

## **Board of Recreation Commissioners Meeting January 3<sup>rd</sup> 2024**

<b>Paul Shoyinka</b>	<b>Present</b>
<b>Brian Harris</b>	<b>Present</b>
<b>Marina Cambareri</b>	<b>Present</b>
<b>Joanie Diore</b>	<b>Present</b>
<b>Jeff Devito (Vice Chair)</b>	<b>Present</b>
<b>Euris Rivas (Chairman)</b>	<b>Present</b>
<b>Mike Petriello</b>	<b>Present</b>
<b>Kristin Hayden (Alt #1)</b>	<b>Present</b>
<b>Christie Prepis (alt #2)</b>	<b>Present</b>
<b>Tony Como (Director)</b>	<b>Absent</b>
<b>Chris Kourelakos</b>	<b>Present</b>
<b>Councilmen Morrell</b>	

**Chairman Rivas called the meeting to order at 7:07pm**

*Chairman Rivas announced "That all requirements of the Open Public meeting law have been met for*

*this meeting of the Board of Recreation Commissioners of The Borough of Dumont*

*Notices have been transmitted to the newspapers*

*Notices prominently posted in a space provided on the bulletin Board at the Borough Hall posted on the Borough web site.*

*Notice has been filed with Borough Clerk"*

*At this time Chairman Rivas sworn in the new Commissioners, Brian Harris, Kristian Hayden Joanie Diore*

**Chairman Rivas asked for a motion to open the public portion of the meeting.**

**Open Public Participation Commissioner Diore made a motion to open the public portion of the meeting. 2nd by Commissioner Petriello. Roll call taken motion carried**

Frank Masalla

Dumont Resident

Mr. Masalla spoke about the girls' basketball program and the history involved since this current group took over in 2017. This season they have 144 players this is the most players that they have had. Masalla Stated that there was an Email sent stating that the g9irl's program is the only program in town that requires them to play rec in order to play travel. In order to play travel baseball, you must play the rec season. Mr. Masalla explain the reason and the methodology used in running the girl's program.

**Commissioner Cambareri made a motion to close the public portion of the meeting. 2<sup>nd</sup> by Commissioner Shoyinka. Roll call taken motion carried.**

## **Director Report**

No Report at this Time

## **Program Reports**

### **Commissioner Diore**

Cheering.

No Report

### **Commissioner Shoyinka**

#### **Girls' Volleyball:**

No Report

#### **Track and Field:**

No report

#### **Summer Basketball:**

No report

#### **Girls' Softball**

Registration is open and will remain open until February 4<sup>th</sup>.

They would also like to know when the scoreboard is going to be installed.

### **Commissioner Rivas**

#### **Men's Softball**

No Report

#### **Roller Hockey**

No Report

**Commissioner Prepis**

**Girls Basketball**

The recreation season has started. Games started Saturday at 10:00am.

WE have former and current high school players reefing again this season for recreation games

Travel games started in December for most teams. Some teams will have their first games this coming weekend.

**Commissioner Devito**

**Boys Basketball**

No report

**Jr Football**

No report

**Commissioner Petriello**

**Little league / Senior Baseball**

No Report

**Old Business**

No Report

**New Business**

**Commissioner Cambareri**

I was exploring offering a theatre club to all ages where we would practice mini role playing and singing show tunes. Then there would be an opportunity the three clubs to audition to ultimately put on a musical or play within three months or so. I would need to develop a committee of volunteer adults to help stage the musical including an adult to spearhead the stage crew, an adult to spearhead the actors, one to run hair & makeup another to run costumes, etc .

Chairmen Rivas explain that she would need to put a plan together showing who is going to run it, the cost involved, equipment needed, and where the program will be held.

**Chairmen Rivas asked for a motion to adjourn the meeting**

**A motion was made by Commissioner Diore 2<sup>nd</sup> By Commissioner Shoyinka. Roll call taken Motion carried.**

Meeting Adjourned

Respectively Submitted

  
Tony Como  
Recreation Director