

Northfield Recreation Commission
Meeting Minutes
August 14, 2019
7:00pm

Town Hall

The meeting was called to order at 7:01pm

Attendance: Robert Henry, Beth Welcome, Theresa Tsipenyuk, Joe Stacy, Brian Winslow

Guest: N/A

Minutes: Accepted and Approved

Bookkeeper's Report:

Bills were discussed and signed. July Expense Report and Yearly Report were submitted.

Summer Recreation:

Report submitted by Director, Amy Hendricks. 75 total enrollment. \$24,545 in total deposits. \$27,711.99 in expenses. The program ran this summer at a \$3,166.99 deficit. The commission discussed the need for a staffing and busing projection assessment before next year. Staffing ratios were also discussed. Possibilities included change in programming and/or tuition increase.

Fall Sports:

Soccer:

Soccer will run from 9/7/19 - 10/26/19. The Jamboree for travel teams was changed to mid season (10/5) in hopes of warmer, better weather. Shirts will be ordered through Beeze Tees in Keene, NH. Coaches are set and field times/schedule will be set.

Baseball:

This program will run on Sundays from 9/15/19 - 10/20/19. All baseball will take place in Bernardston at Pratt Field. Shirts will also be ordered from Beeze Tees.

Flag Football:

Coach needed. 10 player minimum to run. Beeze Tees for shirts.

Fall Sports Registration will close August 30th.

CPC Update: Shed update - delivery is scheduled. Site work has been completed by the Town Highway Department. An invoice for materials was submitted and approved.

Grounds/Mowing: The only proposal received came from Ben Welcome. Beth Welcome recused herself from discussion and voting. Motion made by Brian to accept proposal and give Ben Welcome the contract from present date through 7/1/19. Bob seconded. Unanimous approval.

Adult Fitness and Weight Room: Beth observed people using weight room.

Old Business: Adult Activity - Brewery trip. 35 total people. November 16th a possible date. Check in with Town Attorney is necessary and requested regarding liability, etc. Thoughts that it would be a mystery tour.

New Business: Joe presented info from the Community Park Committee regarding town park. McCloud property on West Side of the CT River near the Schell Bridge is being discussed and assessed. A meeting is being held September 9th.

Brian reported that it would cost \$5,000-6,000 to skin and rework baseball/softball field at NES if the Tech School did the work.

Next Meeting: September 11, 2019 7:00PM Town Hall

Adjournment: 8:47 PM

Submitted 12 NOV 2019 Robert T. Henry