

Parks & Recreation Commission

Meeting Minutes – May 18, 2016 **Approved 06-29-16**

Meeting began at approx. 6:00 pm

Present: Ronalee P., Ryan M., Don L., Angelica M.

Absent: Sean T., Mike R.

New Business

Review/Vote to approve minutes from 4/05/2016

Motion to approve made by Ryan, second motion made by Ronalee. All in favor. Minutes approved as written.

Brewfest 2016

Angelica reported that she reached out to Beerfests.com and will set up the page for ticket sales. Ronalee added that at the last Parc grant committee meeting, it was decided an early bird special would be offered until June 1st. She also reported that the committee was thinking about offering a Groupon special and advertising tickets as 2 for \$50.00. The Brewfest will have games, a photo area, and potentially a wine tasting room. Jim Keenan would like to set up a silent auction area. He is also going to reach out to the Coca Cola Company and try to get water and soda donated. Angelica also reported that she made an Instagram account and Twitter account for the Parks and Recreation Commission to reach out to the millennials and better promote the Seaside Brewfest.

Other Business

Ronalee brought up the fact that we are the only Commission that gives a report at the town meeting. All of the other Commissions and Boards present in front of the Board of Selectmen two times a year. She thinks that it would be good for the Commission to get on the agenda and schedule updates with the Board of Selectmen two times a year. Ryan agreed with Ronalee, and thought that this was a good idea.

Old Business

Tortoise and the Hare 2016

Ronalee reported that there were 150 kids that attended this years Easter Egg Hunt. Everything went well. Ryan mentioned that he was concerned the elementary school did not send out flyers to the parents in advance, they only went home two days before the event.

Field Use Fees

Tabled.

Beach Field

Tabled until June per Don's request.

Parc Grant

Ronalee reported that Lisa Pearson is trying to get the restroom and concession stand donated by Shea Concrete.

Volleyball

Ronalee reported that numbers are way down, they only meet three more times until it is over.

Other Business

None at this time.

Meeting ended at approximately 7:20 pm.