MOULTONBOROUGH RECREATION DEPARTMENT ADVISORY BOARD

Mission Statement

The mission of the Advisory Board to the Moultonborough Recreation Department is to provide the public a standard of excellence in programs and services in a cooperative spirit that encourages participation in recreation, sport and leisure activities, while carefully promoting and utilizing recreational resources and facilities available in the community.

Purpose

The principal function of the Advisory Board is to serve as a communication bridge between the Recreation Director, the Board of Selectmen and the Community and to promote programs and services to encourage support from our community through input and participation.

> Monday, October 19, 2009 5:00 P.M. Recreation Department

Draft Minutes

Present: Becky Bryant, Joanne Farnham, Harry Blood, Carla Taylor, Al Hume, Donna Kuethe, Karin Nelson, Jane Fairchild.

Call to Order – at 5:02

Approval of Minutes of September 14, 2009 Meeting

Joanne made motion, Harry seconded

Community Input-

Discussion points included:

Al asked about the possibility of utilizing the large green space at the Waste Management facility. Harry and Al will meet to see if usable for a practice field.

Question was raised about grants for Phase II & Phase III of the pathway, Donna said none of the test areas were successful so the fix will need approx. 65k. The grant they will apply for will require town to match funds.

Al asked Donna about progress on soccer fields and she directed Al to ask Carter at this time.

Directors Report-

Discussion points included:

Has the Rec sent out letters to parents that have not attended mandatory meeting, not yet looking to get those out soon. The next mandatory parent meeting set for Nov 9th @6:00pm.

Issue of stacked teams was discussed, some rumbling has been heard, Carla said that soccer is missing the clinic component which gives the rec a better view of skill that may help to curb some of these questions.

Carla asked Harry what he does to support coaches that have a potential superstar on their team who lacks the ability to work with teammates and criticizes team mates. Harry said no one likes confrontation but it has to be addressed. If a coach needs he works with coaches to address that student. Carla said we should look at giving our volunteer coaches the tools to deal with these situations. Donna cautioned that the Rec does not want to micro manage their coaches.

Donna asked for help at the Halloween Party.

Jane provided Donna with a list of suggestions for Senior ideas

Next Meeting Date November 9th Adjournment at 6:05pm

~A Communication Bridge for All Interested in Moultonborough Recreation~