

Recreation Board Meeting
Date: December 8th, 2024

In Attendance:

Ryan Carlaw
Peter Gaudette
Adam Boyer
Kent Butterfield
Amy Kopp
Alex Macomber

Not in attendance:

Katie Raymond
Kristin Wadsworth
Nate Hanson

Meeting Called to order - 5:02pm

Agenda: Approved October and November minutes

Public Input: No public input

Discussed board participation and expectations. Discussed days and options.
Added public meeting minutes document to address meetings that did not happen.

Discussed how funds get approved and creating a new account for the recreation programs.
Reviewed expenditures from recreation account.

Follow-up

1. Bus and insurance - discussed concerns with insurance coverage for non town employees. - Question for Primex to clarify - Discussed similarities and differences between town and school vehicles and insurance.
2. Purchasing the liner for the rink - Rink size will be double checked when weather allows - discussed a family night weekly event.
3. Finger Printing - background checks for coaches - Discussed the change from state to web based checks - long response times are a concern -

Wobble Gobble Review

1. Review - Coffee table made roughly \$280 - Event went well -
2. What worked and what didn't - Went well - Possibly earlier communication for concessions would be helpful -

Basketball/soccer check-in - Discussed game schedule - getting more involvement - discussed clinics - multi town communication - consistency between schools/fields -¾ has 9 kids with two interested coaches - ¼ 11 players with a coach - uniforms to be discussed further - Are parents interested in paying extra money for warm ups? Should all ages have the same availability? Tournaments do not appear possible due to scheduling and availability.
-discussed coach clinics/trainings for future coaches.

Ice Rink check in - liner - measurements- boards up - family nights - mats in the warming hut

Flag football - not enough interest in 24 - discussed possibility

Budget Review - reviewed numbers from 24 budget - will review the proposed 25 budget at a future meeting.

Motion to adjourn

Made by: Peter Gaudette

2nd: Adam Boyer

Votes Taken:

1: Approve October Minutes

Motion made by: Adam Boyer

2nd: Kent Butterfield

All in favor none opposed

2: Approve November Minutes

Motion made by: Peter Gaudette

2nd: Kent Butterfield

All in favor none opposed

3: Motion to use web based background checks instead of finger printing.

Motion made by: Adam Boyer

2nd: Peter Gaudette

All in favor none opposed

4: Motion to allow Peter Gaudette to spend unused funds from 2024 rink budget as needed on rink.

Made by Ryan Carlaw

2nd: Adam Boyer