

Franconia Recreation Board meeting January 4th, 2024

In Attendance:

Katie Raymond, Haley Ireland, Matthew Steele, Mike McKeever, Butterfield, Ryan Carlaw, Amy Kopp, and Peter Gaudette

Not in Attendance:

Adam Boyer

Meeting called to order @ 4pm

Review:

Discussions regarding bleachers are ongoing

Spring sports - discussed having a softball team/interest - basketball clinic possibility to increase interest - Girls on the Run: discussed viability and costs. Possibly cover most of the cost the first year and then reuse material for further years. - track/flag football - baseball discussed splitting K children from 1st/2nd grade - Uniforms: discussed dates for ordering, the earlier, the better, baseball pants left for parents to order with the option for assistance if needed.

Summer Camp: Adventure camp: every other week. Feedback showed more trips were requested - Another adult is needed for the summer program; overall staffing briefly discussed- there is a need for lifeguards - 3 out of 8 staff are planning on returning- discussed options for swim lessons to be more local - Camp registrations could be opened as early as February - Early bird pricing discussed.

Ice Rink: Discussed the zamboni. An anonymous donor is looking into donating it to the town - Rink ideas: we discussed having a family night (weather dependant) Ryan volunteered his time to help run it. - In regards to the warming hut we discussed locks, usage protocol and camera access

The next meeting we will discuss: Summer camp pricing, registration, and staffing. Spring sports will also be revisited.

Motion to adjourn made by Ryan Carlaw. Seconded by Peter Gaudette. Meeting adjourned at 5:02pm