**Lafayette Recreation Committee**

**June 2, 2022**

Attendees: Adam Boyer, Kent Butterfield, Gillian Correira, Kim Cowles, Felicia Hamilton, Haley Ireland, Gordie Johnk, Nicole MacKay, Mike McKeever

May minutes approved.

**Committee openings**

* Felicia Hamilton is welcomed to the committee as the new Sugar Hill representative (filling Mike MacConnell’s seat).
* Nicole is resigning from committee as well, leaving another opening in Sugar Hill.
* Mike MacConnell has moved to Franconia, not sure yet if he will be taking Cindy’s spot.

**Spring Sports**

* Winding down.
* T-ball finishing up w/ jamboree Saturday 6/4 w/ Bethlehem, Lisbon and Lin-Wood. Gillian and Anabel Boyer will be overseeing.
* Grades 3-4 has a busy schedule, doing well.
* Grades 5-6 Franconia/Bethlehem team has had several games, having fun.
* Flag football has been a great success.
* Track and field finished up this week.
* Discussed future of baseball/softball in Franconia. Will do a student, parent and community survey in the fall.

**Summer Rec**

* Gillian reports that planning is going well. All staff are in place, she is working on the rec schedule.
* Registrations are coming in.
* Some highlights🡪
  + possible overnight at Remich Park for older age groups.
  + Franconia will host Rec Round-up for Bethlehem and Littleton.
  + Bike safety
  + Friday “club days”🡪dance/arts day, counselors are pitching ideas.
  + Field trips🡪tentatively Santa’s Village and Whale’s Tale.
  + Adventure is happening, info on website.

**Profile bus**

* Profile is allowing rec to use their short bus. Drivers must have passenger endorsement on their license.
* In the past, rec has required staff members to be 25 in order to drive campers.
* To receive passenger endorsement, must take 10 hour test, pass test. Kim has a contact who will come to Franconia to administer course/test to staff.
* Motion made by Mike McKeever, seconded by Kent Butterfield to allow staff members between the ages of 21 and 25 to drive campers, as long as they have obtained the passenger endorsement (pending insurance approval). Committee approves.

**Hillwinds pool**

* Trevor Presby has now offered the use of the Hillwinds pool for summer rec. Rec would be responsible for cost. Kim is meeting w/ previous owner to determine/estimate cost of pool maintenance/operation etc. She will keep committee posted.
* Unlikely to be used for swim lessons this year as we have already committed to Bethlehem pool and water safety training opportunity has passed. However, could be used for open/fun swims.

**Old Home Day**

* July 9th—theme is North Country Luau.
* Church breakfast, artisan’s fair, Franconia FD BBQ, SHFD duck race, band, fireworks.
* Welcome center will not be complete, but restrooms will be available for the day w/ temporary electricity.

**Warming Hut/Welcome Center**

* Electric/plumbing roughed in.
* Siding going on soon.
* Old chamber building to be moved after Old Home Day.

Meeting adjourned at 5:25 pm.

Next meeting: August, date to be determined.