

Woodstock Recreation Commission Minutes

Tuesday, November 7, 2022
7:00 pm
Woodstock Town Hall Room C

1. Call to order: Sarah Bentley called meeting to order at 7:00 pm

- a. **Members Present:** Sarah Bentley, Amy Monahan, Marie Chamberlin, Kathy LaBonte, Sue Swan
- b. **Members Absent:** none
- c. **Others Present:** Recreation Director Erin Lucas

2. Approve Minutes from meeting on October 11, 2022

- a. A ***Motion** was made by Kathy LaBonte to approve and adopt the minutes from meeting held on October 11, 2022. ***Seconded** by Sue Swan. No Discussion. ***Motion passed** with Sarah Bentley abstaining.

3. Recreation Director Report

a. **Current programs**

- i. Senior Knitting Club – nothing to report
- ii. Afterschool Volleyball – Program started last week. Janet Abbott is working on the UConn Trip date and details. Registration forms were taken at WMS for this program.

b. **Upcoming Programs**

- i. Digital Drawing – Registration forms were taken at WMS for this program. This program starts on Monday of next week.
- ii. NYC Bus Trip – Sold Out! Online registration was successful for this trip and most seats were bought by Woodstock residents.
- iii. Ice Skating – Passes are still available. Email Erin Lucas for information.
- iv. Winter Festival
 - 1. Wreath Raffle – Tickets have been purchased for the raffle and passport drawings. Wreaths have already started coming in for the raffle.
 - 2. Marketing – This year's festival information will be in booklet form. Posters are available at the town hall if you want to share. Booklets and lawn signs will go to print next week.
 - 3. Staffing – Erin has set up for credit card payment via laptop at this event. Staffing will be finalized closer to the event.
- v. K-4 Basketball – 62 currently registered and coaches are in place for this program.
- vi. 5-8 Basketball – Evaluations are next week. Registration numbers are very low at this point. Many at this grade level will wait to see about the school team before signing up for recreation ball. Erin will extend the registration deadline to accommodate sign ups after school teams are chosen.
- vii. Ski Club – over 60 registered to date.
- viii. Giving Tree – nothing to report at this time
- ix. Winter Lego – Two additional Lego sessions have been scheduled. Elementary is almost full and there may be a second session offered.
- x. Winter Volleyball – registration is currently open for this program

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c. **Discussion:** New or Old Business, budget

- i. 2023 Proposed Meeting dates (1/9, 2/13, 3/13, 4/10, 5/8, 6/12, meet in summer?, 9/11, 10/16, 11/20, 12/11, 1/8)- No members have conflicts or concerns with suggested dates. The commission will meet on as needed basis during summer, scheduled as special meetings.
- ii. Woodstock Walks- this topic tabled until future meeting.
- iii. 2023 Sponsorships – This item will be the main topic for the December meeting.
- iv. Line Dancing – Erin is still working to find an instructor for this program.

4. **Citizens Comments**

- a. None

5. **Adjournment**

- a. ***Motion** made Sarah Bentley by to Adjourn. ***Seconded** by Marie Chamberlin. ***The motion passed unanimously.** Meeting Adjourned at 8:37 pm.

Respectfully submitted by Amy Monahan. DISCLAIMER: These minutes have not yet been approved by the Recreation Commission. Please refer to next month's meeting for approval/amendments.