

**EAST LAMPETER TOWNSHIP
PARKS AND RECREATION
BOARD
March 28, 2018**

The East Lampeter Township Parks and Recreation Board met on Wednesday, March 28, 2018 at the Township Office: 2250 Old Philadelphia Pike, Lancaster, PA 17602. Board members present were: Chris Chretien, Jim Everhart, Joel Bare and Diane Tyson. Also present were Charlie Thomas, Public Works Director and Ralph Hutchison, Township Manager. The meeting was called to order by Jim Everhart at 7 pm.

Public:

No Public Comments

Approval of Minutes:

A motion was made by Mr. Chretien to approve the minutes of the February 28, 2018 meeting Mr. Bare seconded the motion and it was passed by unanimous voice vote.

Recreation:

- Baseball has started practicing and all schedules are in. Conestoga Valley Baseball Association now is the organization who has the insurance and has scheduled the fields. Little League and Midgets are now run under this group. The younger kids play in house and the older ones travel.
- The Easter Egg Hunt did not take place due to the snow.

Grounds, Buildings & Trails:

- We have found a new person to mow – a retired fire Marshall
- Restrooms open Monday, April 2nd
- Charlie is getting information and pricing on signage.

Old Business:

Park Study – Alta is coordinating with the school athletic director to find a date where there are multiple activities going on for a public-input event, probably at the end of April. Another event will be in the fall once a tentative plan is put together.

New Business:

The Dept. of Agriculture is concerned about the Spotted Lanternfly that has been spotted in Eastern Lancaster Co. They do not fly but hitchhike on cars and animals. They eat the stems & roots of fruit trees and can be very destructive.

Charlie met with a group to do a river clean up the first week in June for Clean Water Week.

Adjournment

A motion to adjourn the meeting 7:30 was made by Mr. Chretien and seconded by Mr. Bare and unanimously approved. The next meeting is scheduled for April 25, 2018 at 7:00 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Diane Tyson