

Deep River Parks and Recreation Commission Meeting Minutes Wednesday, February 21, 2018

The meeting of the Deep River Parks and Recreation Commission was called to order at 7:07pm on Wednesday, February 21, 2018 by Chairperson Justin Waz. Members present were: Chris Marra, Betsy Scholfield, Miriam Morrissey, Justin Waz, Leslie Sheehan and Stephani Award. Members absent were: Missy Massey, Don Sampson, Tracy Woodcock, Brandon Woodcock, Tania Crosby, Dave Berardis, Karen Dexter, Kevin Crosby, Grace Petroka, Jim Cunningham, Sarah Kateley and Elizabeth Taran.

Secretary's Report: A motion to accept the Secretary's report was made by Sheehan and seconded by Morrissey. The motion passed unanimously.

Treasurer's report: A motion to accept the Treasurer's report was made by Sheehan and seconded by Award. The motion passed unanimously.

Committee Reports:

- Theater: The play was a success. There will be a viewing party in April.
- Basketball: Grades 7-12 final games this weekend and tournament for the 10-12 grade is the following weekend.
- Easter Egg Hunt: No report. Date of Event is Saturday, 3/24 with rain date of Sunday, 3/25.
- Fishing Derby: Scheduled for Saturday, May 12, 2018.
- Bus Trips: No report.
- Carnival: Scheduled for June 14-16, 2018. Committee needs to meet to finalize food trucks and entertainment.
- Summer program: Registration is available online. CIT applications available online. Missy Massey-Director, Sam Jones- Assistant Director. Camp hours are 8:30am 3:45 pm with arrival between 8:30-8:45 am. Before care will be offered but there is no after care. Jones to send Summer Program information to elementary school.
- Summer Concerts: Committee met 2/21/18 to schedule bands.
- Movies : Movies begin the last Friday in July and continue for the next three Fridays in August.
- Family Day: No report.

Parks:

- Devitt Field: No report
- Town Landing: No report

- Plattwood Park: Lending library has been installed. Jones to purchase a license plate reading camera due to continued vandalism at Plattwood Park. Jones hoping to have Wi-Fi available at the park.
- Brockway Ferry: Committee would like to have broken fence removed from water.

Old Business: Gatehouse Eagle Scout Project:Eagle Scout needs additional funding in order to complete project. Commission would like an itemized list of needs from Eagle Scout in order for Parks and Recreation to make a financial contribution to the project. Commission would like list by next Parks and Recreation meeting scheduled for March 14, 2018. Schedule of Programs: Bus trips still needs a committee. The 2018 Parks and Recreation Commission budget needs to be submitted, committee chairs please email Jones with information. Volleyball clinics have been successful.

New member recruitment: Members needed.

New Business/New Programs: The Commission needs more information on the following programs: yoga, dance and tennis, before reaching any decisions on their viability.

A motion to adjourn was made at 8:27 pm by Sheehan and seconded by Marra. The motion passed unanimously.

Respectfully Submitted, Stephani Award, Secretary Deep River Parks and Recreation Commission