

Recreation Advisory Committee Notes
March 19, 2018 – Meeting Minutes
Town Hall Conference Room B, 7 Summer Street

Call to order: 5:35 pm

Roll Call

Present:

Ms. Arias- Recreation Director
Larry Satcowirtz-Select board member liaison
Jessica Alonso
Dayln Luedthe
Ian Sears

Absent:

Rick Hauser
Julianna Sherman

No Public Comments: No public comment.

Update on Current Programs: Haidi Arias, Recreation Director

- Ice Rink closed Feb. 19th.
 - a) Concessions went well and covered our cost.
 - b) 200Skate rentals, 400 participants

- Youth Basketball: Divisions Pre-K – 2nd
 - a) Coaches enjoyed coaching their individual teams which consisted in 10 players per team.
 - b) They enjoyed playing games and thought it was well structured.
 - c) Medal Ceremony was held at the last game on March 17th

- **New Youth Baseball/Softball:**
 - a) Rec. Dept. processing Administration of Baseball/softball league

- **East Randolph Hall**
 - a) Group of individuals are meeting in East Randolph to help organize efforts to restore the East Randolph Hall. Town Manager is looking to getting an inspector to inspect the property to get a better idea of the amount of work that needs to be done.
 - b) Group will also work on Fundraising and looking into different grants to help with the effort.

Scheduled Items:

- New Chair/Vice Chair vote at April meeting with new committee members.
- Resurfacing Courts was awarded to Advantage Tennis
 - a) Addressing: rust holes, repainting, Cracks 3-year warranty
 - b) Late May Prep. & Clean up
 - c) Courts will be closed first week of June.
 - d) Reopen June 11th – once job is completed.

- Pickle Ball – looking to create summer clinics for those interested in pickle ball.
- **Summer Programming: Pool**
 - a) Changing Swimming lessons to 2-week sessions
 - b) Created Pool Brochure
 - c) Problems with hiring-Reese possibly coming back.
 - d) Suggestion of using Central VT Swim Club
 - e) Resident/Non-Resident issues
 - f) Suggestion to stop the different fees and just have one fee
 - g) Positive draw more revenue in memberships from residents not living in Randolph.
 - h) Possible student pass and Senior Pass
 - i) Children 10 and over at pool with out parental supervision changed to possibly 12 and over.
- After a reviewing and comparing rates from other local towns, the committee voted to remove resident/non-resident rate to Pool Memberships. Committee will review the rates after the summer season.
- **Summer Camp:**
 - a) Nick Bent will be retuning as Camp Director
 - b) Interviewing for camp counselors next week
 - c) Continue to work on weekly themes
 - d) Opening up for kindergarteners to come to camp this summer.

Future Agenda Items:

- a) Meet new committee members
- b) Summer Update/ Summer Newsletter
- c) Select new chair/vice chair

Meeting adjourned: 7:00pm