

Ocean Pines Recreation & Parks Advisory Committee

October 23, 2017 Meeting Minutes
OPA Administration Bldg, Board Room
7:00pm

Attendance: Recreation Director Colby Phillips ,Tim McMullen, Tres Denk, Greer Groves, Matt Groves, Marie Gilmore, Skip Schlesinger, Jim Wahl

Absent: Brad Gibson., Collette Horn

Guest: Deb Bennington

Agenda

Old Business: Review of September Minutes; Review of Recreation Committee Roster

New Business

1. Community Center

- a. IT for Rec & Parks – The Technology Committee is studying options for IT systems.

2. Parks, Playgrounds, and Walking Trails

- a. All parks and walking trails were reviewed.
- b. Robin Hood Trail has been cleared. New signs are needed at the start of the Trail. Tim will meet with Public Works concerning the location of the signs.
- c. The Pirate Ship at the Yacht Club could be moved to a new location.

3. Manklin Meadows

- a. Hard Tru courts will be rolled and, weather permitting, will remain open during winter months.
- b. The two Platform Tennis courts are under construction, completion date is 11/28.

4. Lighted path around the South Gate Lake

- a. Major improvements will be needed on the trail, Greer discussed the need for improvements for drainage around the walking trails.
- b. The needs for cross walks on 589 were introduced.
- c. Colby will include physical fitness equipment in the proposed budget.

5. 50th Anniversary Celebration Committee

- a. June 2, 2018-Parade and Family Fun Day-Deb Bennington informed the committee of the plans for a Family Fun Day at the Veterans Memorial after the parade.

6. Bike Pump Track

- a. The proposed site would be next to the existing skate park.

7. Fire Pit at the Oasis

- a. Public Works will include a third fire pit in the upcoming Budget.

8. Fireworks – July 4th, 2018, will take place at the South Gate Pond-traffic concerns were discussed at length.

9. Next meeting- 11/16-East Room