

Hooksett Parks and Recreation Meeting Minutes
Tuesday November 19, 2013
Hooksett Municipal Building, Room 204

Meeting called at 7:04 By Tom Prasol

Attendance: Jacqui McMartin, Dave Elliott, Tom Prasol, Richard Cote, Mike Young, and Adam Jennings

Guest: Leo Lessard and Mike Horne

Minutes from last meeting approved by Tom Prasol (seconded by Jacqui McMartin).

Public Input: None

Recreation Department Report:

- Peter Brook field not contaminated from high water level
- Hana-Ho-Hee pond will continue to be an ice rink for the public in the winter
- The Planning department will be working on a 10 yr plan
 - Wants input from the Parks and Rec Advisory Board

Conservation Commission report:

- Merrimack riverfront project soon to be completed
- Commission requesting to implement motion-sensor lighting
 - Parks and Rec Advisory Board will look into further

HYAA Board Report:

- Rec Basketball signups currently going on.

Old Business

Pinnacle & Merrimack Riverfront Project Updates

- Impact fees may potentially be used to put a memorial at Pinnacle.

Peter Brook Sport Field Update

- The high water level issue has been fixed.
- Dirt is currently being moved.

Recreation on Town website

- Geographic Info System on the website
 - Want a more visible and transparent map for the Pinnacle trail
- Would like to get trail info for all trails in Hooksett (i.e. Pinnacle, Head's pond, and the Merrimack riverfront).

Impact Fees

- Impact fees are all set until July 2015
- Over \$10k of the impact fees allocated to Pinnacle.

Update to Parks and Rec 5 year Plan

- The advisory board will set a meeting time and location to talk about the 5 year plan.

Sport Field Signage

- No new update, signage will come gradually as funding comes in.

Park behind Walgreens

- No update

Zumba and Line Dancing Classes on Town Website

- The classes are done by a private entity.
- The calendar for gym use will be on the town website.
 - Will announce Zumba and Line Dancing class on the Calendar.

New Business

Lights at the Dog Park

- Time set to turn on lights an hour earlier (the lights will turn off at 9 p.m.).

December Meeting

- Jacqui McMartin motioned for no meeting to be held in December (this was seconded by Tom Prasol). The next meeting will start in January.

Meeting adjourned at 8:17 p.m. by Tom Prasol.