



Hershey's Mill Sports Committee Meeting 6/20/2022@1:00 Paoli Room in the Community Center

Attendees: Mary Ann DeFalco, Bob Gottschall, Jack Hamilton, Sherry Kane, George Madden, Lynn Mander, Dave Nagurney, Jack Nilon

Meeting Minutes Approved:

Meeting minutes from 5/11/22 All Residents meeting minutes

Meeting minutes from 5/16/22 HMSC meeting

Treasurer's Report: As of 5/31/22, the HMS checkbook balance was \$15,840.67 (with bowling) with YTD income of \$547 and expenses of \$2,401. Dave gave Lynn a \$250 check from Dr Gabe for the Stretch clinic.

Special 2023 Budget Review – Dave and Lynn explained the budget review process. A number of items requested by the sports leaders were discussed. Dave, Lynn and Bob will be preparing a final report which they will present to the Finance Committee on June 27. Sherry informed us that an email with the Budget review schedule was sent and Sports is scheduled for 6/27 at 3:30. No one else has received this notice and Sherry will forward to us.

East Lawn Project, Phases 1 and 2

- Phase 1: Groundbreaking is scheduled for late August with target completion by September. These dates are tentative and are subject to change.
- Phase 2: Shade Pavilion (target requested by June 30, 2023)
 - 220 volt line feed
 - Water line
 - Water fountain (refill station type) and hose bib
 - Electric outlets
 - Ceiling fan
 - Small built-in shed (similar to the PB pavilion) for bocce and corn hole storage

- Relocate the shuffleboard shed
- Move the existing shade structures
- Add shade areas if pavilion is delayed past 6/30/23
- Wifi from a nearby building. (Cove can be picked up)
- Tables and chairs
- Bulletin boards with glass enclosures (similar to the PB pavilion)

Old Business:

- Pedego Recap – Jack reported that on May 21, an electric bike (E-Bike) demonstration was held at the Sports Complex parking lot. Two representatives from Pedego Bikes answered questions, demonstrated a variety of bikes and supervised test rides for more than 30 residents who had signed waivers. At the request of the committee, Jack will contact the Pedego representative and ask if they would be interested in revisiting Hershey's Mill in the fall.
- Pig Roast Update – Sherry reviewed the Pig Roast which will be held rain or shine September 16 from 4:00 to 8:00. A non-refundable deposit has been made to Martins to guarantee that date. The DJ from last year's event has also been booked with an increase in his fee from \$300 to \$380. Committee members will be need to assist in staging this event. Sponsors for the event have also been secured with Dr Gabe donation \$500 and Wagner/Compass Real Estate providing the bottled waters. Signs will be made to advertise their generous donations.
- Memorial Day Recap – Mary Ann reviewed the Memorial Day festivities. Fresh bagels, fruit kabobs, vegetable wraps. cookies and Long Island hot dogs with all the fixings. Mary Ann reported that the food was well-received. (Jack reported that Mary Ann, along with her husband Jim and their son Vincent, orchestrated the absolute best holiday gathering of sports enthusiasts ever staged at Hershey's Mill. She set the bar so high, it will only be exceeded by Mary Ann herself). The hot dog sales netted a small profit.
- CPR/AED/Chock Recap – Dave reported that 30 residents attended the two events spearheaded by Barbara Trimble. While the total cost was \$35 for each attendee, the Master Association paid \$20 and each resident paid \$15. The instructor was Detective Matt Rowles of the Upper Darby Police Department who also trains Hershey's Mill security personnel. Each resident received a certificate stating that the training was successfully completed.
- Dr. Gabe Kresge Stretch Seminar Recap – Sherry reported that on June 17, a number of residents received free 15 minute clinical evaluations from Dr. Kresge

and his colleague, John Jasper -- both from Kinetic Physical Therapy in West Chester.

New Business:

- July 4th Planning – Mary Ann reviewed the plans for July 4th. She will contact the leaders of each sport to see who would like to participate. In addition to playing the sport, each attendee will be asked to bring an appetizer or dessert to share. It will be done on a sport by sport basis. Tables will be set up at each participating sport and water will be provided compliments of Wagner/Compass Real Estate. There will be no charge to those attending.
- The Ambassador program is no longer needed due to the other forms of communication and exposure that HM Sports receives. It was agreed that the program would be abolished by an unanimous vote. Potential changes to the By-Laws may need to be considered when we discuss any By-Law changes or amendments in November.
- Sports Leaders Recognition Party – A party was discussed to honor the sports leaders. It would be a way of thanking them for their significant contributions to making HM sports the success that it is today. The leaders significant others would also be invited and the event will likely take place in October. Further discussion will take place at the next HMSC meeting.
- Pickleball Wind Sock – By an unanimous vote, a new Pickleball wind sock and dowel were approved. One blew down and disappeared. The cost will be \$20.
- Table Tennis Robot Update – The table tennis robot has been very well received. Sherry said she will send an email to residents inviting them to try the robot during table tennis play times. That could help increase attendance at table tennis.
- Dr Gabe expressed interest in an exclusive event at HM outdoors maybe in September and would be willing to donate \$500 for the opportunity. More details to follow.

Dates:

- June 27 – 2023 Budget Review with Finance Committee Dave, Lynn
- July 4 – Fourth of July Sports Party – 8:00 - noon
- July 18 – HMSC Meeting (3rd Mon. of each month) – 1:00 – 3:00

- August 15 (tentative) – Ground Breaking Ceremony (Bob, Jack N)
- September 16 – Pig Roast – Pool/Cove – 4:00 - 8:00

The meeting was adjourned at 3:15 P.M.