UPPER MERION PARK & RECREATION BOARD MEETING MINUTES
November 7, 2016
Monday - 7:35 PM.
Attendees: Tina Garzillo, Mike Trachtenberg, Robert DeFelice, MaryAnn Ahearn
Neil Sardiñas , Dennis Rudzinski.
Pledge of Allegiance
Approval of Meeting Minutes - October 11, 2016. APPROVED 5 - 0.
Park & Recreation Director's Report
Park & Recreation Program Director, Dennis Rudzinski , gave the following report and comments:
- The Community Center Pass Holder enrollment has reached #1143.
-The Community Center Free 3 Day Pass promotion begins on November 21 thru December 23,

- The Annual Holiday Hoopla Event is scheduled for December 2, 2016 , 6:30 PM - 8:00 PM.

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This event will be held Inside the township building. The Christmas tree lighting, The Senior
Service Center Band, Santa Claus, a ginger bread house and cookie contest will be featured.
- A PROGRAM PREVIEW EVENT, highlighting programs (w/ instructors), is scheduled for
the Winter and Spring at the Community Center. Interested participants can
speak with Instructors to learn more about the programs.
Old Business
- The board held an executive session on November 1, 2016.
The Park Master Plan and issues pertaining to the Park & Recreation Department's budget was
discussed.
- Board members discussed the grant monies for the "green goats" and their return to
Bob White Park in the Spring 2017.

- Board members discussed the possibilty of bringing a "Main Line School Night " type program

New Business

to the Community Center.

- The Daniel T.Kellett Memorial Skateboard Park located behind the township building is

completed. A Grand Opening with A Ribbon Cutting Ceremony Is scheduled soon.

- Board member, Neil Sardiñas, commented on his meeting with township officials and T&M

Engineers regarding the Schuylkill Trail West at Heuser Park. The trail's needed corrections and

safety requirements were discussed.

- A representative from Allan Meyers is invited to meet with board members in December.

-A Dog Park consultant will be invited to attend the board's January,2017 meeting.

Suggested "do's and dont's" in the planning stages will be discussed.

Adjournment: 9:04 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert DeFelice