

Youth Advisory Board Minutes

Tuesday, October 19, 2004

Council Chambers

New Berlin City Hall

3805 S. Casper Drive

New Berlin, WI 53151

Present: Eric Schmidt, Eric Printz, Katie Levene, Jack Nilles, Teddy Walsh, Katie Chiovatero, Maria Peot, Kristi Prokop, Rachel Ignasiak, Josh Orlikowski, Daniel Burkhardt, Brian Moths, Teddy Schober, Danielle Stanczak

Excused: Tracy Calhoun

Absent: David McLaughlin

Also Present: Alderman Paul Gallagher, Mary Flagg, Derek Potochich

- I.** Katie Levene called the meeting to order at 6:30 PM.
- II.** Levene moved to approve the minutes from August 17, 2004 and September 21, 2004. Katie Chiovatero seconded the motion, and it was unanimously approved.
- III.** Mayor Wysocki was not present to give the City Current Events Update.

Daniel Burkhardt, Brian Moths, Teddy Schober, and Danielle Stanczak arrived at 6:34 PM.

IV. Privilege of the Floor

Mary Flagg explained that the Library has begun holding monthly Open Mike Poetry Nights again. She suggested that English teachers at area schools be made aware of these events and encourage their students to attend.

Ms. Flagg also still needs teenagers to interview area veterans for the Veteran's History Project. Eric Schmidt will put the Project on the next Eisenhower NHS Agenda.

V. MEETING ABOUT CLOSING OF FROLF COURSE

On Monday, October 18, Board members attended a Parks and Recreation Committee meeting to voice their unanimous opinion that the frofing course on Valley View Rd. should not be shut down. Eric Schmidt represented the Board during Privilege of the Floor. He stressed that the Board, in response to reports that the possibility of closing down the course was great, was planning to collect and deliver a petition of 1200 signatures against its closure. (However, since it has become apparent at the meeting that most members of the Parks and Recreation Committee are not considering a unilateral closure of the frof course and are willing to work with Youth Board members to keep the frof course open *and* curb illegal activity there, Schmidt and his fellow Board members have agreed that a petition is unnecessary.)

VI. SAYES VOLUNTEER DAY

The SAYES Volunteer Day, it was decided, will be Saturday, November 6, 2004.

VII. CREATE A BATTLE OF THE BANDS COMMITTEE

Teddy Schober, Teddy Walsh, Eric Printz, and Katie Levene formed the Battle of the Bands Committee (Schober is the committee chair), with the agreement that its responsibilities should be eventually turned over to incoming Board members in the spring. The Battle of the Bands will take place on July 2, 2005. Sound equipment and lights will be donated. Walsh will get setup information from her sister Casey, a former Board member.

VIII. PROJECT COMMITTEES

The Volunteer Brochure Committee meeting will take place on Sunday, November 14th at 12:30 pm, at Atlanta Bread Company off National Ave. The Public Access TV Commercial Committee meeting will also be held at Atlanta Bread Company, on Wednesday, October 27th. The Frolfing Tournament Committee meeting will be held on Sunday, November 7th.

IX. ADJOURN

Eric Schmidt moved to adjourn the meeting at 7:10 PM. Brian Moths seconded the motion, and it was unanimously approved. The next official meeting will be on Tuesday, November 16, 2004.

*Respectfully submitted,
Eric Schmidt*