

Recreational Meeting September 13, 2022

Recreation Committee Board Members Present: Heidi Grady (Chair) Bonnie Pulda (Secretary), Glen Donaldson, and Mark Hryniewicz

Also present: Shari Gonsorcik, Recreation Director

Open Meeting

Start Time: 7:14

1. Acceptance of the Minutes of June 28th

- Motion to accept the meeting minutes made by Glen Donaldson
 - 2nd by Mark Hryniewicz

2. Acceptance of the Financial Report FY21

- Discussion regarding our beginning balance of 163,674.49
- Field improvements
 - Motion to accept the financial report made by Glen Donaldson
 - 2nd Bonnie Pulda

3. Summer Recap

- Summer camps did very well
- Positive feedback
- 3 lifeguard saves
- A lot of vandalism
 - i. Drugs found
 - ii. Picnic tables broken
 - iii. Port a potty flipped
 - iv. Dog bite
- Discussion to bringing instructor fees current instead of \$10 per child to 10% per child for programs that apply in summer 2023
- 20% per adult for programs

4. Heidi Grady makes a motion to accept raising the prices for those programs that are not paying 10% to recreation and only paying \$10 per child

- 2nd motion by Mark Hryniewicz

5. Fall Programing

- Parking situation on Griffin Road-parking on both sides of road when signs state not too
- Bathroom situation and who is responsible for cleaning them on Griffin field
- Porta potty available for use if bathrooms aren't open
- Not enough trash receptacles
- Ski program – need two supervisors
 - i. School bus \$120.00/6 weeks cost for kids
 - ii. \$550.00 cost a day for bus
- Ultimate sports for grade 5 & 6
- Difficulty getting gym time
- Available Nov 7th for basketball try-outs
- Redoing gym floor 3rd week in Nov
- Season just shortened because of gym time
- Wicked cool kids cancelled d/t not enough kids
- Snapology -new program for STEM
- MART van will take 12 kids from the senior center to 1835 building for free on ½ day of school for program
- Kinderball needs coaches to teach basketball on Saturday mornings
- Div 1 needs coaches
- Loved Div 2 no referee's and Div 3 – run great -positive feedback - continue with referee's
 - i. 1st-2nd grade
 - ii. 3rd-4th grade
- Div 4 Girls generally don't have enough girls to make a team
 - i. Shari will send an email out to the girls interested joining another town league like Clinton
- Div 5 Boys will continue to have referee's and continue like 2019
 - i. Dependent on volunteer coaches

6. Part time Recreation position

- During school year nights and Saturday's during basketball
- During summer the hours would change to day hours

- We are able to interview candidates and Bill Caldwell will join us in choosing between our final candidates and be involved in the final decision

7. New Members

- Need to recruit
- Anyone interested with young kids
- Very little commitment
- Volunteer for road race, other activities throughout the year

8. Future Programs

- Easter egg hunt will be scheduled April 1st
- Road race scheduled Saturday before Easter

9. Next Meeting will be scheduled Wednesday, October 12th

Meeting Adjourned @9:10 pm