

TOWN OF HARWINTON
RECREATION COMMISSION
MONDAY, NOVEMBER 28, 2011

Members Present: Michael Flowers, Wayne Delmonte, John Goodno, Steve Graboski, Sabrina Janco

Meeting called to order at 7:04 p.m. by Chairman, Michael Flowers.

Minutes of the October meeting were accepted on a motion by Steve Graboski, second by Wayne Delmonte, so moved.

Director Report: We are wrapping up the fall programs. Thank you to John Goodno, Mike Flowers and Darren Brown for their assistance with the Basketball Turkey Shoot held this year at Courtside. Everyone seemed to like the new location.

The winter program schedule is almost complete. Registration Night for the Ski & Snowboard program was held. Numbers are down from last year.

The Family Gym program sponsored in the past with help from HYSA was discussed.

A Trunk or Treat event was held for Harwinton & Burlington children at Mills H.S. and Har-Bur Middle School on November 4. Steve Graboski got things started. There was tremendous support from the community & Superintendent of Schools and a great turnout.

Volunteers are needed to assist with the "1st Annual Harwinton Hometown Holiday Celebration".

It was decided to sponsor a Christmas House Decorating Contest with judging by Commission members taking place on Saturday, December 17. Information will be made available at the Hometown Holiday.

Chairman Report: None.

HYSA Report: Steve Graboski reported that the batting cages were damaged in the snowstorm on 10/29. Basketball begins on December 12. Bidy Basketball sponsored with the Recreation Department will begin on January 8.

Use of the fields and possible rental of the fields at the Sports Complex was discussed. Suzanne will continue to research fee schedules in other towns.

Other Business: Wayne Delmonte noted an online posting stating that UNleashed dogs are welcome at the Conservation/Recreation Area. An ordinance addressing this is problem is needed. Suzanne will discuss with Selectman, Mike Criss.

Meeting adjourned on a motion by John Goodno, second by Wayne Delmonte, so moved.

Respectfully submitted,

Suzanne R. Stich