

Minutes For
SOMERS RECREATION COMMISSION
SPECIAL MEETING
March 15, 2011 7:00 PM
Kibbe Fuller

Members Present: Karen McGuane, Karen Murdoch, Steve Woicik, Jeff Jablonski, Scott Novak

Non-Members Present: Jim McFeat, Lisa Pelligrini, Bruce Urban

Audience: Mark Murdoch, Somers Lacrosse

I. Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 7:04 pm

II. Audience

Lisa Pelligrini addressed the board, welcoming the new members and looking forward to working together.

Mark Murdoch, Somers Lacrosse addressed concerns of the sports associations regarding gym scheduling. The procedure is too cumbersome and needs better coordination between the recreation associations and the schools.

A calendar of fields is available for the public to view. It was suggested to have a meeting with the sports associations to divide up available gym time. Karen and Jen planned to meet with school principals to discuss usage.

Mark also expressed concern about lining fields. Bruce is supposed to only line town fields, Jim doesn't have enough time to line fields not used by high school sports. Fields need to be lined by April 2.

The intention of the maintenance department to hire temporary summer help to assist with mowing.

III. Minutes of last meeting

The previous minutes could not be voted on as there were not enough confirmed members present.

IV. Coordinator Report / Parks Report

A Coordinators and Parks report was given to the members to review. Jeff Jablonski will work with Jen to select a software package for registration.

V. Old Business:

The basketball backboards at the park have been fixed by Bruce by reinstalling the braces that had been removed.

VI. New Business:

Colin McIntire has requested permission to offer tennis lessons at the park. The commission determined that the Selectmen needed to field this question as there are legal issues involved.

VII. Correspondence

See New Business.

VIII. Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 8:30.

Respectfully submitted:

Karen Murdoch
Recreation Commission Secretary