## **Lancaster Recreation Committee Meeting - Meeting Notes**

Microsoft Teams Meeting Wednesday April 5, 2022

Member Attendees - Win Clark, Dave Carr, Thomas Wood, Kim Shah, Monica Tarbell, Victoria Towne, Michelle Currier

Public Attendees - Jeanne Blauner

- 1. CALL TO ORDER Meeting called to order at 6:36 P.M.
- 2. PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD
- 3. SCHEDULED APPEARANCES AND PUBLIC HEARING

None

4. TREASURER'S REPORT

Revolving Account Balance - \$56,595.89

5. APPROVAL OF MEETING MINUTES

Win motions to approve. Dave seconds. All approve.

- 6. COMMITTEE UPDATES:
  - ❖ 4-H Meeting at the Town Beach on June 7.
  - Drumlin Moon Walk in March was a success. Two telescopes. Fire. Around 70 people in attendance. Look for dates for an end of summer moon walk and a winter walk.
  - Youth Baseball and Softball update.
    - Youth teams have been formed and practices to begin. Field clean-up date scheduled for April 9. Games begin April 25.
    - Buddy Ball beings May 7.
    - Porta Potties going in on April 6.
  - Northeast Eagles signed a contract to rent the fields for games and practices. They will work around youth baseball for field time. They opened and prepared the field for play.
  - Town Beach Opening Preparations:
    - Porta Potties are all set.
    - Need to find a company to supply a permanent dumpster.
    - 3 Lifeguards are returning. Need to find at least 2 more.
    - Hire 2 attendants, possibly 3.
    - Need to get payrates and post opportunities on the Town website.
    - Need to set up MyRec to sell beach passes.
    - Discuss swim lessons with Life Guard Staff
    - Water Front and Water Safety classes have been set up with New England Health and Safety Training
    - Reach out to local Girl Scouts to see if they would be interested in creating a clean up schedule before the beach opens.
    - Volunteer Clean Up Day at the beach
    - Win will reach out about grants for summer staff
  - Dave motions to elect Win Clark as Committee Chairman. Victoria seconds. Unanimous Approval.
  - Playground updates:

- ➤ Michelle has reached out to the chosen Shade Sail company in regard to receiving payment from the Town. Win and Michelle scouted the playground for placement possibilities.
- > Benches are ready to be installed
- > Chimes for the pathway are ready to be installed
- Local family to donate a Little Library
- ❖ Adult Softball Win will arrange a meet up with Andy to go over Adult Softball with Michelle.
- Programming find out if Art and Electronics opportunities are interested in coming back again.
- ❖ Fishing Win will reach out with Jim who supports the fishing opportunities.
- Future Recreation ideas: Outdoor movie nights, Block Parties, End of school year event, Old Home Day, Touch a Truck, National Night Out, Light the Night, Back to School event.
- ❖ Town Wide Yard Sale June or September

Next meeting scheduled for Tuesday, May 3 at 6:30.

Dave motions to adjourn. Win seconds. All approved. Meeting adjourned 7:29 p.m.