

# Town of Weare Parks and Recreation

# Approved Meeting Minutes June 9, 2015

**MEETING CALLED TO ORDER:** 7:00PM

MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE: Randy Magoon - Chair, Melissa Drury . Vice Chair,

J'Amy Colburn, Karyn Stogner - Coordinator

PUBLIC COMMENT: None

-Action Items in Blue Bold-

Melissa moved to approve April and May minutes. Randy second. All in favor. None opposed.

### COORDINATOR'S REPORT/PARK UPDATES

- Karyn put in swim lines with John Stark volunteers.
- Swim and archery registration Monday, June 15 6:30-8PM at Weare Middle School library.
- Saturday, May 23 8-10AM all staff for orientation. Melissa and Jeremy attended with Karyn. Some seasoned staff concerned with limited hours - normally new staff have fewer hours than seasoned staff. Karyn will revise.
- Lake Horace Home Owners Association offered to make a donation for a new boat ramp sign.
- A family on Quaker Street asked for a sign to be put up for Ineson Field.
   People turn around in their driveway because they miss the field entrance.
   J'Amy moved to spend up to \$500. for a sign. Melissa seconded. All in favor.
   None opposed.
- Another family asked to use Ineson for wedding parking. \$40. per event.
- Stockhaus doing a great job with lawncare. Irrigation people had not arrived -Karyn got them out.
- Weare Middle School Principal Willis shared concern with Karyn regarding the sign at the Skate Park - letters missing on sign. Skate Park outside fence needs repair up to \$500.
- Facility use forms

Farmers Market at Gazebo Fridays 2-6:30PM through October, except July 17.

- Karyn to get quotes from Granite Group for Chase bathrooms.
- Replace broken bubble for Bolton playground.
- Need new umbrella for lifeguard chair.

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a. Chase Park and Field Day covered in next article.

## Senior Citizen Initiatives

a. No new information.

# CIP/Budget

Randy reviewed expenses.

### Volunteer Efforts - THANK YOU!

- a. Bolton field clean up when vegetation grows in.
- b. Working on Eagle Scout volunteers for new picnic tables, lifeguard chair Noah Lanctot Eagle Scout project, other community service opportunities.
- c. Jim suggested recruiting new members from the high school to the Cable committee to update technology/approach.

#### Activities

- a. Finalized participants and activities for Town Field Day Saturday, June 27 10AM-2 at Gazebo.
- Groups include Library, Historical Society, Police Department, Curtis Marden and James Smugereski - music, laser tag, John Stark Lacrosse Team. Randy to contact Nana's.
- c. Activities include Tug of war, 3 legged race, water balloon toss, egg race, sack race, laser tag,
- d. Bounce house not allowed due to insurance concerns.
- e. Karyn to send email blast and put up sandwich boards.
- f. Melissa to post on Facebook page.
- g. J'Amy to create flyer emphasizing laser tag, live music, prizes and free admission.
- h. Randy to contact Sugar and Spice.
- i. Randy moved to spend up to \$200. for 15-20 prizes. Melissa second. All in favor. None opposed.

### **MEETING ADJOURNED** 9:22PM

-Minutes Recorded by JoAmy Colburn

# **Pending Action Items for future meetings:**

Shawn Oestreich asked the rules for signage at Bolton. Would like to have removable sponsor signs to raise money. Naomi said would go to General Fund.

Look at donation of an old laptop to track attendance.

Karyn reported Keith Lacasse and Tom Downing will attend future meeting regarding plans to build a concession by Bolton playground.

Kevin Bishop suggested when Bolton buildings are repainted to use school colors vs. green. Football offered labor to paint if another group will donate paint. Estimate of 15 gallons/\$225.

LWCF (Land and Water Conservation Fund) application for funding for Tennis Court repairs.

- i. We did not receive the grant.
- k. Consider a different project for future, e.g. Chase Park.

Researching the Mildred Hall Fund, the Town Forestry Fund and the Southern NH Planning/ trust fund as other potential sources for funding.