

June Pool Board Meeting
June 15, 2021

In attendance: Dan Hirsch, Terry Irving, Carla Cole, Jon Miller, Danielle McMahan, Nick Zaneto, Elvia and Danielle Cermak.

Reports:

Jon read and reviewed May minutes, approved by Danielle, seconded by Carla.

New Business:

Reached out to Debbie Zupan to inform of change in meeting dates, to second Tuesday of the month. Website updated by Brandon, early registration closed. Updated numbers: total \$337,400 in memberships. In 2019, 527 resident families, this year 488. At 92%, exceeding 85%, making pool viable. These numbers do not include parties, rentals, camps and guests. Suggested to reach out to Metuchen Board of Ed. and St. Francis, put blast out of opening of pool. Board also suggests hanging a banner over Main Street. Discussing possibility of enclosing the pool for year-round use. Board wants to explore getting a grant to help with funding. Chairs may be brought back out for patrons to use, still allowing for people to bring their own. Will start will offering a small batch of chairs. Working on a volleyball tournament of kids to participate in with sign in sheet. Greenprint is the plan to update areas around town, including new parking lot and basketball court.

Pool Management:

Cards have not yet been printed. Scanners are not compatible with software used to check people in. Guests and parties will be allowed starting July 1. Commission allowing 4 guests and opening for parties. For guest passes, Commission doesn't want extra fee's used for credit card charges. How do we collect money for a variety of events. Floats will also be allowed during Family Fun Night.

Snack Bar

People are excited, but prices have gone up. Suggest offering smaller, cheaper items and candies that are individual and cheaper. Also encouraging kids menu/combo. Family Fun Nights will be priced higher, \$18 adults, \$10 kids. Suggesting dropping an item, bring adult price down to \$15. Tickets for Family Fun Night will be purchased at the snack bar.

Swim Team

Going really well, asking for deck starts. Will put anti slip tape down as well. Discuss with liability expert from Borough and will follow up with Inspector. Diving board on right may be loose.

Activities

Caricature artist will be invited to pool, possibly in August. Movie nights 7/15 and 8/10. Librarian booked for several days. Jon will send info on swim lessons and guest passes.

Motion to adjourn by Carla, seconded by Elvia.

Scheduled follow up meeting for Tuesday, July 20th at 8pm at the MMP!