

AVON PARK AND RECREATION COMMISSION

Commissioners: Carl Fischer, Chairman
Barbara Littlefield, Vice -Chairwoman
Ben Chapman, Stephen McCarthy, Dan Hart

FEBRUARY 13, 2018

Avon Park and Recreation met at 6:30 with members Carl Fischer, Barbara Littlefield, Ben Chapman and Dan Hart present.

Minutes from the January 9th meeting were reviewed and accepted with a correction. Minutes from the January 23rd meeting were approved as recorded.

TEEN PROGRAM

The Selectmen have approved Jen Mayo's employment, at a rate of \$16.10 per hour, pending adding her start date of 3-5-18 and end date of 5-19-18 to her Action Form. The Commission reviewed an application received from Nicole Hersey for the Teen Prog councilor position. Barbara motioned that we recommend the Selectmen hire her as a Teen Program Councilor, at a G8 step 4 rate of \$11.09. Ben 2nd the motion with all members in favor.

SUMMER PROGRAM

The Commission discussed the upcoming Summer Program. Town Council Attorney Lalli will attend our next meeting to review all registration forms for the Summer Program and Teen Program. Future activities to be looked in to are: Family Soccer Night @ 4 Kicks on Bay St in Taunton. They offered a good deal. The info will be forwarded to Jen for next year.

FIELDS/PLAYGROUNDS

Barbara motioned that we adopt a Field & Structure maintenance program prepared by Carl. Dan 2nd the motion, with noted changes. All members in favor. Bill Fitzgerald was on this evenings agenda but was unable to attend. He will be invited to our next meeting. Carl will forward a copy of the Field & Structure program to Bill.

A field use permit from Holbrook-Avon Youth Soccer for use of the Butler field from 4-1-18 thru 7-1-18, 9:00 – 6:30 was reviewed. Dan motioned to approve their field permit. Further discussion followed. P&R has received numerous reports of injuries and safety concerns from Ric Dorkendorff, the high school AD. The lack of regular maintenance of the field has resulted in the unsafe conditions. The motion to issue the permit was defeated. Barbara will notify them the field request was denied. The board discussed what is needed to bring back all 3 playing fields.

MISC

Carol will research an outstanding invoice from Franklin Sports in the amount of \$138.75.

Our next meeting will be on February 27th. The agenda will have Attorney Lalli scheduled for 7:00 and Bill Fitzgerald scheduled for 7:30.

Respectfully submitted,


Carol Geary, Secretary
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