 p.m. Everyone must be there by 6:30 p.m. to help set up and register.
- Referees will be Dr. Bender and his wife, from District 64 as well as and some police department members.
- Both Kiwanis groups will play the first rounds.
- Lt. Shaughnessy will purchase an I-Pod Touch. Chamber gift certificates as prizes. Commissioner Soljaga will purchase Chamber gift certificates as prizes-12-\$25 certificates (1st prize) and 12-\$10 certificates (2nd prize). Both will get reimbursed when they turn in their receipts.
- Lt. Shaughnessy will order 35 pizzas from Spuntino's and purchase 12 cases of water from Jewel. MYCAF will place anti-drug labels on the water bottles.
- The Bateman's and Allstate Insurance were very generous and donated 200 t-shirts for this event. Three boxes of left over t-shirts housed at the Fire Department will also be passed out.
- Food donations will be welcome and donated to the Maine Township Food Pantry. Email strips will be used for the YC database and the drawing for the I-Pod Touch.
- The estimated cost for this event will be \$600 dollars from the escrow account after utilizing the \$500 donation from Kiwanis.

IV. ADMINISTRATION REPORT

A. Updated Budget Report

Currently there is \$1,458.21 in the escrow account.

Lt. Shaughnessy brought two, \$250.00 checks from the Park Ridge Kiwanis AM and Noon. Jennifer will deposit the \$500 into the escrow account. Jennifer asked Barb Beil at City Hall about the YC funds-funds put into the escrow account, roll over yearly.

B. Receipts

None

V. PENDING ITEMS

Commissioner Skiba stated the next meeting would be used to make a list of tasks, assignments, layout a schedule and a timeline for Bobbapalooza, which will take place on May 12 at the Community Center.

VI. NEW BUSINESS

None

VII. ADJOURNMENT

Having no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 8:08 p.m. The next meeting will take place on February 9, 2012.