In attendance: Diane Ackerman, Stephanie Fourie, Tim McChesney, Bruce DiBisceglie (dept chair), Steve Andrew (Council Representative) and James Fourie (junior student representative) Meeting held at the Garabrant Center.

1. **Communications**
   1. The August 25, 2021, Mendham Borough Recreation Committee (MBRC) meeting minutes were approved. Minutes will be posted to the Mendham Borough website.
   2. Communications:
      1. A large amount of Food Truck Festival invitations, inquiries, and responses.
      2. Bruce communicated Council permit approval to JMK
   3. Meetings:
      1. On September 9th Bruce attended the meeting of Mayor & Council.
         1. Borough Council approved JMK Special Event permit without fees, and without ABC permit (insufficient data).

Details/remediation discussed in Executive Session

* + - 1. Mayor Glassner commended Recreation for the Labor Day Parade as one of the best in recent memory.

1. **Parade Review** 
   1. The MBRC unanimously concurred that the Parade was a success and that there was no need for modifications in 2022.
      1. It was noted that the increase in classic cars was well received.
2. **Food Truck Festival Status**
   1. Bruce shared that:
      1. Borough Council approved JMK’s Special Event permit, but not the alcohol permit as information provided by JMK was incomplete and questionable.
      2. JMK replied to Bruce the following morning that they are with withdrawing and taking all trucks to Manville where JMK can make a larger profit.
      3. Council decided that Mendham will still host the Food & Music Festival without JMK.
         1. Bruce in now in charge, and responsible for all music, food providers and vendors.
      4. Bruce shared that JMK is spreading false information about JMK’s departure and that JMK is warning all food trucks not to work with Mendham.
         1. JMK will ban trucks from all future JMK events if the trucks to work with Mendham.
         2. Mendham will be issuing a cease-and-desist letter to JMK.
      5. Steve will get assistance from the Pastime Club for a beer garden and food.
         1. Tim replied that the food would not take too much effort as it is made in advance.
3. **Halloween Event**
   * 1. The MBRC will host a movie matinee at the Garabrant on Saturday, October 30th at 2:00pm
   1. The MBRC has decided on “Hotel Transylvania” based on family-friendly movie ratings and high Rotten Tomatoes / IMDB scores.
   2. Dianne said that snacks will be provided by the Mendham Republican committee.
      1. Bruce said that this would be acceptable as long as all snacks are individually pre-wrapped by the manufacturers.
4. **Facility Update**
   1. The MRBC will conduct a feasibility study towards the creation of a Pickleball Court in the Borough.
      1. There have been complaints that pickleball players are marking up the new tennis courts.
      2. There have also been concerns increase of noise due to pickleball (+70dBs with 100 feet).
      3. Bruce has contacted tennis/pickleball players to say that marking up the tennis courts should not be done.
5. **Prior Business:** 
   1. The MBRC will be conducting a feasibility study towards a possible multi-purpose summer splash park / winter skating rink at the site of the currently unused “t-ball” grass area.

1. **New Business:** 
   1. No new business was introduced.

***Next Meeting: 7:30 pm, Thursday, October 21st, 2021, Garabrant Center.***