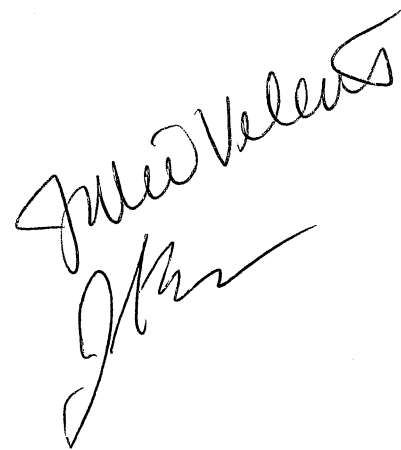


Recreation Commission Minutes for April 17, 2024
Location: Town Hall (Recorded)



Present

Andrew Gray (Recreation Director)
Julie Velevis (Recreation Board Chair)
Patrick Farrell (Member) Entered at the end of meeting
John Garrey (Member)
Jim McIntyre (Member)
Ryan Trout (Member)
Valerie Rogers (Member/Alt.)
David Menter (Member/Alt.)
Jon Morgan (Select board)

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. Meeting was held at Town Hall and recorded for the public.
- Members reviewed and approved of the minutes.
- Rec van is good to go for our senior trip and for summer. The verbiage for Kingston usage is still being working on and will be submitted to BOS for final approval.
- Men's Basketball is good. No injuries at this time. Last month for playing is coming up.
- Tball (19 reg) 5/11 is picture day. Reg will stay open until we hit 24 kids. (3 teams)
- Cricket (18 reg) We will use the first mat for summer session and if we need a second one we will discuss in the fall. Pitching machines are being evaluated by Andy and coaches.
- Pickle ball is going great. Still at Swasey and will be moving outdoors soon.
- The Fall Fun Run 10/5 9-11am is scheduled and permits approved. Will get it in the mail in May. Gray will work with Mark Hanik to get sponsorships/food vendors.
- Fremont/Brentwood bread making class for fall. Trying to schedule sometime in September for an evening class.
- Field Cleanup day was cancelled due to the weather. However, each organization did a great job cleaning up their section. Some damage but ok on the open fields.
- 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.
- Rec Adult Softball registration is open.
- Road Project: Trees have been cleared in both areas. Gray wasn't able to confirm a set time with Kip, but hoping to start late April or early May.

- **Formal Group Discussion:**

- The Board reviewed the Revolving Account \$26,000
- Sunday Adult League gave presentation for fencing.
- 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. Still waiting to hear back from Pilgrim.
- 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. May 9 at 6:30pm (extra meeting) to discuss ideas. Public is welcome.
 - 4th of July Parade: Permit will be submitted after April break. We have flags/wrist bands for the kids. Kona Ice will be there. Searching for one more food vendor.
 - Another fundraiser lunch/brunch. Our last one went well, so looking for fall again.
 - Seniors: working on a schedule to have a community senior healthcare session. Sept/Oct.
 - Summer Camp (38 - 20 FT and 18 TBD) working on field trip package and training overhaul. Jason will give further updates.
 - BRC, field and program price changes to be discussed.

- **Meeting End Time:**

- 7:30pm Called by Gray and seconded by Velevis.