



PARKS MONTHLY MEETING MINUTES

September 9, 2020

Attendees:

Matthew Weyer
Mike Steffe
Natalie Howard
Jill Schipp
Tom Lueken

Dan with Rosenvolk Committee

The meeting started at 4:30 pm. Dan with the Rosenvolk committee spoke first. He told us that they would like to hold a Dragons of the Realm type event in May. The dates would be May 15 & 16. Would need to start setting up on Thursday and would be out by Tuesday. They have entertainers and vendors that have agreed to this weekend. Could bring in 2500-3500 people. They would still have the Rosenvolk in October 2021. Mike voiced his concern about using the baseball/softball field for more than 2 days during this time. Camping may night be as big of an issue since this would be in May and the 4-H and Forest would be open for camping. Entertainers would be put up at the local hotels but vendors would like to stay with their belongings. They would use the same area as Rosenvolk. Mike suggested running this by the Town Council on September 15.

The board read over the minutes from the August meeting. Mike made a motion to approve, Jill seconded, all in favor. Reviewed finances from the August meeting. Matt made a motion to approve, Natalie seconded, all in favor.

COVID-19 items

The yard signs are starting to get in bad shape. Matt will talk with Sharon about them.

Soccer restrooms need to be added to the cleaning list.

Brad Beck called about a restroom for SP&F. They need a porta potty.

5th Street

Little league is planning some kind of fall ball. Brad is filling out a lease for fall ball and he has been working on the field.



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Kyle Greulich wants to make some improvements on the little league fields. Want to look at the pitching mound, home plate, bull pens and dugouts. Kyle is meeting with Brady Gunselman to see what can be done. Little League can put \$7,000 towards the project and we can hopefully get some money from Mobil. We will follow up with Kyle about this.

Tom said they got the sewer line replaced and had 2 water leaks. They had to dig this up and repair them.

Football field corner is a mess. Looks like a sewer or water line break. There is an 8 inch main in cornfield that may be causing the issue. They put a pump sump in to get water off field. Games are scheduled to start Saturday.

Tammy Litherland asked about having a tourney in October.

Old Town Lake

We plan on having a grand opening on September 26 from 11-3. We are going to donate koozies to the donors. Chris is going to bring a loud speaker for music. We need to get a porta potty. Kona Ice will be there and Jill is supplying crafts for kids such as paint, chalk, trays and bubbles. We need picnic tables and need to get the bird netting up.

We will send out flyers to people and places of what we will be selling and information on the event.

The ribbon cutting will take place at 10 am. We will invite the construction team, Universal Design, the donors, Dolores Boeglin, Town Council, Chris James, Shirley Olinger and the Community Foundation. We received \$25,000 from Shirley Olinger to go towards the fishing pier. We are talking to Siefert on how to build this. Dolores said that Glen Lange wanted to make a donation for the kayak launch. Matt will work with Glen to get more money for building.

Matt talked to Lloyd about parking and might need police to head up signaling.

We have three signs to put up so far. One for Masterbrand, Class of 1975 and Stan Foster.

Matt made a motion to adjourn the meeting, Natalie seconded. All in favor. Meeting adjourned at 5:38 pm

Minutes submitted on 14 October 2020

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