

**Minutes of a Meeting**  
**Of the**  
**BROOKLYN RECREATION BOARD**  
**August 21, 2017**

The meeting was called to order at 7:05 p.m.

Roll Called:

Alison Rafter	-	Present
Rebecca Byndas	-	Present
Ryan Kelber	-	Absent
Robert Hennings	-	Present
Mary Balbier	-	Absent

Motion by Rafter, second by Hennings to approve May 15, 2017 minutes.

Vote resulted:

Yes-Rafter, Byndas, Hennings

No-None

Manager Mrs. Maria McGinty gave the following report:

**Fall Soccer Registration**

Last year we had 42 sign-ups this year we have 57. We should break even or do better.

**Learn to Swim**

The Splash Newsletter with all of our information. Learn to Swim. Learn to Skate. All of other classes like Jazzercise and Silver Sneakers. Bobby to announce at School Board Meeting. Jen O'Banion is our new program coordinator. Could not attend tonight and hopefully be here next meeting.

**Learn to Skate**

**Skate Park Pickle ball**

New thing is Pickle Ball. Pickle ball has a court smaller than a tennis court and has rules like volleyball and a smaller paddle. Where – Sport Court. Can't paint the flooring because it won't adhere. Skate Park is in bad shape. Asphalt is buckling in certain areas. We could get 2-3 courts there. Patch it? Cost? With the Senior Center. Huge with seniors. Parma Heights and Olmsted Falls has it. We talked to Karen to join forces. Bocce ball leagues with younger or mixed leagues. Corn hole tournaments.

**Open Forum**

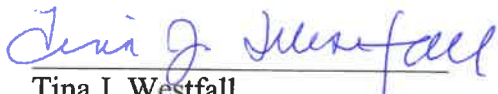
Bobby asked about a swim team for Brooklyn High School. 6 confirmed kids want to swim with a team. Swim Team coach. Cost and not enough kids. Boosters could help them out. Bobby talked about the School's finances to the teams and splitting them up. Pass Special in July. Usually in January and you get a free week of exercise class. Two months free for yearly pass. Two weeks free for monthly pass. July 23<sup>rd</sup>-August 12<sup>th</sup>. Last year 2016 \$2,064.00 and this year 2017 \$5,899.00 or an increase of 140% for membership pass. Hennings said there are new kids in the school and they hired a new second grade teacher there.

**MOTION** by Byndas, seconded by Hennings to adjourn at 7:35 p.m.

**Vote resulted:**

Yes-Rafter, Byndas, Hennings

No-None



Tina J. Westfall

Secretary