

Mount Kisco Recreation Commission
Meeting Minutes- March12, 2024

Attendance: {check all present}

Linda Cindrich *x*__ Vacant____ Christy McGinn__*x*____
Christine Dennett __*x*__ Kim Terlizzi____*x*_ Gallo Trujillo _*x*__ Bob Byrns_*ab*__
Kyle Thornton__*x*__
Other: Theresa Flores-Deputy Mayor
Lieutenant Mike Demaio- Westchester County Police
Bob Dagostino- Resident

Leonard Park Cxommittee:

Erin Heaton- Chair	Leon Fendley	May Marple
Gina Dileo	Teresa Sacchetti	Ann Ramone
Barbara Spadaccia	Erica Van Patten-Luzio	Anthony Ciano(Zoom)

Meeting called to order @ 7:04pm Christine Seconded by: Christy

Minutes of Meeting: Review minutes of January 10, 2024(enclosed)

Motion to accept minutes by: Kim Terlizzi

Seconded by: Gallo Trujillo

All in favor.

Superintendent's Report

⇒ ***Review of Income and Expenses (enclosed):***

Kyle stated that we are on track with expenses and is hopeful for more revenue than last year with all the programs being offered this session.

⇒ Registration Update

Spring Programs and Camp Registration will begin at 9:00am on Wednesday, March 13th. Kyle is hopeful that this Spring will be better than last year. Christine commented on the variety of some great new programs that are being offered this session.

⇒ Pool Update

Kyle reported that 75% of Lifeguards are returning. We are going to implement a Pool Pass with a barcode and logo to make it more streamline to enter the pool. Allie has taken a Certified Pool Operators course to help Kyle with the day-to-day pool operations. A much-needed pool vacuum was purchase, \$4,700. There was a \$3,000. expense for pool filter supplies. Joe Corsi is retiring in April but will still help with the pool if needed along with Paul Felice- Mt. Kisco Pool.

Superintendent's Report cont....

⇒ Camp Update

Kyle reported that George Price, Camp Administrator, said that he has heard from about 25% of camp employees who said they would be returning for the 2024 Camp Season. George needs to look over all Camp Iroquois registration applications to make sure he has all the info necessary for and when the Board of Health shows up for inspection of the camp records. George needs to take inventory and order necessary camp supplies. Camp this year is a 6-week program starting July 1-August 9 from 8:30-3:00, no camp on July 4th.

⇒ Park Update

The baby swing area at the park was repaired due to flooding. Christy questioned if the bases on the ballfields where to be redone. Kyle and Joe Luppino have discussed on how that would be done. All agree that it needs to be done. The Bocce Ball Court was repaired with drainage but it continues to have issues. Question was raised on moving the Bocce Ball Court all together to another area. Statement was made that it was a waste of money to repair it in its current location next to the Volleyball Courts. The light poles near the tennis courts were reinforced and new led lights were installed along with a timer to shut off at 9:30pm. Question was raised about implementing Tennis Passes.

⇒ Complex Update

Kyle has been doing all of the maintenance cleaning at the Complex at this time. Bathrooms inside and out, Gym floor, and all other maintenance interior work. Perfection Detection has installed/repared the fire alarm system at the Complex.

⇒ News from Village Hall

None.

Old/Unfinished Business:

Food Truck Event

Kyle reported that he would like to sell 50/50 Raffle Tickets at this event. He has been in touch with Fun Time Amusement for the Bounce House. He has a variety of different food trucks that said that they are interested in participating. He has also been in contact with DJ Gary to supply the music.

New Business:

⇒ Meeting with WCPD

Lieutenant Mike Demaio introduced himself and stated that he is aware of some of the issues regarding the Park. The Commission stated that they would like to see the Police when patrolling the park, for officers get out of their cars and walk around to get a better understanding of what is going on. Their presence would be a good deterrent from sleeping in the dugouts and behind the Teahouse and other negative behaviors. The Lieutenant suggested using bicycles to help patrol the park. Commission is on board with that. He also said that WCPD may be able to supply the bikes, not sure if there are enough trained Bike Patrol Offices to meet all of the parks needs. He would look into it. It is agreed by all that the best thing would be the presence of WCPD and also to employ a Park Ranger to patrol when WCPD isn't there but would be on call if necessary. Kim suggested a seasonal Park Ranger. Christy suggested to hire a college student studying criminal justice to fulfill this position. Kyle stated that he would like and needs to be informed from the police whenever any issue pertaining to the park happens. He would like open communication at all times with the police and the village.

⇒ Senior Group By-Laws
Tabled

⇒ Concession Stand

Kyle stated that he can't find any concessionaire for this up coming season. Linda said that she would have the mayor reach out to Bare Burger to see if they would be interested and she would Kyle know the outcome.

Open Discussion:

Mount Kisco lifelong resident Bob D'Agostino would like to state for the record his concerns in the Park:

Unleashed Dogs in the Park

Foot Patrol in the park

Possible Tennis Permits

Good and Welfare:

Adjournment: Motion to adjourn by: Kim Terlizzi

Seconded by : Gallo Trujillo

All in favor.

Respectively submitted by: Gail Hall

Date: March 12, 2024

Time: 9:02pm

Next scheduled meeting: Wednesday, April 10,2024 at 7:00 pm

