

Parks & Recreation Commission

Meeting Minutes – February 1, 2017 [Approved 03-01-2017](#)

Meeting began at approx. 6:00 pm

Present: Ronalee P., Ryan M., Sean T., Mike A., Angelica M.

Absent: Don L.

**New Business**

Review/Vote to approve minutes from January 4, 2017

Ronalee made a motion to approve the minutes, Ryan seconded the motion. All in favor, minutes approved as written.

Tortoise and the Hare 2017

Angelica reported that she sent out the sponsorship letters. Ronalee added that the Tortoise and the Hare committee met last week. Ashley informed the committee that to date there were 30 people registered. Ronalee also reported that the committee decided \$100 sponsors could do in kind service or product donations in lieu of money. At the committee meeting Christine Lindberg gave the go ahead for beer with North Shore Bartending. The company will charge \$1 per person, and has their own liability insurance. A beer sponsor still has to be obtained.

Easter Egg Hunt 2017

Ronalee reported that the Egg Hunt will be held on April 8<sup>th</sup>. Angelica stated that the Commission is approved to use the elementary school and will reach out to Wendy to be the bunny.

Skate Park @ Partridge Brook Park

Ronalee reported that Lisa wants to reach out to the banks for funding. Ryan reported that the public forum has a good turnout. Ronalee added that she would like to hold a second meeting and will email Lisa about it.

Other Business

Angelica announced that Mike Colburn has been in contact with her to discuss the rededication of Lion's Park. She suggested that he talk to Salisbury Youth Baseball and Softball as their opening day parade may be a good time to do that.

**Old Business**

Basketball Hoop @ Skate Park

Tabled until Spring 2017.

Beach Field

Ronalee thinks that the Commission should move forward with the plan, and obtain prices/plans for a precast restroom.

PARC Grant

Tabled.

Volleyball

Ronalee reported that numbers are picking up, there are some new guys that are very competitive.

Other Business

Sean Timmons suggested that we should offer the existing skate park to the Broadway mall redesign committee. He thought that maybe they could use the area for a tot lot or improve the area.

Meeting ended at approximately 7:30 pm.