

Recreation Committee Minutes June 4, 2015

Attendance: Keith Bowen Dave Yates Mick Reagan Carl Dubois Jeremy Drown Selectman Roger Coutu

Excused – Bob lannaco, Sue LaRoche, and Sean O'Neil

The meeting was called to order at 6:36pm with Pledge of Allegiance.

MINUTES

Meeting minutes for May provided by Chrissy Peterson

✓ May 2015 Meeting minutes passed 3-0-2

PUBLIC INPUT None

REPORT OF OFFICERS None

Report of Sub Committees

Nothing to report at this time

Director's Report

Lacrosse –

- Approaching the final week of games
- June 14th & 15th is the NHYLA Festival which all of our teams are entered in to play
- It has been a great season overall. Home games at PMA have been a successful addition to the league.

5th & 6th Grade Dance -

- Held on May 29th
- Around 200 in attendance. Lower than usual due to the HMS dance scheduled the same night. .

Tennis –

- Registration night is Thursday June
- We do not accept early registration because it fills up very fast.

Daddy Daughter Dance-

- Held on May 29^{th.} It was a huge success.
 - A Red Carpet Themed Event that was the hottest ticket in town
- Began selling tickets on 5/13 from 6pm-7:30pm to make it fair for everyone. We did not accept any early purchases.
- When Chrissy arrived at 5:50pm there was a line around the Recreation building and down to Dr. HO Smith School.
- We began selling at 6pm and by 6:20 we sold 320 tickets. We started a waiting list that reached 140 tickets that night. We purchased more tables and were able to squeeze comfortable 80 more tickets in totaling 400 participants
- The dance ran very smoothly. The room was decorated red, black and gold from the tablecloths to the centerpieces. The girls and their Dads walked in on a Red Carpet and then went to one of two picture stations.
- Everyone had a wonderful time and the Fathers shared a special night with their daughters

Senior Center –

- We are currently in the process of putting Pickleball lines down at the Community Center.
- Everyone is very excited to get playing there.

Softball –

- Softball is going strong for both the Men's and Women's leagues.
- They made it through the month of May without a rainout date.

Summer –

• Summer registration is scheduled for June 19th.

<u>Correspondence</u>

None

Old Business

Outdoor Pickleball Courts was approved by the BOS. The project was not to exceed \$6,000. The process has begun with the Highway Department pouring the cement down and drilling holes into the foundation for the posts. They will also be removing the water fountains that do not work resulting from the Skate Park vandalism. Once the lines are painted and dried we hope to have it open to the public my July 1st 2015.

New Business

Motion made for the election of officers to wait until September; passed 5-0

Other Business

- Jeremy Drown proposes the Recreation Department to purchase *Pitching Screens* for Men's Softball to keep the pitchers protected.
- Carol Dubois expresses that the lacrosse season has been great. As a coach of the U13 team he had a wonderful season and states that the addition of renting PMA as the home field has been phenomenal.
- Mick Reagan feels that Pickleball will be great for the town once it is up and running.
- Keith Bowen states that the Daddy Daughter Dance was wonderful and one of the best programs/events that the Recreation Department puts on. He compliments Director Dave Yates and Chrissy Peterson for a well run dance.
- Dave Yates includes that Chrissy put a lot of thought into the dance and came up with the Red Carpet Theme including all of the decorations, etc. He expresses his appreciation to Wayne Medeiros and his wife Elaine who volunteered that night setting up and working the food area. He also thanks Amy King who helped Chrissy taking pictures at the event. He is also looking forward to a Mother Son night in the fall.

MEETING ADJOURNED AT 6:57PM

Respectfully submitted, Chrissy Peterson

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