

BMBA BOARD MEETING MINUTES
May 10, 2018

ATTENDANCE: Kathy Bogosian, Charlie Scott, Bobbie McElroy, Karen Barton, Erik Persson, Scott Zelov, Sue Graham, Dick Cuff, Alex Harwich, Bob McKernan, David Broida, Lisa Getz, Charlie Grafman, Laura Wogoner, Molly Connell, Carol Felton and Donna Hudak.

The meeting was called to order by Kathy Bogosian and the following items discussed:

- There is \$38,125.91 in the BMBA general fund and \$20,839.41 in the BMDay account. It is hard to get a higher interest Rate. New Holiday Lights would cost us approximately \$40,000.
- Scott Zelov informed us that the Park Mobil app is being well received. Please fill out the online survey concerning Villanova University and Bryn Mawr Community Relations. Both the Bryn Mawr Concert Series and the Bryn Mawr Farmers Market are starting up. Please pull the weeds in front of your store. 1005 Lancaster Ave. façade work has started using the township's loan/grant program. The mural done at the Grog was paid for by the Grog to improve the area. No personal or commercial trash is permitted in the public trash cans. Bryn Mawr Rotary is collecting shoes and books which can be left at the Shear Touch.
- Sue Graham told us that advertising fees will cover the cost of producing the Bryn Mawr Town Maps. These will replace the directories that we now provide. The Bryn Mawr Fire Company fund raiser raised approximately \$8000 for the fire company. Bryn Mawr Day is September 8, 2018. There is plenty of interest so get your vendor forms in as soon as possible to reserve a space. Only the space is provided (free for BMBA members). You must provide covering, table, etc. Although David Broida could lend tables and chairs if needed. The bus tours and petting zoo are lined up. Special rates are set up for advertising in the Inquirer. Bookmarks have worked well in the past to promote BMDay through Ludington Library. We are looking into giving local restaurants event cards (tent cards) to place on their tables to advertise the event.
- Bobbie McElroy gave the Bryn Mawr Beautiful report. The garden ladies are hard at work. The Philip G. Memorial garden looks great. Horizon Church offered to weed around trees and put down gravel. BMBA will pay for the gravel. The shed at the Community Center is being restored as an Eagle Scout project.

- Villanova University is looking to be a better neighbor. They are looking for projects for their Day of Service. They are also working with their students to properly dispose of their trash as they are moving out for the summer.
- Main Line Art Center has a Go-Fund-Me campaign underway. They are taking reservations for their summer camp.
- The township is continuing to work on acquiring new trash containers.
- The 2018 Bryn Mawr Twilight Concerts begin on May 26, 2018. A full listing of performers can be seen at www.brynmawrtwilightconcerts.com.
- Our next board meeting will be on June 14, 2018 at 8:30am.