

**2025 Palisades Park Recreation Department  
Meeting Agenda  
Meeting 5  
Tuesday, July 1, 2025**

**I Call To Order**

Dave Terranova (Director) called the meeting to order at 8:05 PM on Tuesday, July 1, 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:

<b>Invitees</b>	<b>Position</b>	<b>Present</b>
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	
Lucy Yang	Recreation Committee	
Mary Terranova	Recreation Committee	✓

**IV Approval Of Minutes From Last Meeting**

June & July Minutes Will Be Approved At The August Meeting

- 1st Motion-N/A
- 2nd Motion-N/A

**V Open Issues (Resolved)**

- 1) Basketball Camp with PPHS Coaches was held for 5 Sessions & was encouraging- we had 10 children in grades 4 through 7 participating-both coaches & kids enjoyed the Camp & we will look to do this again in the fall
- 2) Tennis Camp was conducted and concluded in 5 sessions for 3 registrants - Coach Anthony always teaches a great Camp & we will look to hold another one in the fall
- 3) Summer Camp started on June 30 with 48 children-turnout was light due to the age restrictions implemented this year - CPR class was held on 6/25 for the counselors - Background checks were also conducted for all Summer Camp employees
- 4) Flyers were distributed for upcoming Summer Soccer Camp & Movie Night on July 14- send to Library to post

**VI New Business (Working)**

- 1) Work on starting Middle School & Rec Wrestling and Cheer programs-will ask AD Eliopoulos for help
- 2) Discuss new programs to start & how to implement-Skiing-Ice Skating-Aerobics/Yoga -Roller Skating-Bowling-Adult Night-Adult Dodgeball

## VI New Business (Working)-Continued

- 3) Veteran's Day Ceremony in 2025 needs to be set-11/11 Veteran's Day Ceremony-  
Invite Veterans who live in town-Advertise on marqueeSend Out email for Heritage Banners
- 4) Plan a 25th Anniversary ceremony for 9/11 in 2026-rent flag-request PPF truck to  
raise flag
- 5) Send memo to BOE reserving Facilities for all dates for the entire year
- 6) Reserve dates in September for Registration for Fall & Winter programs
- 7) We intend to hold Outdoor Soccer in the Fall at Lindbergh - awaiting details from Sonny
- 8) Interest in starting Adult Basketball, Pickleball, Volleyball & Flag Football programs-  
find locations, dates & create flyer
- 9) 2nd Movie Nights is scheduled for July 30 - flyer needed (Inside Out 2)
- 10) Inflatables have been booked, donated pizza & ice cream have been secured for August 18-  
A donation for 7 hero sandwiches will be requested from Shop Rite
- 11) September 20 - The stage application has been sent & inflatables have been reserved-  
Need to confirm music acts, vintage cars & food trucks
- 12) Discussed splitting the Summer Camp into 2 age groups to accommodate 11 & 12 year  
olds that were cut from the camp this year
- 13) Re-Set the bases at Lindbergh Field with AD Eliopoulos-discussed how to rehab the field  
in order to spur more usage
- 14) Need to book attractions for Tree Lighting on December 6

## VII Agenda

- 1) Committee Reports
  - 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
  - f) Family Fun Day 8/18-Rose Lonis
  - g) Summer Street Fair 9/20-Dave Terranova & Chris Kwak
  - h) 9/11 Memorial & Veterans Day-Maria Alvarez
  - i) Football-Dave Terranova & Sourav Chatterjee
  - j) Cheer-Dave Terranova
  - k) Halloween-Maria Rivera
  - l) Christmas- Mary Terranova-Maria Rivera-Rose Lonis
  - m) Movie Nights-Lisa Ardire
  - n) Time Capsule-Lisa Ardire

## VIII Adjournment

Meeting was adjourned at 9:05 PM by Dave Terranova (Director)-

1st Motion-Rose Lonis

2nd Motion-Maria Alvarez

The next Board meeting will be held on Tuesday, August 12, 2025  
at 8:00 PM at Borough Hall, 275 Broad Avenue, Palisades Park NJ 07650