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Ashburnham Parks and Recreation Committee Meeting Minutes 06-05-2014

Member in Attendance: Mike Salem, Tim Dumont, Cheryl Goller, Steven Gallant, Deanne Smith.

Absent: Doug Carlman

Guests: Gail Dumont

Meeting Called to Order: Tim Dumont made a motion and called the meeting to order at 7:30 pm due to an accident at Cory Hill and Williams, Mike was going to be late. Motion was second by Steven Gallant. All in favor.

Secretary Report: Steven passed out the meeting minutes for the April 3rd meeting and the May 15th order for approval. Cheryl made a motion to approve April's minutes as presented and was second by Tim, all in favor. Motion was then made by Tim to approve Mays minutes and was second by Deanne, all approved.

Treasures Report: Cheryl handed out an update of the Budget Report for FY14. Motion made to accept the report by Deanne and second by Tim. Unanimously approved.

Elections: All positions are open at the First meeting after July 1st.

Ashburnham Day at the Red Sox – Mike has arrived with information from the Boston Red Sox to host the town at a special price and if an agreed number of tickets were sold, they would allow a contingency from the town to go out on the field for the opening as well as the town being recognized on the replay boards. Costs would vary between \$30 - \$55 for a game on 07/29 against the Blue Jays, or, \$28 - \$52 for a game on 08/18 against LA.

After much discussion we agreed on 08/18 with bleacher seating with a cost of \$35 for Bleacher seating or \$60 for Right Field Roof Box, with a portion of that fee to go towards Sweeney Park Improvements. Fenway tours would be offered at \$15 for adults and \$10 for children under 18. We would also pick 3 kids to go onto the field if we reached the goal. All ticket orders and money would go through Town Hall.

Parks Update

Ashburnham-Westminster Family & Community Partnership has requested the use of Winchester Park for a Story Walk on June 13th with a rain date of June 20th from 10am – 11:30am. Steve makes a motion to accept the request, it was second by Mike. All members approved it.

North County Land Trust

NCLT has asked if we would post some of their events on our Facebook Page. We all agreed it was okay.

Downtown Days

Due to the concern of using Tax Payers monies to hand out candy at Downtown Days, we received donations to purchase \$40 worth of candy to hand out to the children that attend. We will hand out Red Sox information and forms as well as the Summer Concert Schedule.

Concert Series & Ice Cream Social

As to date we have 4 bands booked and are waiting on the final 3 performances. The Bresnahan Committee has offer to sell food items this year so we will ask the Lions. Parks and Rec will try selling freeze pops at concerts to see how they sell.

The first concert on June 29th we will host Studio Two: A Beatles Tribute. At this concert we will hold our annual Ice Cream Social. Cheryl has spoken to Friendlies, and they will provide us with 2 flavors of Ice Cream and Toppings for a cost of around \$700.

Motion made to close the meeting at 8:55 pm by Cheryl Goller, and by Mike Salem. All agreed.

Respectfully Submitted

Steven P. Gallant
Secretary