

TOWN OF HARWINTON
RECREATION COMMISSION
MONDAY, APRIL 26, 2010

Members Present: Michael Flowers, Darren Brown, Sabrina Janco, Steve Graboski, Bruce Wilcox

Meeting called to order at 7:35 p.m. by Chairman, Michael Flowers.

Minutes of the March meeting were accepted on a motion by Bruce Wilcox, second by Darren Brown, so moved.

Recreation Complex Report: Mike Flowers reported the complex is up and operating. The final payment has been made to Supreme. Some funds remain in the building fund, which may be used for an infield machine, pavilion, or lightning detector.

The Grand Opening Celebration committee has almost everything ready to go. The Town wide event will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, May 15 at the Sports Complex and Gazebo.

Director Report: We are wrapping up the spring schedule. Summer programs will be posted on-line next week and additional programs will continue to be added.

Thank you to Wayne DelMonte for help with the Afterschool Bowlers, John Goodno for help with Friday Night Live, KIM kids from Har-Bur for help with the Easter Egg Hunt.

The Fishing Derby was very successful, with a record number of fish being caught. Thank you to Thomaston Oil, M. Peabody Landscaping, Harwinton Rod & Gun Club, Litchfield County Shine Shoppe, members of the Town Highway crew, and Mike Fusco for their contributions to the Fishing Derby.

Programs coming up that need help are Hershey Track & Field Games on Wed., May 12, Grand Opening Celebration on Sat., May 15, Road Race on Sunday, June 27.

We now have an application to be completed by groups or individuals wishing to use the fields.

Thank you to Steve Graboski for all of his efforts at the Sports Complex, and for his coordination and communication with the Town.

Chairman Report:

Michael Flowers complimented HYSA for the extra work they have put in to the Sports Complex.

The “no dogs” ordinance is being written for approval at the Town meeting next month.

HYSA Report: The scoreboards have been installed. Signs for “Sports Complex” are being installed at the corner of Bentley Drive. Opening Day ceremonies went well.

Other Business: A new trail map is available for the Conservation/Recreation Area. People who bring their dogs to the Area need to do a better job cleaning up after them.

Meeting adjourned on a motion by Bruce Wilcox, second by Darren Brown, so moved.

Respectfully submitted,

Suzanne R. Stich