## **Odell Park Meeting Minutes**

## March 3, 2009

Present: Krystal Alpers, Mike Mullavey, Mike Loomis, Bob Morin, Elizabeth Corrow, Chuck Farmer, Sarah Stanley, Melissa Rizzo

Minutes from previous meeting: Melissa will e-mail out with March minutes

Funding: Received \$1700 from Wal Mart grant, \$2000 from Rotary for the trail, \$4000 from FSB for the trail. We have roughly \$30,000 in the bank.

Site Plan- Mike Vignale produced the site plan. Cost was \$6900 for the work. DES is requiring this for wetlands, etc. Incorporates 2 fishing platforms. Had to scrap the third due to the flood plain.

## **Grants:**

Mike submitted the Met Life grant which focuses on safety and green space improvement. Should hear by May. Possible \$15000 award.

## **Priorities:**

- \*\*\*Construct the trail
- \*\*Chuck brought up that we will need more brush cleared and that we can contact Rich Doucet for prisoner help.
- \*Gazebo is almost finished- we want to put in a brick walkway from the road/parking lot to the gazebo. The gazebo is being dedicated to Monte Montambeault. Bob Morin will put together marketing materials for this project. We want to sell bricks engraved or non-engraved for fee. Chuck will take on the role of fundraising and publicity for this cause.

Dance: March 27<sup>th</sup> from 7-9pm at the Rec. \$5 cost to students to attend (middle school age). PD will be present. We need a certificate of insurance (Krystal will contact FBIDC). A dj has been hired for \$50.00 for the night. We will sell food and drinks as well. \*\*\*\* Need chaperones (contact Krystal)

Summer Celebration: Sarah handed out the ticket design. We decided on \$10 for adults and \$5 for children. Bob Sharon and Glen Morrill will handle getting the grills which will be donated by the Congregational Church. Prisoners will come and set up the tent. Menu will include BBQ chicken, salads, beans, and fixins.

Next Meeting: April 7<sup>th</sup>, 11am, Rec Center