

Recreation Commission Minutes April 29th, 2021
Via Zoom

In Attendance:

Maura Glancy, Nick Lombardo, Mike Connor, Matt Chase, Dave Mahery, Jennifer O'Neill

Meeting called to order at 6:10pm, all in favor

Motion to approve minutes for March, all in favor

-New Sailing Director was hired 10 plus years of Coast Guard experience. Great background with children and also volunteers at Hatherly School. He understands marine and safety. He was stationed in Scituate for 3 years and familiar with Harbormaster's office

-Fields trips and entertainers are back this year for the summer program.

-Mr. C's Soccer is returning after a year off due to COVID-19

-Council on Aging project just about finished. Some last remaining things they are working on

-Mark Falvey donated his time to paint dugouts at baseball and softball fields. The paint was purchased by Recreation. A big thank you to Mark Falvey and to everyone involved who helped paint the dugouts.

-Bathroom access at Turf is being discussed

-It is up to the youth and adult organizations to make porta potties available at the fields

-Original plaque size for JL Murphy was going to cost \$8,000.00 which was not in the budget.

-Plaque will cost \$1,300.00 and read 'coach, mentor, and friend.' Funding is coming from Little League \$600, \$500 from the Scituate Youth Center and \$200 coming from the Scituate Baseball boosters. The goal is, on Father's Day have a home run derby fundraiser and ceremony to officially dedicate the 3rd base home dugout to JL Murphy

-Scituate Youth Lacrosse has the \$10,000 that they had promised for the fields and are asking who they make the check out to and where it needs to go. That should be earmarked for field maintenance and replacement.

-There is 2.3 acres of land somebody would like to donate this next to purple dinosaur. Lands needs to be looked into. The gentleman would like the land to be used for fields.

Adjournment at 6:39pm, all in favor.