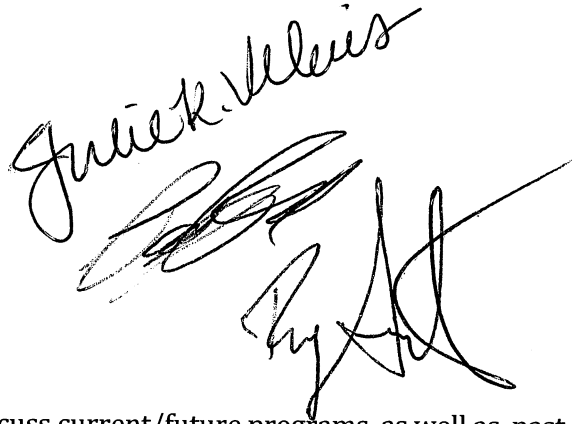


Recreation Commission Minutes for September 25, 2024

Location: Town Hall (Recorded for the Public)

Present

Andrew Gray (Recreation Director)
Julie Velevis (Recreation Board Chair)
Patrick Farrell (Recreation Board VP)
John Garrey (Member)
Jim McIntyre (Member)
Ryan Trout (Member)
Valerie Rogers (Member/Alt.)
Jon Morgan (Select board)



(The Recreation Committee meets to review and discuss 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 from August meeting
- Fall Paddle – Eric Turer 9/21 (Due to rain only 15 out of the 30 attended)
- Trick or Treat 10/31
- Haunted Walk – Oct 25 (21+ high school volunteers & food truck TBD)
- Soccer 85 kids (Still looking for games 3-5th. Pre-K has 2 games in Kensington.
- Field Hockey signed up for pink tournament (26/27) Renee puts teams together.
- Fall Fun Run 5k – Kona Ice is in attendance. (8 reg so far)
- October Babysitting Class with CPR – Only 1 reg as of now
- Pickle ball/Tennis Courts – Approved – Kip working on stuff for it.
- Open Gym begins 10/2
- Sourdough Bread Making Class – 10/10 (1 reg so far)
- Drone Class 10/20-No reg so far. 6 person capacity.

- Maker Morning Class – 10/4 Stef Lewedon/Letty Bedard will be running a social hour for knitting. FREE to the public
- Seniors – 10/7 Cruise (Hampton/Kingston/Brentwood)
- QuickBooks – Block 5 being scheduled for a meeting to discuss setting up online.
- Basketball – Exeter no longer running 3-4 boys. Looking to bring back to Stratham.
- Revolving Account: \$34,745.51

Group Discussion

- Summer Camp Refund Update (BOS voted to refund \$180 field trips)
- Pat discussed Snack Shack funds/possible food truck for Rec
- Budget Rough Draft Discussion
- 11/19 Budget Meeting with BOS and 11/25 Budget Meeting with BudCom if approved by BOS.

Meeting End Time

Pat motioned to end at 7:40pm and Julie seconded the motion.

