Borough of Raritan

Recreation Committee Meeting Agenda
July 13, 2026- 6:30pm
9 West Somerset Street
Raritan, New Jersey 08869

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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 - June**
4. **Public Comment**
5. **Council Liaison Report**
6. **Director's Report**
    a. Summer Camp update
    b. Summer Concerts @ Washington Park
        i. June concert went great!
        ii. Next concert will be July 15
        iii. Please help share posters
    c. Christmas Update
        i. Holiday Lighting needed for tree & "light swag" – Mayor Tozzi
    d. Soccer Field at Orlando Drive
    e. Field Usage Permit for Washington Park – Bridgewater Raritan Cheer Association - Practices
        i. July 16, 21, 22, 28, and 29th from 6:30 to 8pm
        ii. August 3rd through September 4th, Monday - Thursday 6:00 to 8:30pm
    f. AARP Grant – Rain Garden @ Frelinghuysen Park
    g. Bridgewater / Raritan Youth Services Commission: *No current update*
    h. Bridgewater / Raritan Alliance – *no current update June meeting was cancelled.*
        i. Grants fund approximately $8000. Funds will be used to support community awareness.
        ii. Voting on specific programs will be held in July. In previous years the funds were spent on SAD (Students Against Destructive

Behaviors) & LEAD (formerly the DARE program). Both programs were held in the Bridgewater/Raritan school system.

i. Splash Park – running well & well attended
j. TGA Sports - advertisement
k. Schedule of Fees – Vote Needed
i. Pool Season 2026
    a. Pool hours adjusting based on use
        i. Monday – Thursday: 10am – 5pm
        ii. Friday: 12pm – 8pm
        iii. Saturday: 12pm – 3lpm
ii. Pool Parties
    a. Council approving fees

7. **Assistant Director Report**
    a. Summer Basketball – 34 registered as of today
        i. July 9th – August 6th on Thursday nights
8. **Upcoming Events**
    a. Concerts in the Park – Next is July 15
    b. Christmas in July- July 24th
    c. PBA Street Fair- July 25th 12-6pm – 2 tables with "Minute to Win It" activities – volunteers needed. Rain date – Sunday, July 26th
    d. National Night Out- August 4th
        i. Pool will be open
        ii. Cotton candy, popcorn, snow cones
        iii. Volunteers needed
    e. Basilone Parade – September 20th
9. **Old Business:**
    a. Yoga with Ram
    b. Bradley Gardens Carnival
    c. Banners @ Frelinghuysen Field
    d. Pool Bash / Opening Day
10. **New Business**
11. **Budget/Finance Update**
12. **Open Comment**
13. **Adjournment**