

**2025 Palisades Park Recreation Department
Meeting Minutes
Meeting 2
Tuesday, March 4, 2025**

I Call To Order

Dave Terranova (Director) called the meeting to order at 8:25 PM on Tuesday, March 4, 2025 at Borough Hall, 275 Broad Ave, Palisades Park NJ

II Pledge Of Allegiance

III Roll Call

Dave Terranova (Director) conducted a roll call. The following people were present:

<u>Invitees</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Present</u>
Dave Terranova	Director	✓
Maria Rivera	Recreation Secretary	✓
Charlie Shin	Liaison	✓
Christopher Kwak	Rec Program Coordinator	✓
Maria Alvarez	Assistant Rec Director	
Lisa Ardire	Assistant Rec Director	✓
Sourav Chatterjee	Assistant Rec Director	✓
John D'Elia	Assistant Rec Director	✓
Rose Lonis	Assistant Rec Director	✓
Sonny Kim	Recreation Committee	
Alex Monteleone	Recreation Committee	
Neris Papoters	Recreation Committee	
Mary Terranova	Recreation Committee	✓

IV Approval Of Minutes From Last Meeting

February 2025

- 1st Motion-Rose Lonis
- 2nd Motion-John D'Elia

V Open Issues (Resolved)

- 1) Indoor Soccer concluded on Saturday and was a huge success-Sonny reminded the children to re-register for next Indoor Soccer in September

VI New Business (Working)

- 1) Work on starting Middle School & Rec Wrestling and Cheer programs
- 2) Need to check dates for the possibility of Intramural Basketball & Tennis Camp
Discuss new programs to start & how to implement-Volleyball-Skiing-Ice Skating
-Aerobics/Yoga-Roller Skating-Bowling-Adult Night-Adult Dodgeball
- 3) 125th Anniversary Time Capsule-bury in front on Lindbergh-essay or poster contest-
Approved by Dr Cirillo-Sonny to do flyer-Essay Contest Winners-Coins, Pens-
Pictures (Rec Committee & Mayor And Council)-Business Cards-Timeline-
Order Brick & Capsule
- 4) Start booking organizations for Memorial Day 2025-Confirm Moe Panzella to be
Grand Marshal-Seek out Choir and/or Bands-Invitations This Week-John D'Elia
working on securing a speaker
- 5) Veteran's Day Ceremony in 2025 needs to be set-11/11 Veteran's Day Ceremony-
Invite Veterans who live in town-Advertise on marquee

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VI New Business (Working)-Continued

- 6) Plan a 25th Anniversary ceremony for 9/11 in 2026-rent flag-request PPF truck to raise flag
- 7) Dates for Intramural Basketball & Tennis Camp need to be set-reach out to Tyler & Anthony to reserve - Spring & Fall programs
- 8) Send memo to BOE reserving Facilities for all dates for the entire year
- 9) Request to modify Ordinance to raise Summer Camp rate-\$300 per child & \$150 for all siblings
- 10) Reserve dates in March for Registration for Spring & Summer programs
- 11) We intend to hold Outdoor Soccer in the Fall at Lindbergh
- 12) Try to start Adult Basketball, Pickleball, Volleyball & Flag Football programs
- 13) Need Easter flyer ASAP-Contact Soraya to be the Easter Bunny again this year-4/12/25
- 14) Discuss potential Food Truck festival in May (May 3 or May 10)-Not feasible
- 15) Schedule tentative dates for Movie Nights in the Summer-Wicked (7/14) & Inside Out 2 (7/30)

VII Agenda

- 1) Assign Committee Directors
 - a) Soccer-Sourav Chatterjee
 - b) Easter-Maria Rivera-Maria Alvarez-Mary Terranova-Rose Lonis
 - c) Basketball-Dave Terranova
 - d) Memorial Day Parade- All Board Members
 - e) Summer Camp-Mary Terranova-Maria Rivera-Rose Lonis
 - f) Summer Street Fair-Dave Terranova & Chris Kwak
 - g) 9/11 Memorial & Veterans Day-Maria Alvarez
 - h) Football-Dave Terranova & Sourav Chatterjee
 - i) Cheer-Dave Terranova
 - j) Halloween-Maria Rivera
 - k) Christmas- Mary Terranova-Maria Rivera-Rose Lonis
 - l) Movie Nights-Lisa Ardire
 - m) Time Capsule-Lisa Ardire (4/28/25 Flyer)

VIII Adjournment

Meeting was adjourned at 9:02 PM by Dave Terranova (Director)-

1st Motion-Lisa Ardire

2nd Motion-Maria Rivera

The next Board meeting will be held on Tuesday, April 1, 2025

at 8:00 PM at Borough Hall, 275 Broad Avenue, Palisades Park NJ 07650