

## **Recreation Commission Meeting Monday, November 23, 2009**

Pre-meeting discussion with Tim Allaire, associate member and Mike Busch.

Meeting called to order at 6:45 PM. Members present were Mike Busch, John Sangermano and Jim Henry. Ellen Piccioli arrived at 6:55 PM.

Discussed the AVLL proposal for field use in the spring 2010 season.

Fields will be done one year at a time.

Rate of \$20/hour is in line with other programs and our policy

Google calendar with specific days of the week and times would be useful

Summer usage sounds reasonable. Fall usage subject to Stow Soccer who has priority at that time.

Need to discuss with AVLL expected split on money raised for outfield fence and scoreboard advertising signs.

Discussed having liaisons to various athletic groups in Stow.

Jim Henry will be the liaison to Stow Soccer Club

Tim Allaire, assoc. member of Rec, will be liaison to AVLL

Field hockey will be Ellen

Lacrosse will be John Sangermano.

Motion made to support the above stated members as liaisons to the respective groups made by John Sangermano and seconded by Mike Busch. No further discussion. Vote was unanimous in favor.

Need for a liaison to STARS. Suggestion of Bob Braceland made, but needs to wait until next meeting when Bob is present to discuss this further.

Discussed a small project at Memorial Field that John Sangermano would like to complete to address low spots on the field.

As dollar amount was small, group favored John going ahead with the repairs and no vote was needed due to low cost associated with it.

Discussed rules for the various recreation facilities we are responsible for in Town.

John Sangermano had a proposed rules handout that was discussed and many amendments were suggested. The group determined that more discussion was needed to finalize the list and tabled further discussion until the next Rec Com meeting. Jim Henry had an action item to email the rule amendments discussed in this meeting to John Sangermano.

Discussed the idea of enlisting volunteer groups to assist Recreation with the various Town Rec facilities.

Program could be modeled off the Con Com Volunteer groups.

Concern for who would manage volunteers.

The idea though of having extra hands to help was very appealing to everyone.

No further action taken on this at this time.

Meeting adjourned at 7:45 PM.