

Parks and Recreation Advisory Board Meeting Minutes for May 17, 2016

Meeting Called: 7:06 pm

Attendance: Jacqui McCartin, Chair. Steve Smith Member. David Elliott, Member. Deb Miville, Member. Steve Schack

Absent: Mike Horne, Alternate. Adam Jennings, Council Rep. Stacy Howe, HYAA. Diane Boyce, Parks and Rec.

Public Input:

"Pickle Ball", when played outside requires tennis court usage. Dean Shankle has been receiving requests from the "Pickle Ball" Group to repaint the lines in one of the tennis courts to conform to the sports requirements. Dean is reluctant to comply until the town has enough tennis courts for everybody. The Town has Four total courts, two at Donati Field and Two at Frasier Field.

It was suggested by Steve Schack that maybe if there was a couple of "Pickle Ball" Leagues, they could help pay for the maintaining of said courts.

"Disc Golfing" - Consideration of available land in Town. Good for Injured people, Senior Citizens, families etc. Deb Miville has requested that a spot be put on the June/July Agenda for Norma/Bill Bruce (Owners of Breaking Chains) who would be happy to fill us in on the details of what is required for such a course.

Parks and Rec Update: Steve Schack has informed the Board that he attended the May 3rd, 2016 School Board Meeting. Starting in September, the Before and After School Program will now be run by the Hooksett Parks and Rec Dept. This way we are able to take in more children at the lower cost per child for Our Hooksett Residents. The Program should be up and running by 9-1-16.

April Vacation Program went great. Parents were happy and are looking forward to more Programs.

The Hooksett Fun in the Sun Program is Closed to more Children. We have reached capacity at 190 Children. This Program begins on June 27, 2016. Fees Paid by the Parents Fund the Entire Program.

Conservation Commission Update: Asking if perhaps the Parks and Rec Dept. would be able to place our Medallions and gate locks. Bridge should be completed by end of June.

Petersbrook: No Lights Yet.

Jacqui McCartin Announced Her Plans to Leave Advisory Board after June Meeting.

Mike Horne will Not be seeking ReAppointment when his Term ends in June.

Meeting Adjourned: 7:58pm Jacqui Motioned, 2nd Steve Smith

Respectfully Submitted

Deb Miville

May 23, 2016

