
PARKS, RECREATION & CULTURE ADVISORY COMMITTEE MINUTES

Wednesday, November 24, 2021 | 7:00 pm

Virtual Meeting | Zoom

MEMBERS PRESENT Brandon Koebel | Tony Diaco | Mike Schierz | Ryan Enright | Danica Metcalfe

OTHER MEMBERS Sherri Walden | Lyndsay Regier | Laura Christen

REGRETS Neil Simpson | Keith Hopkins | Tom Karl

1. DISCLOSURE OF PECUNIARY INTEREST – Nil.

2. ADOPTION OF October 27, 2021 MINUTES

Moved by B. Koebel | Seconded by M. Schierz

THAT the minutes of the October 27, 2021 regular meeting be approved as printed and circulated. CARRIED.

3. ITEMS FOR INFORMATION / CORRESPONDENCE

The following information item was included in the meeting package sent by email on November 22, 2021.

3.1. Pool Staff Recruitment Information Session

ACTION: S. Walden to provide flyer to member to share with contacts.

4. ITEMS FOR DIRECTION | DISCUSSION

4.1. Disc Golf

Committee members discussed Disc Golf and the potential next steps. Consensus from committee members was agreement and support in principle to explore potential implementation of disc golf provided there is demonstrated community (people) support committed to moving the project forward. **ACTION:** S. Walden to communicate to S. Dyck the direction and requirement for him to recruit a core group of community members.

4.2. Policy Review

Committee members discussed and provided revisions to the PRC-073(P) Pool Allocation Policy and PRC-072(P) Pool Rental Booking Policy & Agreement Terms. **ACTION:** Revisions will be made to both policies and provided to council for approval.

5. STAFF REPORTS

5.1. Parks & Recreation Facilities

5.1.1. Staff preparing for the Christmas season, putting up lights, and displays at Heritage Square and lights at the P & H Centre. Lighting of the Heritage Square is scheduled for December 4.

5.1.2. Minor Hockey hosted their first tournament on November 20th for U11 Canadian Tire Cup. There will be a tournament on December 11th for the U13's.

5.1.3. JDSS has booked ice times for both ladies and men's team.

5.2. Aquatics & Programs

5.2.1. Some high school classes have rented the pool to supplement their classes.

5.2.2. An adult lifesaving course to attract new people to get certified is planned for January. A pool staff recruitment information session is scheduled for December 7 at 6:30pm.

5.2.3. The Winter 2022 Guide and Holiday Happenings flyer will be distributed by e-newsletter November 26.

5.2.4. Carpet Bowling has resumed on Tuesday afternoons from 1-3pm.

6. OTHER BUSINESS

6.1. It was noted that the Halloween swim passes provided for the Trick or Treat Trail were very well received by children and parents.

6.2. Committee member noted the area near JDSS that students are using to smoke and consideration for other alternative locations.

7. NEXT MEETING - Wednesday, January 26, 2022 | 7:00 pm

8. ADJOURNMENT

Moved by R. Enright | Second by M. Schierz

THAT the meeting be adjourned at 8:20pm. CARRIED.