

**Mt. Pleasant Township Parks and Recreation Committee**  
Meeting Minutes

*August 10, 2015*

*Present:* Diana Wojcik, Sommer Temple, Nikki Sarchet, Rebecca Farner, Gary Farner , Dencil Backus

absent - Kate Grant

*Next meeting:* September 14, 2015  
Mt. Pleasant Twp. Building

Nikki called to order  
6:34 pm

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**I. Announcements**

**II. Discussion**

Trunk or Treat is to be scheduled for October 31, from 12-2pm. The PNR board requests use of the entire park at this time, as well as police direction for the event.

Registration for cars will be at the October meeting on the 12<sup>th</sup>, from 6:30-8pm and October 17, 10am-noon. There will be no costume prizes this year, but multiple car entry prizes. The board members should bring suggestions for categories to the next meeting.

Kate has made arrangements for an ice cream truck to be present, and Nikki is checking with the "Treat Street" truck (a local radio station sponsors this free activity) for availability. Nikki will call to ask Trax about mini pumpkin donation. The PNR board will also provide hot dogs, etc to the participants, like last year.

The Community Picnic Day, August 22, has been cancelled, due to non-availability of the park.

**III. Roundtable**

Sommer brought playground equipment brochures. It was discussed that the \$35K that the PNR had last year has not been spent, and in fact there is an additional \$20K (est) from this year that is still available for park refurbishment.

Gary advised the board that it should meet with Dominic Piazza to confirm his intents with the Southview park upgrades, as well as to advise him that the equipment desired could be covered under state contracts. These contracts would also be available to the PNR for other park upgrades.

Discussions for the Christmas season have begun. The Most Festive Home light contest will be held again, with a revision of the prize categories. (categories TBD) Upon registration, the homeowner will choose the category they wish to enter.

Milk and cookies with Santa was suggested again, with an early December date being the most likely. Nikki will check with the PTA and other towns schedules to see if an appropriate date can be identified. Rebecca suggested a large mailbox for letters to Santa.

In lieu of the December meeting at the township building, the judging of homes for the lights will serve as the meeting. This date is tentatively set for December 11.

Also in December, new terms must be selected for the PNR board.

**Meeting adjourned at 7:25 pm.**

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