

Parks & Recreation Commission

Meeting Minutes – October 4, 2017 [Approved 11-08-2017](#)

Meeting began at approx. 6:30 pm

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

Absent: Lisa D.

Guests: Mike Roberge, Mike Colburn

**New Business**

Review/Vote to approve minutes from August 23, 2017

Tabled

Flag Football @ Partridge Brook Park

Angelica reported that Flag Football and Salisbury Elementary School are using the fields at the Partridge Brook Park. Ronalee stated that Lisa Pearson is getting complaints on how people are parking at the elementary school. Ronalee is going to reach out to Jeff Johnson to try to resolve this issue. Mike Colburn suggested getting signs for no parking per police order to prevent people from parking by the emergency lanes. Mike C. also mentioned that the Lions Club is still working on the handicap accessible park for the Partridge Brook Park.

Skate Park @ Partridge Brook Park

Tabled

Pickle ball

Tabled until spring

Dog Park Sponsorship

Mike Roberge suggested the Commission get sponsors for the dog parks. Local vets, groomers, and other businesses often are willing to sponsor the dog parks. The Stanton foundation offers grants for dog parks. Ronalee responded that she would like Angelica to work on this. Angelica replied that she will have Leigh-Anne work on this as she will be the new Parks and Recreation liaison. At the next meeting Leigh-Anne will need numbers for dog waste receptacles.

**Old Business**

Basketball Hoop @ Skate Park

Angelica reported that the DPW crew was instructed to start working on this soon. She will have an update at the next meeting.

Beach Field

Mike R. stated numbers are declining for baseball. He thinks the money from the Goldman family should be used towards a playground and dog park. Mike C. reported that if the Commission wants to go ahead with the irrigation he thinks it would cost less than \$50,000. The Commission is going to reach out to the baseball league again for thoughts.

PARC Grant

Tabled

Volleyball

Tabled

Other Business

Tabled

Meeting ended at approximately 8:20 p.m.