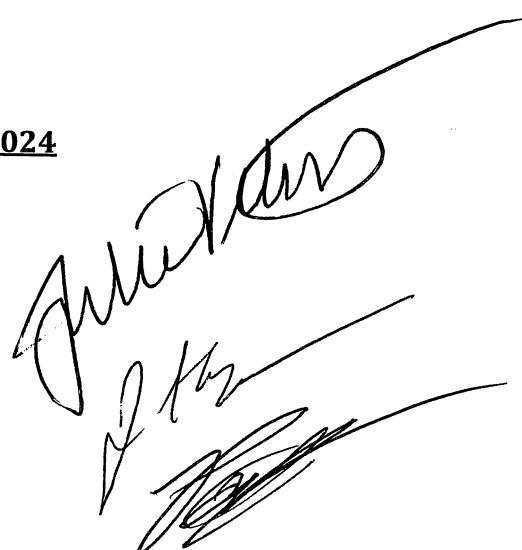


Recreation Commission Minutes for March 27, 2024

Present

Andrew Gray (Recreation Director)
Julie Velevis (Recreation Board Chair)
Aaron Kelly (Member)
Patrick Farrell (Member)
Jim McIntyre (Member)
Valerie Rogers (Member/Alt.)
David Menter (Member/Alt.)
Jon Morgan (Select board)
Ryan Trout (Guest)



The Recreation Committee met and reviewed current/future programs, as well as, past Events/programs.

Recreation Rundown:

- Gray called the meeting to order at 6:30pm, seconded by Velevis, all were in favor.
- Members reviewed and approved of the minutes.
- Pat went over Men's Basketball and all is well. No injuries.
- Tball (16 reg) Coaches meet on 4/3. Start date 4/20. Small travel team in May/June.
- Pickle ball is going great. Still at Swasey.
- Senior Breakfast 3/23 and Bunny Egg Hunt 3/30 will need some volunteers. Gray mentioned his family usually comes down for the Egg Hunt to assist. Julie, Jim and Val also helping out.
- The Fall Fun Run 10/5 9-11am is scheduled and Gray is working with PD to get the permits completed. Velevis mentioned to Gray that they should really use the Arkell Race route. It is a much safer route as opposed to the new one. He will mention it to the PD officer in charge.
- Sip & Sign has 15 reg. looking to book for the fall as well.
- Field Cleanup day 4/6 from 9-11am.
- Cricket Update: mats approved. Waiting on machine to see if it can be used for baseball too and whether or not we need to upgrade to next machine.
- New website starts 4/1.

Formal Group Discussion:

- The Board reviewed the Revolving Account \$22,229.25. There is still \$3,000 in PayPal.

- Gray mentioned all containers are moved and the bill paid in full for bow hunters.
- Tree clearing for the road project complete. Sanborn will begin working on road with estimated completion at end of April.
- Recreation "board" restoration was discussed by Velevis. Gray mentioned Dick C. and his church group looking to do projects and that might be a good one for them to take on, but need stable poles for the sign.
- Sunday Co-Ed Leagues/Fencing were discussed. The league would like to donate the fencing and install in hopes of off-setting their field fees. Gray is in talks with them about it. Still discussing as a board on if this is a good option for all.
- Capital Projects were discussed with the Board. We have roughly \$80,000 in impact fees. Gray mentioned using some of it to purchase items for Cricket. Also, the current Olsen Field ideas were discussed and name changes. Also, discussed Olsen Field space, Pickle ball courts, hoops for b ball and Dog Park. Public meeting to discuss these items.
- Exeter Dam-Where are we with it? Did it close yet? Gray mentioned Fall River Paddle and what would happen with it.
- 4th of July Parade-Velevis went over a few things. Vendors booked and being booked. Permit request going out in early April.
- Seniors lunch is 4/17. Pickity Place trip will be in early May and Encore will be mid-May. Gray is working on securing the bus for the trip.
- Summer Camp registrations are underway Gray discussed with the Board. Currently 27 are registered 14 confirmed for whole summer.
- Gray also mentioned the BRC, field, program pricing changes and evaluations on them. Will continue to discuss with the Board. Resident and non-resident fees to be discussed as well.
- This was Aaron's last meeting. We did well wishes and welcome Ryan Trout to the Board. He will be sworn in before our next meeting.

Meeting End Time: 7:30pm Called by Gray and seconded by Farrell.