## **Minutes for Recreation Commission**

# September 7, 2016

Present: Arene Berry, Cheri Federico, Scott Hembrow, Melissa Sherman, Claudia Lemaire, Heather Romeri

# Appointments: Kierstyn Henderson & Zachary Williamson – Dog Park Supporters

There was discussion on the plans for the proposed Dog Park presented. No fees for the park proposed at this time due to the need to enforce.

Arene to speak with PrimEx regarding the town's ability to insure a dog park.

There was discussion by the Commission to support the Park's Proposal.

There was a motion made by Scott – The Rec Commission will support the idea of building a Dog Park in Milford. This was seconded by Melissa. Further discussion took place on the wording of the motion. Vote was unanimous in favor of the motion.

## **Director's Report – Arene Berry**

## **Fields/Facilities:**

Keyes Park Expansion Committee – Survey emailed to NRPC with a possible table being set-up at voting.

Ice rinks – set up date and volunteer meeting discussion - Discussion regarding set up date of second weekend in December. Discussion took place regarding volunteer need and the possibility of paying someone to maintain. A tentative date for Setup was made of December 11<sup>th</sup> at 8am. Meeting of interested volunteers set for November 9<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm TBA. **BBB –** Claudia to get Arene volunteer hours list.

**Daddy Daughter Dance** – Heather proposed to have Milford residents be able to buy tickets before non-residents. Arene to investigate the number of residents vs. nonresidents that attended last year.

## **Recreation Commission Events:**

Bonfire, BBQ, & Boogie – 8/6/16 review Arene to find out location to store fire pit

## **Discussion Items:**

Welcome our newest board member Lena LaBour!

Revolving Fund Balance planning and budgeting – Discussion regarding a need for meetings specific to the revolving fund took place. It was decided to book a meeting for September 21<sup>st</sup> at 7pm.

Liz Snell would like to join the rec Commission as an alternate. Liz was previously on the board.

Approve August 2016 Meeting Minutes – Amendment to bottom of  $1^{st}$  page – Inventory of concession stand (not freezer). Motion was made to accept minutes as amended by Claudia,  $2^{nd}$  by Scott – Accepted by unanimous vote with Liz abstaining.

Patricia will be unavailable to take minutes until possibly December.

More discussion took place regarding using the soda in the fridge for Winter Fest. Also there was a suggestion to make Smores kits for Winter Fest.

Motion to adjourn made by Cheri, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Claudia, unanimous vote.

Respectfully submitted by Cheri Federico