



**Tredyffrin Township Park and Recreation Board Meeting
June 11, 2025**

Participants:

Park Board Members: Diane van Mol, Raffi Terzian, Kris Robie, Galen Day, and Porsha Trisdorfer
Tredyffrin Staff: Officer Joseph Butler, Colleen Cappello, and Darin Fitzgerald

1. Call to Order **7:02 PM**
2. Approval of April 2025 Meeting Minutes
 - a. Approved, pending correction of the misspelling of Mr. Terzian's name
3. Reports
 - a. Police report
 - i. 5/15/25 – Mill Road Park, Patrol observed several Amazon boxes next to a public trash can. Owners of boxes were cited for littering
 - ii. 5/15/25 – Wilson Farm Park – Report of an ice cream truck selling ice cream without proper licenses. The truck was not located on the premises
 - iii. 5/17/25 – Wilson Farm Park – Report of a deceased animal near the pond
 - iv. 5/17/25 – Teegarden – Report of dogs being off leash. Officers explained to the reporting party that Teegarden is an off-lease dog park
 - v. 5/21/25 – Teegarden – Report of a lost dog. The dog owner and the dog were reunited
 - vi. 5/31/25 – Wilson Farm Park – Report of a newborn deer was found. Appropriate wildlife protocols were followed, and the deer was not moved as it was not in distress
 - b. Public Works report
 - i. The sprinkler system at Wilson Farm Park on the ball field is currently down. Public Works has been in touch with the company to come out for repairs
 - ii. The ball field at Mill Road is laid out, hoping to start construction in the next few weeks. Will connect with Mr. Chu with the T/E Thunder League to review the layout and follow up with any questions
 - (1) Fields are groomed twice per week
 - iii. New picnic tables have been added across the parks, including at Friendship and Teegarden parks
 - iv. Currently finishing the park set up for summer camp
 - v. Starting the Fourth of July set-up
 - c. Parks and Recreation report
 - i. The first summer concert starts at 7 PM on June 12, 2025
 - ii. Movie night (Moana 2), rescheduled to June 13, 2025 due to inclement weather, starting at 8:30 PM

- iii. Fourth of July planning meeting
 - iv. Summer day camp to begin, all staff have been hired
 - (1) Staff include Counselors (ages 14-17), Lead Counselors are college students pursuing education careers, and Assistant Directors
 - v. New sponsors for Community Day
 - vi. 27 Pavilion rentals across the parks this month, mostly at Wilson Farm Park, but have spilled into Woodbine and Teegarden
- 4. Old Business
 - a. Friendship Park Update
 - i. The stormwater management location has been determined by the engineers
 - ii. Discussion of whether to segment the dog park
 - iii. Phase I to be completed is the completion of the dog park and updating the pavement
 - iv. The date of Construction to begin has not been determined, as the work will need to go out for bid
- 5. New Business
 - a. Dale Kline – unavailable to attend
 - b. 355 Chase Road
 - i. Demolition has begun on the pool area, and tree removal is in progress
 - ii. A master plan is being developed and will be presented to the Board of Supervisors
 - iii. Township's COO will attend the July Parks & Rec meeting to provide an update
 - iv. The pool area will be repurposed for a Community Garden for the township
- 6. Liaisons
 - a. Deer Report – Jami Godfrey
 - i. No report available
 - b. Park Foundation – Patty Copeland
 - i. No report available
 - c. EAC –
 - i. Galen Day has been appointed as the new Parks and Recreation liaison
- 7. Good of the order
 - a. Mazie B. Hall benches are splintering, and there has been a public request for metal benches
 - i. Resin benches do not last
 - ii. The request for a bathroom would require a capital improvement budget, as water is not currently available in that park
 - b. Pickleball Issues at Friendship Park
 - i. While courts are first-come, first-served, tennis etiquette is that the court can only be used for an hour if people are waiting to use the court
 - ii. Courts may need to be designated or regulated
 - iii. Further discussion to come to determine a resolution
- 8. Date of next meeting – July 9, 2025, at 7:00 PM
- 9. Adjournment at **7:57 PM**

The meeting dates for the year were advertised in the 12/27/2024 issue of the Daily Local and the 1/5/2025 issue of the Main Line Suburban. The meeting dates for the year were published on the Township website by 12/31/2024 and were printed in the Township's newsletter on 1/31/2025. The agenda was posted on the Township website on 06/06/2025 and at the main entrance to the Township Building on 06/10/2025. Copies of the agenda were made available for the public in attendance at the meeting.