

Parks and Recreation

MINUTES August 13 , 2008

1.0 Assembly

1.1 **Board Members Present:** Guy Eaton, Jenn Read, Steve Hanssen, Dawn Bilski and Larry L'Hommedieu

Alternate Members: Ray Clark and Barbara Griffin

1.2 Public:

1.3 Minutes taken by: Guy Eaton

1.4 Meeting was called to order at 7PM. L'Hommedieu motioned that the minutes of July 7, 2008 were accepted as written. Bilski seconded the motion. All voted in favor.

2.0 Public Appointments

2.1 None

3.0 Old Business

3.1 **Band Concert:** L'Hommedieu met with the Windham Swing Band about the location of the concert on August 17th at 1:00PM. The Villager has been notified of the event. The information on the concert has been posted around Town. Come and Enjoy!!!

3.2 Summer Camp:

Griffin Reported:

1. Camp Report has been completed. There were 115 campers, 19 for swim only with an average daily attendance of 70%.
2. Counselor evaluations have been completed.
3. Goose poop is a major problem this year. Suggested possibly purchasing a decoy coyote for next year. Hanssen to call for prices.
4. Basement carpet needs to be ripped up, broken table games and an abandoned toilet. Hanssen to report back with a list of things that need to be done in the basement. Eaton to inform the Selectmen. Griffin also asked for suggestions on rain days.
5. Kids not in camp if they are being a problem, phone the police.
6. Discussed the day camp was canceled due to flooding concerns and how to improve the process of canceling camp due to an emergency.

3.3 Eaton to inquire if the 4H group is going to paint the bandstand, as mentioned previously.

4.0 New Business

4.1 A complaint was received from a resident about the Lifeguard/Counselor not paying attention to the campers while in the water. Eaton discussed with the complainant and discussed with Griffin, who had a talk with the counselors regarding the complaint.

4.2 Received CIP request from the Planning Board. The Commission decided to push off the new docks for another year and would be better for the 2010 meeting. In the meantime the poles should be painted with galvanized paint and that the dock contractor should paint before placing in the water next year.

4.3 Hanssen reported that the brush had been cut at Camp Morgan to allow viewing from the parking lot to the beach for improved security.

5.0 Adjournment

5.1 L'Hommedieu motioned to adjourn. Bilski seconded the motion. There being no further business before the Board, the Meeting was adjourned at 8:55 PM. The next meeting will be held September 10th at 7PM.

Respectfully,

Guy Eaton