

# Boonsboro Park Board

June 26, 2019

**Present:** Laura Schnackenberg, Isaac Whitmore, Chris Hawkins, Rich Hawkins, Sandra Shifler, Rick Weaver, Ethan Strickler

**Absent:** Greg Solberg, Jeff Davidson

The meeting was called to order at 7:03 by Chairperson Schnackenberg.

The May minutes were read and approved. Motion Rich, second Sandra, motion carried.

## **New Business:**

**Community Parks and Playground Grant:** Applications are now being taken for FY 20 - 21. Possibilities for this grant include: dog park, continue the walking trail, play equipment for older kids, and an arboretum. More discussion of possibilities for this grant at upcoming meetings.

## **Old Business:**

### **Independence Day Celebration - July 3**

Everything has been taken care of and we're ready to celebrate.

### **Concerts for 2019**

June 14 - South Mountain Breed

June 29 - The Cruisers

July 14 - South Mountain Jam

July 26 - The MillDudes

August 4 - Williamsport Community Band

August 10 - US Army "Downrange"

August 24 - US Navy Band "Navy Cruisers"

September 1 - Mason Dixon Barber Shop Chorus

### **Movies**

It was suggested that a sign to advertise the movies **not** be put in the old park because it has caused confusion about where the movie is being shown. It is suggested that the signs be put near the Police Station and at each end of town. Also more media coverage for the movies is needed.

## **Born Learning Trail**

Town Council is on board with this project. Laura will be in touch with the new person in charge to get additional information.

## **Grant Purchases**

The shade structure and benches have been funded and purchased. Installation will be completed soon. The handicap swing still needs to be ordered.

## **Strategic Plan**

More discussion on this plan will be at the July meeting. Possible considerations would be some of the things we discussed for the Community Parks and Playground Program.

## **Discussion**

It was suggested that any new trash/recycling containers have a picture of what goes inside in addition to the words. This would benefit younger children using the containers.

Chris and Rich treated the maintenance guys to a cookout in May. This was a thank you for all the help they give us during the year. They appreciated our thanks.

## **Town Updates**

Budget was approved, Commission on Aging will not be charged for using the Community Center, sanitation fee will increase \$5 a quarter.

Motion to adjourn Rich, second Isaac, meeting adjourned at 8:15.

**Next meeting July24.**

Respectfully submitted,  
Sandra Shifler  
Secretary