

5/31/2016

Lancaster Recreation Committee

Meeting Minutes

3/1/2016

Attendees: Win Clark, Ted Manning, Jeanne Blauner, Joe Kennedy

Meeting Agenda:

- **Public comment period**
- **Scheduled Appearances**
- **Treasurer's Report**
- **Approval of Minutes**
- **TFCC/Ice Rink Update**
- **Girls Softball Registration**
- **Beach**
- **Recreation Director**
- **Field Use Fees**
- **New Business**

Meeting Summary:

Meeting called to order 7:03pm

Public Comment: No public comment

Scheduled Appearances: None

Treasurer's Report:

- Current balance \$42,282
- Budget Details reviewed and approved
- Payment of \$2967.94 to Beals and Thomas
- Johnna suggested purchase of umbrellas for beach if budget allows

Review and approve minutes: Deferred

Ice rink update:

- Suggest dedicated meeting to discuss management of ice rink in future
- Schedule for end of summer
- Need new liner
- Discuss water source (include DPW, Water, Fire depts.)

Girls Softball:

- Need to set a "ready" date
- DPW Part time hire: status unknown

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Patriots Softball:

- Paperwork is in
- Check not received

Beach:

- Harold Naughton – possible funding source for ADA improvements – try to set up a meeting
- June 25 – Opening Day
- Schedule inmates for cleanup
- Contact Garden Club for flowers
- DPW – New Sand
- Scouts nearly complete with their projects
- Beach safety
 - Sending all employees
- Start Swim lessons June 27th
- Should advertise in April

Recreation Director:

- \$20,045 for 19 hour/week position. Grade 7 / St 3
- Also proposed \$3,106 in budget for Head Lifeguard

Field Use Fees:

- Proposed \$20/hr
- Might be prohibitive for leagues. Possible \$500 min and \$10/hr
- Cost justification: field use, lining, maintenance, Rec Director coordination
- Explore possibility of allowing groups to work off costs through volunteer maintenance

New Business:

- Ted should meet with Matt to review field needs
- Win to get shed key to Johnna
- Summer Pick-up league
 - Possible summer league to promote free play – like neighborhood pick up games
 - Monitored by 2 High School attendants (for safety)
 - The hope is to let kids manage their own games
 - Start June 22
 - 10 weeks through August 24
 - \$50 for 10 week session
 - One night per week 6:30-8:00
 - Need to create a flyer for this.

Meeting adjourned: Johnna makes motion to adjourn, Win seconds. Meeting adjourned 8:55 pm.

Next meeting scheduled for 4/5/16 at 7:00pm in the Recreation Office.