

Demarest Rec Agenda 4.21.21 - Zoom Meeting Set by Marti Francis

Open Meeting – Leigh Barker opened the meeting at 8:20 pm with the following public announcement: Read Disclaimer: “This meeting was advertised at least one week in advance in accordance with the Open Meetings Act of NJ.”

Roll Call **Present:** Leigh Barker, Janice Kurys, John Bannan, Sara Gatanas, Alli Deutsch,
 Absent: Ana Yezekian, Josh Lesser. **Also Present:** Vanessa McAndrews

Review Minutes from 3/17/21 Alli moved to approve, second John. All in favor. Carried.

Old Business (Double check info on [Demarest Rec Reference Sheet](#))

Field Wellness Committee update – Josh is not present

Rec Camp Report – Alli reported that registration opened 4/19. The management will meet with Nisha Gandti Friday for COVID questions. Kindergarten to 6th grade kids will attend camp.

Concert Update – John reported that all but one concert is set. He is working on another sponsor. Vanessa got permission to put a blurb in the PTO newsletter. The concerts will go on the calendar. When we have the full list we can put them on the Rec and Home pages of the website.

New Business

Permit package Approvals

Men’s Softball https://drive.google.com/file/d/16ESSWPW8xf3AzlfmZS_tboM1vlsHvGe/view?usp=sharing
10 of 15 are Demarest residents; 7 regular season games + 5 champion games. They will be charged \$25 per game for 12 games. Reduce by 2/3 w/ \$100 plus security deposit.

Community Pass or Constant Contact for fee-based community activities?

Fishing Event not this year.

Fireworks for Demarest Day in the Fall. Janice will talk to Mayor and Council.

Other Ideas for arts and recreation in Demarest? All of these would require grants.

- i. Picnic pavilion?
- ii. Lights at Wakelee?
- iii. Dog park?
- iv. Basketball court or just a hoop somewhere?
- v. Swim Club improvements??
- vi. Outdoor games?

Leigh will look into Shakespeare to see if they’re doing it.

Adjourn Meeting Alli moved to adjourn, second John. All in favor. Meeting adjourned at 9:20 pm.

This year’s dates: 7/21, 8/18, 10/20, 11/17 (June too close to graduation activities, September is Yom Kippur)