

## MARYVILLE PARKS AND RECREATION COMMITTEE MINUTES

January 20, 2020

- I. **Call to Order:** Meeting called to order at 6:00 PM.
- II. **Roll Call:** The following members were in attendance: Butch Bicanic, Sandy Coad, Tom Fitzgerald, Andrea Molkenbur, Sharon Petty, Peggy Raffety, Colleen Seiffert, Mike Spillers; Mayor Craig Short and Trustee Julie Clark.
- III. **Public Comments:** Rick Ficker from the Steel City Bassmasters and Jake Mellor from Copper Creek Christian Church requested to change the date of the Maryville Fishing Derby from May 30 to May 9. Committee agreed to change date to May 9 from 11:00 to 3:00. Discussed may ideas such as including police organizations, state police K-9 unit, vendors, IDNR and others. Agreed to name event “Maryville Parks & Recreation hosts Together As One Fishing Derby”.
- IV. **Approval of minutes:** November 18, 2019 minutes were reviewed with motion to accept made by Mike Spillers and seconded by Tom Fitzgerald; motion carried.
- V. **Financial Overview:** Approved.
- VI. **Reports/Activities:**
  - Correspondence:** Received a check from Richard Jones in the amount of \$145 which was from the popcorn sales. Caliber Collision donated a \$150 Visa gift card as part of the Turkey Trot.
  - Khoury League:** None.
  - Master Gardeners:** None.
  - Past Event Reports:**
    - Turkey Trot (11/9)** – Tom Fitzgerald reported a little under \$3,500 was made from the Turkey Trot.
    - Holiday Lighting Contest** – Canceled due to weather.
    - Movies – Star (12/28)** – Approximately 40 attendees. The Mayor will check with Kurt from Carstar for best date for this year.
  - Future Event Reports:**
    - Discovery Series** – Self-Defense (1/26), Wills & Trusts, etc. (2/9), Old Herald Distillery Brewing and Distilling (2/16), Wreath Making (2/23)
    - Art Show (3/22)** – Will need help setting up on Saturday. Will start at 9:00.
    - Other** – None.
- VII. **Liaison’s Comments – Julie Clark: Recommendations Report –**
  - Recommendations Report** – None.
  - To Do List** – None.
  - Donations** – None.
  - Other** – None.
- VIII. **Mayor’s Comments – Craig Short**
  - Land/Project Updates:**
    - Drost Park Items** – No updates.
    - Noga Park** – How do we raise funds to develop this park?
    - Pleasant Ridge Park** – No updates.
    - Firemen’s Park** – Drainage worked great.
    - Pickleball Courts** – Getting bids for PEP grant in order to install Pickleball Courts in Drost Park. PEP grant funds have been cut back 20 percent which brings them back to original amount. PEP grant amount was higher for the past several years due to excess funds.

**Other** – Maryville is instituting the Hometown Heroes banner. Banner will cost \$125 and will be displayed for two years. Banner goes back to individual at end of two years. Will be displayed along Highway 159 with overflow on Main Street. Peggy Raffety made a motion to spend \$125 on the Hometown Banner for Judy Wiemann. Judy has been a member of the Park & Recreation Committee since its inception in September 1993 (27 years). Andrea Moklenbur seconded, motion carried.

MCT obtained grant from DNR and MEPRD to build bridge to connect Pleasant Ridge Park with MCT trails.

IDNR will be shocking lake this Spring. Maybe we should consider stocking Drost Lake in March.

**IX. Committee:**

**P&R FAQs – (Seiffert, Wiemann, Adams, Petty) - No updates.**

**X. Old Business:**

**Village Calendar** – A Community Calendar is being developed by the Community Improvement Board. There will also be a meeting to bring all volunteer committees together to get to know each other and to share what each committee is doing.

**Other** – None.

**XI. New Business:**

**2020 Movies** – Committee selected Incredibles 2 for Holiday movie. Other movies selected for the summer were Frozen II, Spiderman – Into The Spider Verse, Aladdin and Jumanji – The Next Level. Sharon will contact the vendor on our selections.

**Other** – None.

**XII. Tabled Items:** None.

**XIII. Other:** The next regularly scheduled meeting of the Maryville Park and Recreation Committee will be held on Monday, February 17 at 6:00 PM

**XIV. Adjournment:** Peggy Raffety moved, and Andrea Molkenbur seconded to adjourn. Time 7:45 PM.