

TOWN OF HARWINTON
RECREATION COMMISSION
MONDAY, OCTOBER 26, 2015
HARWINTON TOWN HALL

Members Present: Michael Flowers, Wayne Delmonte, Sabrina Janco, Bruce Wilcox
Also Present: Suzanne Stich, Recreation Director

Meeting called to order by Chairman, Michael Flowers at 7:00 pm.

Minutes of the August meeting were accepted on a motion by B. Wilcox, second by W. Delmonte, so moved.

Director Report by Suzanne Stich:

A listing of the fall program schedule was distributed. All program information is posted online. A new adult program, Indoor Pickleball, is being offered this fall, as well as a new youth program, Awesome Art.

We held a very successful Trunk or Treat at the Sports Complex parking area. The event was well attended by trick or treaters, with 35 vehicles including fire trucks, ambulance and a stock trailer. All candy collected at the gate was distributed. Thank you to Doug Morrow for being the DJ.

The Hometown Holiday Celebration is scheduled for Saturday, December 5. Plans for the event were discussed. Volunteers are needed as well as more vendors and crafters.

A date for judging the House Decorating Contest was set for Friday, December 18, starting at 6 pm.

Construction of a temporary ice skating rink was discussed. Members agreed there is no location that will work with the current topography. A location that can be leveled for a rink at the Town Hall Complex needs to be selected. Members unanimously advised waiting until next year for this project.

The Harwinton Road Race, held annually in June, will continue to be organized by Jerry Biancucci, but funds will go into an account administered by the Town. Those funds will be used for Nick B Memorial Basketball Court maintenance.

Chairman Report by Michael Flowers:

Another quote to build tennis courts adjacent to Town Hall is still needed.

Groups wishing to use the Sports Complex in Spring 2016 should plan to attend the Recreation Commission meeting on February 22nd to submit their requests.

HYSA Report by Wayne Delmonte:

Soccer and fall baseball are coming to a close. The only problem was with Harwinton players who try out for BJSA travel teams, but don't make the team.

The golf tournament held in September was a success, though numbers were down from last year. Basketball registration is complete.

Meeting adjourned on a motion by Bruce Wilcox, second by Sabrina Janco, so moved.

Respectfully submitted,

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