

NATURE EDUCATION COMMITTEE

APPROVED

Feb. 8, 20017

Members present: Nancy Brundage, Laurel Gay, Jeff Harvey, Jan Hubbard, Lauren Schroeder and Nick Visingardi, Joshua Boyle arriving later. Carol Vigorito is our Mill Creek Park representative.

Meeting came to order at 7:00 p.m. on February 8, 2017 by Chairperson Jeff Harvey. We are made up of a professor, school teacher, 2 naturalists, retail person, and 2 volunteers.

Discussed was a media policy

Dr. Shifka's request

Different parks use and staff

A quorum of 4 was suggested by Jan Hubbard, seconded by Joshua, voted and passed.

Goals 1. Determine if MCMP is meeting the public's demand for education by providing public programs for all ages and residents as well as public schools at all levels.

Goal 2. Making sure people walk away with knowledge, a positive experience, and a better understanding of our ecological environment.

Next meeting March 8 at 6:30; or March 10, Friday, 6:30.

Meeting adjourned at 8:45 Motion made by Lauren and seconded by Joshua., voted and passed.

Two visitors –

Kat Paull of Youngstown City Schools passed out Pacing Guide for schools to all members. Suggested we need to reach inner city children soon as they will be our stewards of the park in the future..

Jim Callan made a few statements and thanked us for our interest.

Respectfully submitted

Jan Hubbard