

## APPROVED

### East Montpelier Recreation Board Meeting Minutes

September 11, 2017

Members in attendance – Phillip Heinz, Janice Aldrich, Cristin O'Donnell, Michael Blanchard, Jack Zeilenga

Meeting called to order 7:23 PM

- Minutes from August 14 meeting approved.
- Financial overview
  - Phillip has recently purchased soccer uniforms, balls, whistles, and needles for the pump.
  - Bob took the soccer registration check to have deposited into the Rec Board account.
- Soccer
  - New soccer balls coming – each team will have different colored balls to differentiate.
  - This year there are two referee coordinators – Denise Roy and Sophia Heinz.
  - Sara Garland will oversee concessions.
  - There was a large turnout for the referee training on Sunday, September 10.
    - Refs have been asked to send a quick follow up email after games with a wrap up.
  - All teams are set for the season. 5/6 boys will play with four squads due to the large number.
  - Work on scheduling continues after some issues arose around numbers and team make-up of some of the other district teams. The schedule should be finalized soon.
  - There was brief discussion about having one recreation department overseeing the soccer program for the whole district.
  - Number are strong for soccer – 135 players signed up between Pre-K and 6<sup>th</sup> grade.
- Website training
  - Basic training will be given to the board members at a future time to make edits and additions to the website.
- Inventory Updates
  - Cristin is collecting all the uniform information into a spreadsheet for all sports so it can be easily tracked.
    - Basketball inventory of uniforms was given. Count on balls, etc to follow.
    - Paul sent a report in his absence and inventory of the baseball equipment is in process.

- Bleachers
  - The wooden bleachers have been removed from the Recreation Field and disposed of.
  - Discussion and research around acquiring aluminum bleachers to start using in the spring for baseball season will occur at a future meeting.
  
- Baseball
  - Paul is still working to obtain an official quote for field/mound renovations.
  - By all reports the Sunday baseball program was successful on September 10.

Meeting adjourned 8:22PM

Next meeting to be held on October 9, 2017 at 7:15 PM, East Montpelier Elementary School.