

FRANKLIN BOROUGH RECREATION COMMITTEE

AGENDA

October 16, 2025

A. **Mr. Babcock** will call the meeting to order: Person taking the minutes will call the roll.

B. **ROLL CALL OF MEMBERS PRESENT:**

Mr. Fredrick Babcock - Chairperson	Term Exp. 12/31/27
Mr. James Affinito – Vice Chairperson	Term Exp. 12/31/26
Mrs. Crystal Talmadge – Member	Term Exp. 12/31/25
Ms. Sarah McGreevy – Member	Term Exp. 12/31/27
Mrs. Lisa Wagoner – Member	Term Exp. 12/31/25
Mrs. Christine Affinito – Member	Term Exp. 12/31/25
Mrs. Jennifer Torres – Member	Term Exp. 12/31/25
Mrs. Rachel Heath - Council Liaison	Term Exp. 12/31/25

C. **Mr. Babcock** will invite all present to salute the flag.

D. **Mr. Babcock** will state that “THE SECRETARY OF THE BOARD HAS ADVISED ME THAT THIS MEETING IS BEING HELD IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE OPEN PUBLIC MEETINGS ACT, CHAPTER 231, PL 1975, ADEQUATE NOTICE HAVING BEEN GIVEN AS REQUIRED BY LAW.”

E. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES:**

- October 2, 2025

F. **OPEN PUBLIC SESSION# 1:**

Mr. Babcock will request a motion to open the meeting to the public, for any questions or comments regarding tonight's agenda items. **All comments should be directed to the Chairperson and kept to a 3-minute maximum.**

H. **Committee Reports:**

- Treasurer

I. **OLD BUSINESS:**

- Halloween:
 - o Sat. Oct. 25
 - o Remaining Budget: \$1400
 - o Parade @ 12pm/PTO Trunk-or-Treat @ 1pm/Party @ 5-8pm at Fireman's Park
 - o Sound & Lighting: Aldo Sanchez \$500 (payment processed)
 - o Wallkill Valley Drug Alliance: \$434.11 reimbursement from Hardyston Twp. Processed.
- Paint Party - Sat Nov 8, 7PM, Deadline to register, October 28th.
- Wind Creek Casino Bus Trip - Sat Nov 15
 - o Bus \$1400 (vote/requisition needed)
- Christmas Parade (Judy Williams)
 - o Sat. Dec. 20, 2025, approx. 5-6pm
- Carnival
 - o Still no reply from Garden State Fireworks on the additional firework display. Mr. Affinito to reach out to alternate vendors.
 - o Looking for a bigger celebration for 250 year celebration, Franklin Day and Carnival
 - o Discussed the possibility of a community committee to help plan the event.
 - o Judy Williams to attend the meeting in November to discuss further

J. NEW BUSINESS:

- Tree Lighting Budget
- Quilting Club - Senior Center
- New member application - Zoe Heath

K. MISCELLANEOUS COMMENTS:

Mr. Babcock will allow each member of the Committee to offer any miscellaneous comments which they may have at this time.

- Next Meeting: 11/6/2025

L. ADJOURNMENT:

Mr. Babcock will request a motion to adjourn the meeting.