

SOMERS RECREATION COMMISSION

Regular Meeting

August 3, 2009

Kibbe Fuller Community Center

Present: J.J. Wassmuth, Karen McGuane, Alicia Albert, Karen Murdoch, Michelle Tingley

Members Absent: Anna Gagnon, Troy LaMontagne

Non-Members present: Mike Provencher, Jenifer Charette

Audience: None

I. Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 7:35 pm

II. Minutes of Last Meeting

The Minutes from July 7, 2009 were read and accepted with no changes.

III. Audience

None

IV. Coordinator's Report / Parks Report

Summer camps are going well. There are three weeks of summer camp left. The water slide has been a big hit with the campers. There have been no logistics issues with taking care of the slide. At the end of the camp, Mike will dry the slide and fold it up for winter storage. There have been comments from parents that Liz and Rob are doing a good job with summer camp.

V. Parks Report

Parents from East Longmeadow baseball have commented on how good Somers fields look.

Some of the money from the men's summer lacrosse teams has been allocated by the BOS to be used to purchase additional paint for lining fields. The allocation was from Fund 16, and money from the Lacrosse league will go into Fund 16. The extra paint allocation will allow Mike to dilute the paint less and the lines will be visible longer.

The Little League board has not yet decided what they want to do with the infield of the minor league field.

The Somersville fields are growing well and should be ready for play in the spring.

Mike would like to locate Flag Football on Field #1 this year for practice instead of Field #5. The games will still be played under the lights. Soccer will be using the Firehouse fields this fall since the Somersville fields are closed.

VI. Old Business

Co-ed Softball players have been seen drinking beer at the park and leaving bottles and cans behind. Jen will send a note to the President of the Co-ed Softball league reminding them that alcohol is not allowed on Town property.

VII. New Business

None

VIII. Correspondence

None.

IX. Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 8:15 pm.

Respectfully submitted by:

Karen Murdoch
Secretary, Somers Recreation Commission