

**Parks and Recreation Advisory Board
February 21st, 2018
Minutes**

Members Present:

Loren Anthony
Wendy Wilkinson
Brett Remsberg
Miles Harvey
Russ McCaig

Members Absent:

Susie Carson
Betty Kirkpatrick
Brandi Lane

Visitors:

Commission Representative:

Matt Guthrie

Staff Present:

Kevin Wishart Don Argo Brian Urton Tabitha Sharp

The meeting was called to order at 5:30 p.m.

Miles moved to approve the minutes as presented.

Brett seconded the motion.

Motion carried 5 – 0.

Winter Activities Report

- Diva Night was earlier this month, 37 of the 39 girls signed up to participate. 8 women from Paul Mitchell came over to do hair and makeup for the girls.
- Basketball season has two more weeks. It has proceeded mostly without incident, nothing serious.

Spring Calendar

- Baseball and soccer meetings as well as the Mother Son Bowling event (18th) are happening in March.
- Soccer begins March 24th
- Matt asked when registration for mother son bowling ended.
- Kevin stated that it will be open until filled.
- Pitch, Hit and Run, April 21st
- Kite Day will be April 28th, planning to have it at the Middle School
- Monday, April 30th potential start date for baseball and softball
- Russ asked if we had tried a bowling league
- Kevin stated that they had about five years ago
- Wendy stated that if he was interested in the spring or fall, she would get with him

New Business

- Wendy asked how the collaboration with the pool is working with the YMCA.
- Kevin stated that the revenue and expenses are split evenly between the two entities, the YMCA has helped with the training of the instructors.
- Wendy asked where kids can register.
- Kevin stated that they can register either place.
- Kevin stated that the first session will be held at the YMCA, the next few will be at the pool and then back at the YMCA for the last one.
- Wendy asked if it would be possible to partner with them for some outdoor water exercise classes.
- Kevin stated that if the YMCA had an instructor, it was possible.
- Loren asked how much we charge.
- Kevin stated it was around \$25 or \$30, but most of the kids are on scholarship so it is half.
- Matt asked if we planned to address the tree board at all.
- Kevin stated that Sue will be at the next meeting to talk about that.
- Russ asked if the vandalism to the disc golf course was bad.
- Kevin stated that we lost the sign at number three and all of the flags. He stated that he will likely not put the flags up unless we have a special event.
- Wendy asked if we are going to be doing some tournaments.
- Kevin stated that he has asked Dynamic Disc and they have heard from PIE regarding a fund raising tournament.
- Wendy asked about an instructional program for disc golf.
- Kevin stated that we have talked to some of the people from the committee and they are considering it.
- Loren asked if there was a brochure explaining the course.
- Kevin stated that there was not, but it could be developed.
- Loren asked if golf carts are allowed.
- Kevin stated that they are.
- Loren asked if beer was allowed.
- Kevin stated that it is a city park and so 3.2 beer is allowed.
- Don stated that the Middle School PE teacher is planning to teach the kids how to play disc golf so that they can help us make sure the course is taken care of.
- Loren asked if they had to buy discs.
- Kevin stated that the library is considering buying sets that can be checked out and the rec department is also considering buying a few to loan out.

Director's Report

- Kevin stated that they are still taking applications for summer help, interviews are planned for March 19th.

- Most of last year's lifeguards have said they would return: still need maintenance, umpires and concessions. He will also be hiring golf course staff this year.
- Matt asked how many maintenance staff he needed.
- Kevin stated around 15 people.
- They are working on getting ready for baseball and softball, equipment is serviced and ready.
- Loren asked if the ditch had been dug behind McDonald stadium.
- Kevin stated that some work has been done, but we need at least a 3 inch rain to test it.
- When weather clears, the new scoreboards will be put up.
- Loren asked if the last two fields at the lake will be ready.
- Kevin stated that we have been playing on them already, work is being done to get them ready with the other fields.

Miles moved to adjourn.

Brett seconded.

6:04 p.m.