



Com. Lejda	X		
Com. Mazza		X	
Com. Nicholl			X
Alt. 1 Casagrande	X		
Alt. 2 Paraskevas			X

**May 9, 2015 –Stone Rd. cleanup and Spring Nature walk**

Post on website calendar. Alt. Com. Casagrande said there is a clean up in Keyport on the same day. V. Com. Ledja said she will bring garbage bags and everyone should bring their own work gloves.

**Memorial Day Service – May 25, 2015 10am-**

V. Chair Lejda said she will purchase a plant for the service

**Natco Park Grant Update –**

Committeewoman Kiley was not able to attend the meeting

**Earth Day- April 25, 2015- behind Lillian Dr. School at 11am-**Chairman Cullen stated that thanks to V. Chair Ledja Earth Day was a successful event. Trees were planted and the park was cleaned up.

**Eagle Scout Project updates-** No Eagle scout attended the meeting.

**Hazlet Day projects –September 19, 2015**

Chair. Cullen-suggested reusable lunch bags kids could draw on and plastic sandwich containers. Com. Bucci suggested reusable bags. Com. Dente said we did them last year. V. Chair Lejda said she will look into the prices for everything and we can discuss this further at the June meeting. She said we still has water bottles left from last year.

**CALENDAR:**

Clean up @ Stone Road May 9-10am - meet at U.B. soccer fields R.D. 5/16/15

Spring Nature Walk in Natco Park – May 9-11am (combined with Clean up)

R.D.5/16/15

Memorial Day Service @ Veterans Park May 25 - 10am

Hazlet Day @ Veterans Park –Sept. 19- 11am

Clean up at Natco Park (behind the Gramarcy) date TBD. Combine with the Fall Nature Walk in Natco Park- behind the Gramercy (Lakeside) Nov. 14-10am  
Holiday Tree Decoration in Natco Park-Dec. 20 @ 2pm-rain date 12/27 behind Lillian Dr. School

### **Proposed New Access Road to the Home Depot-Com. Bucci**

Com. Bucci distributed a map of his proposal of a new access road giving Hazlet residents access to the Home Depot shopping plaza, thereby eliminating a much longer trip up Holmdel Rd to Bethany Rd. to Beers St. to Route 35, which will cut the trip from the intersection of Holmdel Rd and Rt 35 from approximately 3.4 miles to .2 miles. Chair Cullen questioned whether the property owners would be willing to accommodate this change. Com. Mazza asked if there are any environmental issues involved. Com. Bucci said he didn't see any issues. Com. Bucci asked for and received permission to post the Home Depot Access Map on Facebook in order to generate any other possible ideas on how to accomplish this.

### **UPDATES:**

#### **Natco Sub-Committee –Com. Lejda, Com. Dente**

V. Com. Lejda – planting the trees from Earth Day. Chair. Cullen asked if anyone contacted Com. Dente about removing downed trees in Natco Park. He said Dennis Pino was in contact with him. Com. Dente said he was not contacted. Chair Cullen said the MAST teacher that previously attended our meeting now has a router to create nice wooden signs for the park. She made signs for the Manasquan Reservoir (check the website to see them). We can connect the Eagle Scouts to the MAST Teacher for their projects.

#### **Land Use Board – Com. Nicholl**

Com. Nicholl- was unable to attend.

#### **Open Space Advisory Council-Com. Bucci**

Com. Bucci – Meeting cancelled- No updates

#### **Bayshore Regional Watershed Council –Com. Geer**

Com. Geer –There is a horseshoe tagging tonight (5/4/15) at 8:30. Also other taggings will be on May 18, June2 and June16. A woman talked about creating an interactive Green Map of sensitive areas. More information at:

[www.conservewildlifenj.org](http://www.conservewildlifenj.org).

Seining surveys will be held on June 14 and Sept. 12.

Someone from the Coast Guard discussed oil spill containment and Spill Spotters.

**Recreation –**

Pool Club open house May 16, 2015- 1pm-4pm

V Chair. Ledja and Com. Mazza will attend and collect e-mails.

Mr. Shewan said its purpose is to attract new members. There will be a car show, the township fire dept., first aid dept., DPW will bring their equipment for display. Some food vendors, etc. will also attend.

**Hazlet Township website update –**

**Facebook update- V. Chair. Bucci**

Com. Bucci will post a link to the Monmouth county hazardous waste disposal dates for residents.

**Green Team Update- Com. Dente**

The Green Team has decided not to continue to seek certification this year. He said If the town is certified we can get more grants but they feel the amount of money in grants was not worth the effort to be certified. Last year they came up short of the points needed to be certified. He brings this up at our meeting because the Green Team is interested in the old Environmental Building on Middle Rd. They would like to discuss helping us repair/renovate the building and making it self-sustaining. V. Chair Lejda spoke to Superintendent Bragen regarding the building that is on Board of Education property. The building needs a lot of improvements and we hope to get volunteers and donations to help with repairs. Com. Dente also thought the town Seniors might be interested in maintaining a community garden. The Green Team will be discussing this over the next 5 months of meetings.

**OLD BUSINESS:**

**2015 Budget**

ANJAC dues – \$360.00

Earth Day –

Memorial Day -

Hazlet Day –

Holiday Tree Decoration-

**Citizen Hearing:**

Bill Shewan- 20 Mason Dr., Hazlet



**Meeting adjourned at 9:01**  
**Next Meeting: June 8, 2015 – 7:30PM**