

Rec Meeting 6/19/17

At meeting- Tom Donegan, Hannah Flannery, Sean Keegan(guest), Mandy Poulin, Dana Poulin (guest)

Discussion on Summer Fun Day- Decided against holding a summer fun day, as everyone is too busy.

There will be Heritage Days August 11&12th with open beach the whole weekend. Rec is helping sponsoring games and pick up ball game on Saturday. Need fun stuff to use-Carrie Knight had suggested things to Heritage Days committee, face painting and balloon toss.

Field Dedication Ceremony-date? planning questions have been asked from Town Office

Decided against having a ball game at dedication ceremony

Keene's only here a few weekends. Eric, town manager will figure date out and get sign.

(update: have received an invite to Volunteer Appreciation and field dedication on July 22nd)

Baseball/ Softball update

Minor softball (Readfield and Wayne combined) has no porta potty at Wayne field, parents complained. Games were moved. Check about softball field by High school for next year. Softball commissioner next year?

Make sure we get registration money if we put up the cost for the teams. Softball is financially all set. Funds available for softball to do a tournament if they want to do. (about \$100 set aside each year)

Baseball Shed-

Who's building the shed? Dave Linton has wood all ready to go. Shed built big enough for gear and other REC supplies

Need shed blueprint, Mark's brother works at Hammond? or get print/shed plan off the internet

Can we use the baseball field outfield for soccer, littlest kids group (1st graders). Goal are the pop up Pugg goals so no big weight on the field. Just would measure and paint lines to have for the duration of the season.

Discuss with Conservation committee (Tom is okay with this) if we have soccer we would need to commit to mowing field all year. Mandi Linton mows right now for baseball season. Mark sometimes?

Tom's suggestion is to move soccer away from Maranacook to save money because all towns are supposed to help with Porta Potty cost there. Readfield ends up paying whole amount each time. (addendum-bill from last year has been shared with all towns-Wayne Manchester and Mt Vernon to help with cost 8/17HF)

Baseball Batting Cage? Tom will talk to CE officer to see what we need to do. Third base side is best option as to where to put on field to not have to move it later on if more fields are developed there.

looking forward-Shirts for basketball need new logo. Talk with Aaron about what it can say and if it is necessary to change it completely. Need 4-5-6 basketball commissioner as we can check with Aaron McClure but believe he is wanting out of the duty.

Hannah as chair has to approve shirt orders. Need to find new company and then good accounting to have signed invoices and name who picks up. Design for soccer and basketball-have "Maranacook Area League" for them still?

Look at gym scheduling in the fall for Kents Hill Basketball

paid \$808 for gym rental at Kent's Hill @ \$55/hour

Look at other towns to help with basketball-Manchester? Had all sign ups in Readfield last year as it had been split before.

Next meeting July 12th 6 pm @beach

Beach minimum wage went up, need to make more money with Beach passes. 200 sold would be great, usually sell about 160. Thought is to have advertising for beach passes and renting of the space for parties. Community advertiser and also a sign @ Manchester Town Office. Beach Rental cost? Hannah will try to work with Tom possibly getting an ad out there.