

Mount Kisco Recreation Commission
Meeting Minutes- April 10, 2024

Attendance: {check all present}

Linda Cindrich X Vacant Christy McGinn X
Christine Dennett X Kim Terlizzi X Gallo Trujillo X Bob Byrns X
Kyle Thornton X
Leonard Park Committee: None
Other:

Meeting called to order @ 7:03pm
Motion to open meeting: Christy McGinn
Seconded: Kim Terlizzi
All in favor.

Minutes of Meeting: Review minutes of March 12, 2024(enclosed)

Motion to accept minutes by: Kim Terlizzi
Seconded by: Gallo Trujillo
All in favor.

Superintendent's Report

Kyle reported that \$30,000 in revenue was taken in for Spring Program not including Camp. About \$3,000 in refunds have to be deducted from the revenue so about \$27,000. Programs had to be canceled due to lack of enrollment. We are about \$10,000 less this year than in 2023 at this time.

⇒ Rev./Exp. Update

Kyle plans to spend the money in his budget. Items need to be repaired or fix.

⇒ Camp Update

Early Bird Registration-Session I 23 enrolled.
Session II 10 enrolled.
Session III 59 enrolled.

Extended Day Session I 29 enrolled
Session II 23 enrolled
Session III 23 enrolled.

Kyle suggested to increase the fees for Session I and II next year to encourage people to sign up for all 6 weeks and this will bring in more revenue.

⇒ ***Superintendent's Report cont....***

Pool Update

Covers coming off next week. Wade Pool has some cracking. But at this time, it doesn't seem to be a big issue. If it turns out to be the contractor will be called back in. Kyle stated that the pool filters have been rebuilt and he continues to buy replacement parts. He is still looking for guards and assistant pool director. Kyle has hired 6 desk personal from last as lifeguards, which was his plan and continues to be for this year. Sophia O'Connor, Pool Director from last year is returning. 85% of last years staff is coming back. Pool overall is looking good. Frank from the Water Department is going to shadow Joe Corsi to learn the pools and filter as Joe Corsi is retiring shortly.

⇒ Park Update

Fields are open. A sod cutter was rented by DPW to get the fields in order. 35 tons of clay has been delivered. Joe Luppino is learning about the maintenance and up keep of the fields. Christine suggested using Vulture effigy to deter the geese from coming into the park. Little League II there was matt put down years ago but it has since been buried and so the water would not dissipate. It has since been removed and new clay put down with the thought that area should not hold water any more. Someone with a vehicle went onto the field did donuts and now the field has to be repaired. Kyle would like to have more cameras installed to keep that area safer and in case this would happen again. It is going to take a lot to fix the field. AYSO also damaged the field when they were trying to remove their soccer goals.

⇒ Program Update

There are a number of programs not running due to either little or no interest. The Pickleball fees seem high which is not ideal for our residents. Kyle purchased 6 rackets for those who are trying out the program before they invest in their own racket.

⇒ News from Village Hall

The Leonard Park Pool Parking Lot will be milled on Friday, April 12th and repaved and lined on April 15th.

Old/Unfinished Business:

Food Truck Event

June 1st from 4:00-8:00pm. Kyle has all the trucks signed up along with the Bounce House and DJ. There will be a 50/50 Raffle and \$5.00 Wrist Band to use the Bounce House. Kyle suggested to have a Donation Bucket at both entrances for donations. Christine suggested to make a Playground Board to show what the donations go to and also so people can see how much money has been raised and how much further we have to go.

⇒ *Old/Unfinished Business cont...:*

⇒ Senior Group By-Laws

Tabled by Linda. Seconded by Christine. All in favor.

New Business:

⇒ Park Ranger

Kyle has not heard any update regarding getting a Park Ranger. Christine stated that she emailed Ed Brancati, Village Manager and has not heard back from him. Kyle would like to know what the responsibilities of this staff would be. The Commission would like this person to be able to police the tennis courts among other duties. A suggestion was made to have Mt. Kisco Residents acquire a Tennis Permit.

⇒ Recreation Civil Service Exams

Allie passed the Rec. Leader Civil Service Exam and was 2nd on the list. She is also on the Senior Rec. Leader # 7.

Open Discussion:

Kim stated that the Complete Streets Committee along with Ken Famulare, Dean Rice and Lou Terlizzi walked the streets in Mt. Kisco to see possible street hazards.

Good and Welfare: None

Adjournment: Motion to adjourn by: Kim Terlizzi

Seconded by: Christy McGinn

All in favor.

Respectively submitted by: Gail Hall

Date: April 10, 2024

Time: 8:19pm

Next scheduled meeting: Wednesday, May 8,2024 at 7:00 pm

EXECUTIVE SESSION