West Vincent Township Parks and Recreation Commission 2024 Annual Report

Parks & Recreation Commission: Advises on the maintenance, equipment and operation of the Township parks and other recreational facilities; also assists in the development of community programs and events; 7-member commission; five-year terms.

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Membership of the Parks and Recreation Commission in 2024 included:

- Chairman: Bill Dietrich
- Vice Chairman: Scott Casey
- Recording Secretary: Beth Miller
- Committee Members: Jennifer Comunale, Jim Scaperotto, Ken Alan and Davey Waters

Events coordinated and hosted by the Parks and Recreation Commission in 2024 were:

- Summer Movie Night Friday, June 21 (20 23 people in attendance)
- Fall Movie Night Friday August 23 (50 people in attendance)
- French Creek Hike / Tour of Conservation Easements on October 13

Event discussions begun in 2024 that will be executed in 2025

- Yoga in the Park
- Bark Ranger
- Community Day which has been cancelled as of 2/5/2025

General Notes from 2024:

During 2024, the Parks and Recreation Commission also reviewed a request from Ryan Kinka, a member of the Chester County Disc Golf Association, for consideration of installation of a disc golf course at Opalanie. Ultimately the Board did not support the recommendation.

Scott Casey also presented a request for creation of a temporary skating rink / area during winter. Although the Board was supportive, movement never came to fruition.

2024 ended with Bill Dietrich and Beth Miller rotating from their respective positions leaving important vacancies to be filled in 2025.