



## **Tuscora Park Board Meeting April 18, 2018**

The meeting was called to order at Noon by board Secretary Phil Tidrick.

Present were members Jan McInturf (who joined the meeting already in progress), Phil Tidrick, Tom Farbizo, Bill Morgan, Jim Parrish and Courtney Shalosky.

Excused were Dave Frantz and President Mike Ernest who had a court hearing.

Guests were Mayor Joel Day, Parks and Recreation Department Superintendent Rod Miller, Asst. Parks Superintendent Chase Hostetler, Service Director Ron McAbier and Dean Holland, Council Representative.

Bill Morgan made a motion to accept the February 21, 2018 meeting minutes. Courtney Shalosky seconded the motion. **Motion Passed**

Jim Parrish made a motion to accept the March 21, 2018 meeting minutes. Bill Morgan seconded the motion. **Motion Passed**

Old Business....

After an update from last month's meeting regarding pickle ball, Bill Morgan made a motion to tape off two tennis courts (upper two courts) to be used for pickle ball in the off seasons of high school tennis. Pickle ball play would begin at the end of spring high school tennis around the middle of May and play would end at the start of the fall tennis season. Jan McInturf seconded the motion. **Motion Passed**

Tom Farbizo reported that he approached Lowe's to ask them for help with the repairs of the tennis area storage building. As Lowe's' community service project, they have agreed to pressure wash the park's picnic tables and stain them in addition to power washing the pad. Therefore they passed on the idea of helping with the storage building.

After some discussion, a motion was made by Jim Parrish for Tom Farbizo to ask for financial assistance from the New Phila VFW, Holmes Lumber and the Tuscarawas County Foundation for the storage building repairs at an approximate total cost of \$15,000. The motion was seconded by Courtney Shalosky. **Motion Passed**

New Business....

Chase Hostetler brought to the board's attention, that the Tuscora Park sign located at Tuscora Avenue and North Broadway, is falling apart. The original buyer for this sign was the First Town Days Festival committee.

Also it was suggested that the posts for the nets on the tennis courts need looked at.

It was reported that all rides except for the swings are in good working order. The gear and bearings are being worked on. There is now a weight limit and age on the swings.

This Saturday at 10:00 a.m. is the dedication for the new tennis courts. It is also Gundy Day in Tuscora Park.

With no further business to discuss, Jan McInturf made a motion to adjourn. It was seconded by Courtney Shalosky. **Meeting adjourned**

**NEXT PARK BOARD MEETING IS SCHEDULED FOR  
WEDNESDAY, MAY16, 2018 AT NOON. THERE WILL BE A WALK  
THROUGH BEGINNING AT 11:30 A.M. SEE YOU THEN!**