

Ocean Pines Association (OPA)
Recreation and Parks Advisory Committee
Monday, (March 10, 2025) 6:30 – 7:30 PM
Meeting Minutes

Call to Order: Chair called the meeting to order at **6:35** pm.

Participants Present: Becky Lehnerd, Kathy Wolford Toth, Pam McGregor, Gary Schnell, Tom and Terri O'Doherty. Jeff Heavener was absent.

Approval of Agenda: Agenda for this **March** 2025 meeting was approved.

Approval of Minutes of Previous Meeting: The minutes for the month of **Feb** 2025 were approved.

Chairperson Comments: Thanks to Pam for running Feb meeting

Public Comments: None

Topics Discussed: (Ongoing Business)

Park Signs: New charging documents for park signs was submitted 1/9/25. Still waiting on response.

Fitness Park: New charging document was submitted to refurbish the existing one or add a new fitness park on 3/10/25. Waiting on response

Gym Floor: Tom was still working to meet with a floor person to finalize the charging document to replace the gym with the right floor and the issues with floor heating.

Playground Certification: Charging document was submitted on having all playgrounds inspected with a written report and have an OP employee become a certified playground inspector yearly to keep it in house. 3/10/25. Waiting for response.

Crosswalks and safety signs: Still waiting to see how the Chief of Police is addressing these issues on Seabreeze and the 90-bridge area.

Grants- Terri asked about Grants and how we can get information needed. It was discussed and we decided to pass grant information to the board through the liaison.

New Business:

OP Community Bike Ride and Rodeo- May 10th is a 7 or 14-mile ride starting at the Clubhouse. May 18th 3-5 is the Bike Safety Rodeo.

OP season kickoff- We will be having a table at the kickoff and we need to discuss what we want to share with the residents and public. Theme "Safety and Fitness"

Committee member- Still looking to add 1 more member to our committee.

Adjournment: The Chair adjourned the meeting at **7:44** pm.

Final Note: *Next Meeting is scheduled for **April 14th**, 2025, 6:30 – 7:30 pm at Ocean Pines Community Center – East Room. The option of an online "Teams Meeting" is available upon request.*