

Recreation Commission Minutes
September 23, 2024 7:30pm

Members Present: Boulware, Briggs, Brubaker, Hanna, Ganim, Gawlik and Lazaridis

Members Absent: None

Also Present: Rachele Engle, Jamie Mewhinney, Rhonda Miko, Luis Pena, Tom and Meg English, and Carolyn Jatsek

Minutes: Approval of August 26, 2024 Minutes, Motioned by Ganim, seconded by Gawlik

Mayor's Report:

No report.

Council Report:

No report.

Director's Report:

Director Engle reminded Commission that Booville will be held on Sunday October 27 from 12-4pm, please call the front desk to register. The department is transitioning from summer to fall, and Carolyn and Jamie are busy scheduling the Field House for Basketball practices, and rentals. Aquatics had a great summer, and at no time were any of the features shut down due to staffing, we were fully staffed all summer and able to have extended hours past the schedule summer season. The natatorium and activity pool reopened today after the annual 3 weeks shut down for maintenance and cleaning. Joe will continue next week by beginning the winterization process on the outdoor pool, and then a shutdown of the therapy pool in mid-October.

Athletic Area Report:

The youth and adult coed volleyball leagues are underway. We are running our first pickleball league this fall with 35 teams in multiple divisions in Men's, Women's and Mixed Doubles. The Soccer Academy is underway under the new direction of Karol Boryka. The annual fall Lacrosse Clinic run by the coaches from CVYO Lacrosse is wrapping up this week. Registration is currently open for Peewee Basketball grades K-2 and Fall Youth Basketball League Grades 1- High School.

Aquatic Area Report:

The aquatic staff just finished a successful fall shutdown and the pools reopened today. Next will be the winterization of the outdoor pool. The Therapy pool shutdown will be in October. Fall programming will begin over the next few weeks, and the High School Swim Team will begin practicing in the end of October.

Fitness Area Report:

The new Line Dance class has been a huge hit, with around 20 people attending each class on Thursdays at 7:15pm. We are anticipating the arrival of some new pieces of equipment in the next week or two.

CVYO Report:

Football and soccer are in the regular season and will continue through mid to late October. Thanks to Jamie for helping get the football equipment stored in a new equipment box they

purchased on the turf. Baseball, softball, and lacrosse are using the fields for off-season practices. The Bees travel basketball is getting ready and we are working on scheduling with Dan Kalinsky.

Old Business:

None

New Business:

The 11th Annual Ken Ganley and Kiwanis Trick or Trot 5K and 1 mile candy fun run will be held at the Blossom Hill Property on Saturday October 19, 2024. Proceeds will go to a Special Wish Foundation.

Adjournment: Motioned by Ganim, seconded by Gawlik at 7:38pm