

Borough of Raritan

Recreation Committee Meeting Agenda

February 10, 2026- 6:30pm

9 West Somerset Street

Raritan, New Jersey 08869

1. Meeting Called to Order - 6:30pm

2. Open Public Meetings Statement:

- a. This meeting was called pursuant to the provisions of the Open Public Meetings Act. Adequate Notice of meeting was posted in Borough Hall, on the Borough website, communicated to the Courier News and filed with the Borough Clerk.

3. Approval of Meeting Minutes

4. Public Comment

5. Council Liaison Report

6. Director's Report

- a. Grant Updates
- b. Recreation Committee T-Shirts
 - i. Sizes
 - ii. Design suggestions
- c. Collab with Environmental Commission and Board of Health- Meditation Program – April 4 @ 11am
- d. Yoga- Free (to be held in March) – March 7 @ 9am
- e. Lego Family Day – Raritan Celebration theme
- f. Flag Football- End of March (Grades 3-8)
- g. Concerts in the Park
 - i. Collaboration with School of Rock
 - ii. 3rd Wednesday of month
 - iii. Bridgewater Skateboarding
 - iv. Food Truck
- h. Mini Job Fair – March 14, 12pm – 2pm
- i. Easter Egg Stuffing – March 14, 2pm – 4pm
- j. Field Usage Permits – work in progress
- k. Collab with Environmental Commission – Rain Garden Project
- l. Fee Schedule
- m. Social Media Policy
- n. Possible Chess program / tournament

- o. Bridgewater / Raritan Municipal Alliance
- p. Bridgewater / Raritan Youth Services Commission
- q. Background Checks – Protect Youth Sports - \$22 each (VOTE)
- r. Possible partnership w/ A Peace of Om / Gertrude for senior classes

7. Assistant Director Report

- a. Baseball with Bradley Gardens Update
- b. Dodgeball April 9, 6:30 – 8:30
- c. Walking Club Update
- d. Seasonal Craft Days

8. Upcoming Events

- a. Instructional Basketball
 - i. Registration open until February 26
 - ii. First session February 28
 - iii. Town Hall- March 10 at 7:00pm
- b. Easter Egg Hunt- 3/21 with 3/22 Rain Date
 - i. Coloring Contest
- c. Clean Up Community Day with DPW & Environmental Commission- April 18th

9. Old Business

10. New Business

- a. Committee Bylaws
- b. Changing three Meeting Dates
 - i. July 14 – July 13 Available
 - ii. November 10 – November 9 available
 - iii. December 8 – December 7 or 10 available
- c. Calendar at a glance
 - i. Christmas in July – July 24th (Summer Camp)
 - ii. National Night Out- August 4th
 - iii. Raritan Day at the Somerset Patriots- September 13th
 - iv. Basilone 5k- September 20th
 - v. Basilone Parade- September 21st
 - vi. Trunk or Treat- October 25th
 - vii. Letters To Santa & Soldiers – Small Business Saturday?
 - viii. Christmas Tree Lighting / Meet Santa – December 12 – Elf on the Shelf theme (Somerville is Friday, Dec. 4)

11. Budget - \$12,279.55 (Temporary Budget)

12. Open Comment

13. Adjournment