North Stonington Recreation Commission May 4, 2017 Minutes

Call to Order: 7:10 p.m.

Attending: Emerson Rusich, Emily Mastroianni, Director Tom Fabian

Financials: Approved

Correspondence: 1. Thank you picture and card from the N.S. Christian Academy for camp certificates.

- 2. Youth Mental Health Training and First Aid Flyer will post on Facebook and Website
- 3. Middle School/High School SERAC invitation on 5/15/17

Old Business

- 1. Chelsea Groton Grant: Has been submitted, awaiting feedback.
- 2. Rec Shack: Work is still happening; flooring, piping, electrical in process.
- 3. Rec Field Conditions: Field condition is a concern for upcoming fall season. Difficult to treat the field with Little League practice needs. Dir. Fabian will speak with facilities as to how we can begin to tackle this for a successful season. Committee recommendation to put together options for the town for field improvements.
- 4. Website Training: Two dates proposed; open right now.
- 5. Summer Brochure: In Process.
- 6. Commissioner Wagner: Dir. Fabian will send letter.
- 7. Girl Scout Painting: Softball dugouts are complete. There is extra paint for other projects.
- 8. Egg Hunt: Good participation will plan to arrive earlier next year to set-up. Individually wrapped snacks were successful.
- 9. Summer Instructors: There are still some vacancies. Dir. Fabian hoping to have them filled before summer signups.

New Business

- 1. Playground Director Selection: 6 applicants, 5 interviewed. Will extend an offer shortly.
- 2. Additional Summer Programs: on new ideas.
- Commissioner Status: Rec Commissioners need to be "sworn in" by Town Clerk. Dir. Fabian will coordinate for another meeting.
- 4. Summer Registration Night: Either 5/31 or 6/7 at the Elementary School. Date to be confirmed.
- 5. New Programs: Youth Mental Health and Reiki Meditation.
- 6. Recommendation to contact the PTO before the end of the year to attempt to coordinate Halloween Egg Hunt with their Fall Festival.
- 7. Rec By-Laws; should they be reviewed and possibly updated?

Meeting Adjourn: 8:06 p.m.