

# Camp Wyanokie Commission

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c/o BOROUGH HALL, WEST CALDWELL  
NEW JERSEY 07006

## Minutes of Meeting: June 7, 2018 at Camp Wyanokie

Members Present: Michael Motyka and Paul Scollo, Fairfield  
Michael Colitti, Roseland  
George Press and John Gakos, North Caldwell  
Michael Crudele, West Caldwell

President Michael Colitti opened the meeting a quorum was present.  
The minutes of the previous meeting were accepted.

### Treasurer Report:

Peter Mescia was not present and did not submit financial information before the meeting.

### Camp Status/Usage Report:

No list was provided.

### Buildings & Grounds 2017-2018 Projects:

Mike Crudele and Mike Motyka attended this year's first work day at the camp on Sat. April 21, 2018. They also met with two local landscapers to get estimates for an annual cleanup.

Battinelli Landscaping was chosen and performed the cleanup in 5/31/18. In addition to the originally requested work they also removed the broken sailboat and garbage left on the side of the road by the Montclair firemen.

Mike Motyka will arranged a meeting with Jim LeMaire a member of the NY/NJ Trail Conference to walk the Yellow Trail from the dam to West Brook Road and show us what maintaining the trail entails. Mike Crudele, John Gakos, George Press, Dave Knight and Mike Motyka met with Jim on 5/5/18 and the commission decided to do the maintenance.

Mike Crudele will have a sign made to inform people that the pump needs to be run for a minute before using the water. George Press had the pump repaired and paid the bill. He will submit the bill to Peter.

The knob on the door to the attached shed is broken. Dave Knight will replace it.

Mike Crudele had a grate installed it in the Lion's Den.

George contact West Milford regarding spraying for Gypsy moth caterpillars. They are not doing anything special this year so we will not spray this year.

Gabe DiMasi, West Caldwell/Caldwell Recreation Director informed us that the old picnic tables will be used in the summer are not for sale.

Mike Motyka researched prices for new picnic tables with delivery charges. Four tables were ordered to be delivered before our event. Volunteers are need to assemble them.

Another attempted at opening the valve at the bottom of the dam when the water level is at a low enough to access the valve.

### Communication/Public Relations/Promotion:

Mike Crudele will evaluate our current website and Facebook page to see if we can get a service to send out notices of our events and to record reservations and possibly take payments.

Frank Butterfield, George Press and Mike Motyka will form a committee to form requirements for scout projects to promote the camp, repair and maintain facilities or add new features. They

will get contacts for all of the area scout troops and request that anyone looking for a project consider their proposal.

Mike Motyka determined from old documents donated by the Camp Wyanokie Association, that the property was purchased for camping in 1919. The commission will start planning and promoting next year's event as the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the camp.

Mike Crudele will research cost of security cameras and signage and report back at the next meeting.

All members are to check with their towns' scheduled to determine the best date for next year's event.

**The next Great Wyanokie Outing is scheduled for June 16, 2018.**

This will be a fishing derby from 9 AM until 1 PM. Bagels, doughnuts, juice and coffee will be served for those who arrive early.

Mike Crudele obtained a list of scouting units from Gabe DiMasi, West Caldwell/Caldwell Recreation Director and sent an email inviting them and their scouts to this year's event.

Mike Crudele will order small sandwiches, salads, soda chips and supplies for the event from Shop Rite.

Mike Colitti to pick up coffee and Munchkin donuts for the event, provide two water jugs, hula hoops and arrange for a port-a-john for the event.

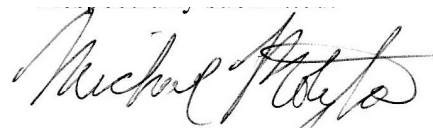
Frank Butterfield and Mike Crudele will provide the sound system and recorded music for the event.

Christian Wigley ordered fish to be stocked in the lake on 5/4/18. He will submit the invoice to Peter for payment.

A notice will be issued that there is to be no fishing before the derby starts at 9 AM. Only children up to and including 15 years old will be allowed to fish during the derby. Those over 15 but less than 70 can fish after the derby providing they have a valid NJ fishing license.

**The next meeting is on October 4, 2018 in the Roseland Borough Hall Floor 2A Meeting Room, at 8:00 PM.**

Respectfully submitted.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Michael Motyka", written over a horizontal line.

Michael Motyka  
Secretary