

**Stonington Recreation Commission
Regular Meeting
Monday, February 23, 2009
Stonington Human Services
6:00 PM**

I. Publics' Opportunity to Address the Commission

II. Secretary's Report

- a. Correct agenda item IIIa to read "Chairman Crowley commented on the position of Commission Secretary, a position he believes needs to be filled by a member of the Commission, as stated under current bylaws"

A motion was made by Commissioner Cirello and seconded by Commissioner Theadore to accept the Secretary's report as amended and it was voted.

III. Budget Report

- a. General Fund
- b. Special Activity
- c. FY 09-10

A motion was made by Commissioner Quensel to accept the Budget Report. Motion seconded by Commissioner Prachniak and approved.

IV. Communications

None

V. Programs

a. Winter Programs Update

Programs continuing, adjusting to school schedules (cancellations due to snow days, etc.) Most programs ending mid March; Men's open run will continue through May.

- i. Adult Coed Volleyball
- ii. Basketball
 1. Como/Rec Youth League going well
 2. High School Boys: 5 teams of 8
 3. High School Girls: 15 participants 3 teams of 5
 4. Men's Over 30: 26 participants
 5. Men's Open 18+ (residents only)
- iii. Tennis
 1. USTA Youth Development: Saturday's at High School, 15 participants, 2 make up's scheduled
 2. Middle School Open: Takes place at Pine Point, 10 participants, 2 make up's scheduled
 3. High School Open: 10 participants

V. Programs (cont'd)

iv. Soccer / Futsal

1. Middle School Boys: 15 participants
2. Middle School Girls: 20 participants
3. High School Boys: 15 participants
4. High School Girls: 17 participants
5. Adult Open: 12 participants, expecting more due to program guide.

v. Senior Exercise: 21 participants

vi. Pilates: 6 participants

vii. Yoga: 8 participants Middle

VI. Recreation Administrator's Report

Budget presented to Board of Finance on February 18th.

Human Services' Program guide went out in mail on Feb 13th, residents currently registering for programs.

Softball

Men's program beginning in May. Games scheduled for 6:30, 7:30 & 8:30 to allow flexibility. Will develop bylaws for Coed program.

Summer playground program

Discussion regarding maximum enrollment and how many children can be safely supervised. Difficult question to answer as program attendance varies each day. Attempt ratio of 1 staff to 10/12 children (15 staff last year).

VII. Other Business

a. CIP – Spellman Park and Recreation Restroom Bid Update

Chairman Crowley provided update on restroom bid, currently pending with Board of Selectmen.

VIII. Chairman's Comments

None

IX. Meeting Adjourned

A motion was made to adjourn by Commissioner Ciriello. Motion seconded by Commissioner Theodore and approved. Meeting adjourned at 6:48PM

Respectfully submitted,

C. Michael Crowley, Chairman