Frelinghuysen Recreation Committee Minutes February 28, 2008

Roll Call: Kim Leno, Eddie Soisson, Cliff Kimball, Brenda Kleber, Dave Boynton, Charlie Marra, Tom Charles, Chip Green

Opened meeting to public re. Softball:

Diane Kretsch opened discussion by stating that a fellow softball coach would like to start a more competitive team. She stated that Todd McPeak would be totally in charge of the team. He would like if the Recreation Committee would be able to provide any monetary support for the new team. Several questions arose concerning the competitive nature. Is the team prepared enough to play in at this level? Mr. McPeak said, yes, the team is able to handle the competition. Next asked by Eddie Soisson, Is it a conflict of interest for the Recreation Committee to subsidize this team? Mr. McPeak noted that he has several sponsors already for referee fees. Recreation Committee would not be billed. There will be sixteen games. Charlie Marra made a motion to donate \$150.00 from Recreation Committee. Cliff Kimball seconded. Kim Leno, Brendda Kleber, Dave Boynton, and Chip Greene approved. Eddie Soisson opposed.

Eagle Scout Project:

Benjamin Lesnewski is attempting to earn his Eagle Scout Badge. He requested the approval from the Recreation Committee to move forward with his project. He would like to build fifteen displays identifying trees, animals, etc. indigenous of this area. The Township Committee has already approved this project. Eddie Soisson made a motion to approve, Dave Boynton seconded. Committee unanimously approved.

Approval of Minutes: Both November 2007 and January 2008 were presented. Tom Charles made a motion to approve both. Brenda Kleber seconded. Committee unanimously approved.

Report of Treasurer:

Cash on Hand 53.50

Booster Club Account:

#1562 - Void

#1563-LGCCC 100.00 #1564-LGCCC 20.00 #1565-LGCCC 20.00 #1566- Royal Casino Parties 450.00 #1567- Gloria Murphy 275.00 #1568- Youth Basketball 100.50

Deposits:

\$6,759.46

15.30

1,432.50

65.00

Bank Balance 19,502.95

Approval of Bills: Project Graduation- request for donation. Committee unanimously approved \$500.00 donation.

Correspondence: As per Cliff Kimball PSEG is offering a sports grant to the town's of their employees. Cliff will submit the paperwork. Committee unanimously approved him to move forward.

Standing Committees:

Township of Frelinghuysen http://www.frelinghuysen-nj.us

Ballfield - No report

Piano - No report

Advertising - Casino Night

Basketball- Playoffs are being held now. One team from Frelinghuysen was disqualified.

Pilates - Going Well

Aerobics- Going Well

Movie Night- No report

Ski Club- Season ended 2/26/08. Season went well

Soccer- Knowlton pulled out of Blairstown League. Committee will decide at later date which league to play in

Softball- Applications were sent from Blairstown League for Frelinghuysen girls to participate. Currently there are 5 teams/ 1 cross fire team. Games and practices will be played at Rydell Field. They, too, can practice at the school from 3-5PM. After 5PM boys baseball has field. Soil needs to be ordered for Rydell Field.

Old Business:

- A. Casino Night
- April 12, 2008
- 4 girls will serve
- 1 Texas Hold table
- 15 black jack tables
- 200 tickets/ none to be sold @ door
- \$40 admission/\$35 seniors- 62>
- separate cans needed for top 3 prizes
- \$10k= 100 tickets
- Solicit prizes
- B. Murder Mystery Night- could be held at The Inn at Millrace Pond.

 Dave Boynton will check with them.

New Business: Public meeting will be held for recreation complex at the next meeting on 3/13/08.

Adjournment