

Minutes of the Spring Garden Township Recreation Commission Meeting

5:00 p.m. – November 19, 2025

Persons Present:

Missy Stuart, Chairperson, Ward Five

Leah McQuillis, Secretary, Ward Two

Corey Willard, Ward Three

Andrew Ruth, Ward Four

I. Call to order and attendance

a. Public Comments – None

b. Recreation Commission Meeting Minutes

i. MOTION (Willard/McQuillis) to approve the October 15, 2025 Meeting Minutes.

Discussion: No changes to original draft. 3/0. Carries

c. Recreation Coordinator Comments- Katie Sprich

d. Current Activities

i. Bus Trips: Sign up at Springetsbury's Website. Code Spring Garden for resident rate: DC Blossoms, NYC on Your Own.

ii. Pre-School Craft and Story Time: Storytime will be in the Admin Training Room on Thursdays at 10am from November 6-December 11, and January 8-February 12, 2026. We will be outdoors as weather permits. Average children per week plus their families.

iii. Quick Start Guitar: One person signed up for the current session. Will need 3 to continue. The sessions will continue into Fall and Winter.

iv. Spring Garden Stroll: No one has registered yet. Will try again in the spring.

v. Pop-Up Paint and Play scheduled for October 14, 2025 was successful. 15 kids attended.

vi. Creating required forms and job descriptions for 2026 Summer Parks Program.

vii. Sent Sponsorship Packages to multiple businesses. Discussion regarding ideas for businesses that may be willing to sponsor.

viii. Seeking instructors/leaders/location for new classes for spring and summer 2026: In contact with Regents Glen, Fitness Instructors for outdoor classes and Creative York.

ix. Seeking quotes for new signs and upgrades for Windsor and Mt. Rose Park.

x. Cultural Alliance of York: Attended a presentation. Meeting is scheduled.

xi. PRPS Leadership Academy – Training is ongoing.

e. A look ahead

i. E-Cycling Event

ii. 2026 Summer Program, 2 Parks

iii. 2026 Evening Art Club

iv. 2026 Art, Music and Fitness Classes

vi. Future: Summer Program, 4 parks.

vii. Future: Fall Maker's Market

viii. Future: Business Networking Group

ix. Park Upgrades- seeking grants

x. Beginning January 1, 2026 – Pavilion Rentals will be available on Myrec. Payment may now be made online.

f. Board Members Comments

i. Ward Two, Leah McQuillis

1. Discussion regarding reasonable pricing for summer parks program, age range of participants and program hours.

ii. Ward Three, Corey Willard

iii. Ward Four, Andrew Ruth

1. Commented on positive feedback received for 4th Friday Events. The community would like to see more movies.

iv. Ward Five, Missy Stuart: Discussion regarding when the recreation van can be purchased. Discussion regarding interest in the York Township Recreation Plan meeting.

II. Adjournment