

Recreation Advisory Committee Meeting
August 23, 2023
Recreation Office

In Attendance:

Kris Larson – Chair
Kari Grandoni – Vice Chair
Brian Wright – Councilor (Left 15 minutes)
Faith Zachar – Member at Large
Judy Lee – Member at Large
Adam Grose – Recreation Manager (Left 7 pm)
Rhonda Oczkowski – Recreation Programmer

Regrets:

Sheena Adamson
La Vonne Rideout

1. Call to Order

Chris Larson called the meeting to order 6:05 pm

2. Approval of August 23, 2023 Agenda

Brian Wright moved to approve the August 23, 2023 Recreation Advisory Committee Agenda as presented

CARRIED

3. Approval of March 29, 2023 Minutes

Faith Zacher moved to approve the March 29, 2023 Recreation Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes as presented.

CARRIED

4. Business Arising from the Minutes

a. Bus Shelters

The 2 bus shelters will be installed in JJT off leash dog park this fall.

b. Curling Rink

Brian updated that the Town did not receive the Green and Inclusive Building Grant. The curling club is now waiting to see if they will receive the 1.5 million CEP Grant.

5. New Business

a. Parks Transition

Parks and Sports fields team is transitioning to go under Operations. It has not been decided yet as to how sports field rental bookings will be handled.

b. Water Restrictions

The Town is under a Stage 2 water restriction.

c. Trail Update

The M.D. is stalled with permission from the private landowners to construct a path on their property along the creek.

Limestone and upgrades being done to the path at the west end along the rodeo grounds and Community Hall.

6. Open Discussion

a. Department Report

i. Programming and Events

See attached

ii. Pool, Arena & Parks

Pool will be seeing a reduced staff coming into September which means a reduced time the pool will be open. Ice plant is scheduled to be turned on September 8 with ice to be open for the week of September 25.

b. Members Reports

Judy Lee – Event plan for Syncline Castle Trails Association, 23/24 season has been approved by Alberta Parks. it is planned to have a Family event in February. SCAT will be offering in partnership with Uplift Adventures guided cross country ski and snowshoeing hikes. Also have pop up cross country ski lessons. New to the Syncline Ski area is geocache.

Faith Zachar – Had a great Stamps camp in the spring. August 1st is a start up. Player rules have changed and team must have 17 kids registered to play a 9 man game. Bantam is a go but PeeWee and Senior are not meeting the registered requirements. 4 players from Mustangs went to the All Star game.

Kari Grandoni – no

Kris Larson – no

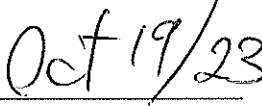
7. Next Meeting

October 19 @ 6:00 PM

8. Adjourn

Faith – 7:51 pm


Approved by Kris Larson – Chair


Date