

**Bridgewater Recreation Commission**  
**Bridgewater Town Hall**  
**APPROVED Minutes of Regular Meeting: October 25, 2012**

Present: Catherine Vikstrom, John Flaxman, Julie Stuart, Jim Moker, Brad Goldstein

Absent: Jo Gallagher, Justin Planz

Meeting called to order at 7:05 by C. Vikstrom

Motion to approve minutes from previous meeting (9/27/12)

1<sup>st</sup>: Jim Moker, 2<sup>nd</sup>: John Flaxman Approved 4-0

**Correspondence:** Invoice from J. Stuart for \$101.80 for Trunk or Treat posters, Mary Allen posters, Mary Allen invitations. Motion to approve from John Flaxman, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Jim Moker. Approved 4-0.

**Coordinator's Report:** Ann Virbickas submitted October Coordinator's report. Discussion ensued regarding the bathroom issue. Curtis Read (Selectman, Inland Wetlands Comm.) to be invited to future meeting. New signage to be researched for the Pavilion regarding the bathrooms.

**Budget Report:** An updated report will be distributed by email to all members

**Old Business:**

- Mary Allen Memorial: November 8<sup>th</sup> at 11 AM at the engraved boulder. Catherine encouraged all to attend. We discussed the ceremony and the reception at the Senior Center.
- Trunk or Treat: Wednesday, October 31<sup>st</sup>. Contingency plans due to expected bad weather were discussed.
- Baseball/Softball fields: Justin will present a formalized field maintenance plan at an upcoming meeting. Two loads of clay were requested for fall maintenance, at an approximate cost of \$2000. Jim Moker made motion, John Flaxman seconded. Approved 4-0.
- Walking Path: John gave background of the proposed expansion of the walking path. We are waiting to hear from the Bridgewater Fire Chief on the insurance issue.
- Tennis Court Damage: Catherine reviewed last meeting's plan of creating a file for issues that have arisen with damage on the surface of the tennis courts. We discussed the warranty and need for regular maintenance. Selectman Stuart, who dropped in on the meeting, reminded us of the importance of maintaining a good working relationship with the tennis court manufacturer.
- Ski Trip: Catherine contacted Roxbury and Washington; both towns have agreed to share responsibility for the \$300 non-refundable deposit. We are now planning a joint trip including all three towns. Probable date to be in January 2013. Responsibility for unaccompanied minors was discussed.

**New Business:**

- Luminaries: The Commission decided against taking on responsibility for this event.

**Meeting Adjourned:** 8:40 PM

Next Meeting: November 29, 2012