



Tuscora Park Board Meeting June 16, 2021

The meeting was called to order at 12:00 p.m.

Members in Attendance: Tom Farbizo, Phil Tidrick, Denver Gallentine, Jim Range, Courtney Shalosky, Jan McInturf

Excused Absence: Bill Morgan, Dave Frantz

Guests in Attendance: Mayor Joel Day, Rod Miller, Ron McAbier, Wes Halter, Mitch Pace, Carli Ross, Doug Jackson, Matt Mastroine

Approval of May 19th, 2021 Meeting Minutes:

1st: Tom Farbizo

2nd: Courtney Shalosky

Vote: Unanimous

Mayor's Report:

None

Park Director's Report:

None

Tuscora Park Foundation Report:

Approximately 300 tickets have been sold for the chicken BBQ at the Grand Opening of the Southside Community Park. The event will be held from 11-2 on Saturday, June 19th.

Old Business:

Repairs at the New Philadelphia Skate Park began on Wednesday, June 16th.

New Business:

Doug Jackson and Matt Mastroine of the New Phila Youth Soccer Association made a presentation to the board to request access and space at the Southside Community Park. The organization currently uses the fields on Pleasant Valley Road by Faith Christian Church. They have 220 participants in their rec league and around 90 participants in their spring and fall travel leagues. They are currently looking for grant funding for soccer fields, needing an estimated \$220,000 to create 7-8 fields. Work would be done in phases.

Carli Ross, Wes Halter and Mitch Pace, representing New Philadelphia Schools Softball, presented a request to the board for upgrades to the dugouts and scoreboard at the hilltop baseball and softball fields at Tuscora Park. They will obtain pricing and a priority list for the projects and return to the board.

With no other business to discuss, the meeting adjourned at 1:12 p.m. following a motion by Mr. Farbizo and seconded by Mr. Tidrick.

Meeting minutes submitted by Phil Tidrick.

Next Meeting: Wednesday July 21st, 2021 at 12:00 p.m.