

City of Kenyon
Park & Recreation Committee Meeting Minutes
June 23, 2010

Call to order

Boesen called to order the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.

Roll call

Members present: Lacey Boesen, Carrie Stevenson, Heather Sibley, Jesse Jensen. Others present: Chris Heineman, Roxy Rolstad. Absent: Jeanette Baalson and Paula Clark.

Approval of minutes from last meeting

Agenda was adopted and minutes approved. No public hearings or presentations.

Existing Business

- a) Music in the Park-June 20 "Music in the Park" was a success. Deb Sibley and Sam Daly performed with about 25 people in attendance. Positive feedback from popcorn and pop sales. Next "Music in the Park" set for July 18 with performance from "Down Home Band". Boesen to contact performers for August 15.
- b) Fundraising- Kans for Kenyon brought in \$122.22 for the month of June. Chuck Gaasadalen is going to be gone July 11 thru August 3. Encouraged committee members to monitor Kans for Kenyon wagon.
- c) Kickball Tournament- Cancelled due to lack of teams. Will try again in the fall.
- d) Swimming Pool- Walls and floors have been painted, along with replacing mirrors in the locker rooms. Rolstad reported pool was suppose to be opened June 14, was closed due to inclement weather. Pool kickoff was a success. 150 people attended. Rolstad purchased a small fridge/freezer for the pool. She has been buying ice cream for purchase. Has been a hit among patrons. Swimming lessons started Monday, June 21. Two lifeguards and Rolstad have been involved in teaching water safety at the Pine Island library and will teach in Kenyon at a later date. Was decided to have reduced price for admission at 2011 Pool Kickoff and limit the hours.
- e) SHIP Program- On June 9, SHIP program helped market a Disc Golf Clinic. The clinic was a success with over 40 participants. Vayong Moua conducted the clinic and was well received. Participants received a disc from funding through the SHIP program. Park & Rec committee is involved in the activity of new multi-bike racks at Depot Park and swimming pool. A 50/50 matching program to be established with local businesses to purchase mounted bike racks on Main Street.

New business

- a) Rose Fest Donation-Committee approved donation of \$250 to Rose Fest Family Fun Day to come out of our Kans for Kenyon fund.
- b) Interest from committee to redo horseshoe pit at Depot Park. Currently there are 2 pits. New boards need to be put in and new sand. Sand volleyball courts were discussed. Committee members believe there is an interest from community and should be looked into. We currently have 2 grass courts at the West Park. They do not get used. We already have the nets and poles. Sand would be the expense.

Other

- c) Public Relations-none
- d) Member Vacancy-interested individuals should contact City Hall.
- a) Next meeting for Wednesday, July 21 at 6:30 p.m.

Adjournment

Boesen adjourned the meeting at 7:15 p.m.

Pam Blow, Administrative Assistant

Lacey Boesen, Chair