

Recreation Committee Minutes

May 5, 2016

Attendance: Carl Dubois
Dave Yates
Bob Iannaco
Sue LaRoche
Jeremy Drown
Sean O'Neil
Mick Reagan

Excused – Selectman Roger Coutu, Chairman Keith Bowen

THE MEETING WAS CALLED TO ORDER AT 6:31PM WITH PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE.

MINUTES

Meeting minutes for April 2016 provided by Chrissy Peterson

- ✓ April 2016 Meeting minutes pass

Public Input
None

Report of Officers
None

Report of Sub Committees

- ***Future Project Sub Committee***
 - Nothing to report at this time
- ***Softball Sub Committee***
 - Held first meeting in May. Made some changes for the 2016 season.
 - This season it is highly recommended that pitchers wear masks. Dave has purchased the masks and they will be kept at the field in the field.
 - During the playoffs both team will bat the same amount of the least amount of hitters
- ***After School Sub Committee***
 - Nothing to report at this time.

Director's Report

5th & 6th Grade Dance –

- Held on 4/22.
- 275 kids in attendance
- Thanks to Jeremy Griffus for volunteering to chaperone the last dance and to the parent volunteers

Comedy Show –

- Held on 4/9/16. There was 280 tickets
- \$451 was raised from the 50/50 raffle for the Recreation Scholarship fund.
- Thanks to Sue LaRoche, Bob Iannaco, Susan Yates, and Chrissy Peterson for helping selling tickets.

Senior Center –

- Girls Scout Retaining Wall project was finished this month by Girls Scout Chloe Tardiff
- May is a very busy month with trips at the Senior Center

Basketball –

- The program has come to an end. Over 35+ Basketball finished their playoffs. Prime Appraisals are the Champions.

Lacrosse –

- Teams are in full swing. Enjoying home games at PMA
- Fiddlesticks began last weekend. This is our 5 & 6 year old instructional program.

Daddy Daughter Dance

- Tickets go on sale tonight at 7:30PM. There was already a line outside at 5:45pm tonight. We will be having two back to back nights this year of the dance, May 13th and May 14th.
- This year will be a Candy Land Sweet Moments themed event

Softball

- Coaches have held their meeting, draft has concluded and games started this week.

Summer

- Summer staff hired and activities are being planned.
- Registration is on June 17th from 3pm-8pm at the Community Center

Correspondence

None

Old Business

Hudson Recreation Department's Scholarship Fund

- 14 applicants were sent to the Recreation Department.
- The Scholarship sub-committee will be reviewing the essays tonight

New Business

Freedom Field II Update

Dave Yates has met with the town engineer a few times both in the office and on the field. The estimate by the town engineer was \$271,000 to build the field. We have \$180,000 right now so we are still down about \$90,000. It was recommended to build the field in phases and save money. The estimate included the cost of the fence which was \$50,000. If we held off the first year on the fence it would cut the cost down. Dave also spoke with HUSC president and has a verbal agreement that will soon be written up, releasing the rights to the second field.

Election of Officers

None

Other Business

None

MEETING ADJOURNED AT 7:03PM

*Respectfully submitted,
Chrissy Peterson*

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