Lafayette Recreation Committee

November 4, 2021

Kent Butterfield, Kim Cowles, Haley Ireland, Mike MacConnell, Nicole Mackay

**Soccer**

* Successful season.
* Halloween Cup
  + Great day with 33 co-ed teams participating.
  + Long lines at food trucks, Kim proposes hybrid food next year—several food trucks with crock pots/snacks/baked goods etc. sponsored by LRC.
* Pumpkin Jamboree
  + Great, cute event.

**Wobble Gobble**

* Planning coming along nicely. Start and finish will be at Iron Furnace Brewing.
* 50/50 split with Adaptive Sports.
* Kim needs help with registration, timing, pie solicitation.

**Basketball**

* Kim suggests in-house program at Lafayette to avoid COVID risk. Will discuss further at next meeting.

**Welcome Center**

* Project delayed as town only received only one proposal which was too high. Possible groundbreaking in the spring.
* Donor has now earmarked additional money to make improvements to the library and for construction of a footbridge from town hall to Dow Field.
* Public hearing will be scheduled at some point.

**Budget**

* Reviewed. Committee to consider changes/adjustments for next year’s budget. Will discuss again at December meeting.

**Spring Sports**

* Discussed briefly. Nicole suggests alternative spring club for different activities (rock climbing, tennis, golf etc.). Baseball will still be offered, although interest has been waning over the years.

Next meeting Thursday 12/2/21 at 4:30 pm at the town hall.

Meeting adjourned at 4:30 pm

Respectfully submitted by Haley Ireland