

**SHENANDOAH COUNTY PARKS AND RECREATION
ADVISORY BOARD MEETING MINUTES**

May 25, 2016 – Historic Courthouse, Woodstock, VA

Present: Jonathan Fainter, Bob Flanagan, Rick Moomaw, Becky Lambert, Sonya William-Giersch, Nathan Hershey (SHS), Kaelyn Cary (SHS), Rebecca Ansboro (CHS) and Bret Jones (SJHS)

Absent: Lisa Currie, Denise Dellinger, Rhonda Lively and Larry Beasley, Joe Hinkle, Cindy Bailey, Jennifer George and Larry Smith

Staff: Jered Hoover, Brandi Rhinehart and Melissa Hoover (KidzRec)

Welcome/Call to Order

Called the meeting to order at 7:09pm. New and current board members introduced themselves.

Adoption of Minutes

January 27, 2016, March 23, 2016 needs to be approved at the meeting July 27, 2016

Chairman's Report

None

Director's Report

SCPR's summer brochure was mailed out May 9 and as of May 25 a participation report was handed out to show how well numbers were in the camps and classes. We are starting to work on our Fall 2016 brochure and all programs are due to Brandi by July 1, 2016. For the summer we have partnered with different organizations for summer events. Jered and Brandi will be taking two buses full of 90 people to Branson in September '16. We just ended Frostbit softball and Men's and Women's summer softball is in full swing. Also, new this year we are doing an Overnight 4 day camp at Shenandoah Meadows, we will be offering true camp experience and will be trying to partner with the Boy Scouts to come and serve as camp counselors. Jered provided a report to show the increase of use of the Charter House from previous years to date.

SCPR's 2017-18 budget was approved by the board. The only increase we had was an increase in part-time staff hours and agriculture supplies. Overall our budget was down 4%. All the SCPR profit last year went to the General Fund. Advisory Board members would like to see that money be rolled back to Parks and Recreation to purchase items that may not get approved in CIP. Jered announced that SCPR was happy to welcome Seven Bends which will officially come on board July 1st and their new name will be KidzRec. KidzRec brings with them 3 staff members, Melissa Hoover (Director), Jenny Neff (WWR site manager) and Tammy Leathers (SHES site manager).

Jered introduced Melissa Hoover to talk a little bit about KidzRec (Seven Bends). Melissa explained to the board that they operate in all 3 local elementary schools and are currently enrolling for the summer camp. Melissa explained that their hours are 6:30am-6pm (Summer) and 6:30-start of school, 2:30pm-6pm (School year). The ages that KidzRec accommodates are

4-12 years of age. They take several field trips through the summer and visit the pool 7 Wednesdays out of the summer. KidzRec does use school buses and drivers as transportation. They are excited as well to come aboard with Parks and Recreation and we both can only see benefits for both organizations.

Upcoming Events

June 4, we have our Annual Fishing Derby and at this time have 27 participants with the plan to use two ponds.

Punky Riley Golf Tournament is July 15 and we are right now in the process of collecting donations to put towards the scholarship program.

Doggie Paddle, September 10

Movie Night at the Woodstock Pool, August 19 with Inflatables

Jeep O'Wrama, end of September

Haunted Trail & Kids Event (October)

Town Reports

Strasburg – MayFest was a wash out, pool opens Memorial weekend and the pool plans on having lots of different activities for all ages.

Rick Moomaw would like to see if we can create a partnership to do an activity with ShrineMont.

High Rep. (Bret Jones) – stated at the Big brother/Big sister program that Tyler Hinkle started is working very well and seems to be helping the students. They work with 1st & 2nd graders at this point. The guidance counselor picks out what students would most benefit from the program

Committee Reports

) Executive/Capital Improvements (CIP)

Only got approval to purchase (4) new garage doors with a cost no higher than \$4,500

) Activities and Programs

Jered again compliment the staff on all the offerings that we are providing and everything is going good through the whole transitions. There was an issue with Tim Bowers (basketball player) and Dwight Jenkins (official), a meeting was setup and Beck Lambert was going to attend, but at the last minute Tim Bowers cancelled and didn't want to have the meeting. Therefore, Tim Bowers was sent a letter that he was suspended from any SCPR leagues.

) Partnerships and Public Relations

Reported that Lacrosse has gone independents and is using MMA fields

Old Business

Nothing

New Business

KidzRec will come aboard July 1st

To Do's

Board members to sign up to help at different events

Next Meeting

The next meeting will be on July 27, 2016 at 6:30pm, at the County Park, Shelter 1 in Maurertown for a hamburgers/hotdogs/sides cookout.

PLEASE NOTE: If anyone on the board would like to bring a side dish let Brandi know, please brhinehart@shenandoahcountyva.us

With no further business, Bob Flanagan made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Meeting was adjourned at 8:20pm