

North Stonington Recreation Commission
Meeting Minutes
March 4, 2021
Conducted Via Zoom

Attendees: J. Holdridge, M. Broneill, L. Umphlett, E. Mastroianni, J. Potemri, M. Perkins C. Dias

Call to Order: 6:18 p.m.

Minutes: Approved

Financials: Approved

Correspondence: None

Old Business:

- Social Distancing activities/challenges: some activities have been posted with limited participation. M. Broneill will take Easter Bunny photographs around town to post leading up to the Easter parade. C. Dias and L. Umphlett are the Facebook administrators and will post.
- NoSto Skating Event: This has been rescheduled to March 7, 2021. Currently there are 87 who have signed-up, 5 on the wait list. All will be able to skate.
- Summer Playground Camp: Current sign-ups -
 - Week 1: 7
 - Week 2: 6
 - Week 3: 5
 - Weeks 4-7: 3Early Bird registration will continue to April 1, 2021. L. Umphlett will continue to advertise online. M. Perkins will distribute flyers in school.
- Pumptrack Mountain Biking Course: To be discussed at the next meeting.
- Easter Bunny Parade: L. Umphlett has reviewed with the Fire Department, they plan to participate again. Parade scheduled for April 3, 2021. The Fire Department will follow the same Kingswood to Cedar Ridge route. M. Perkins and L. Umphlett will coordinate the second Bunny route throughout town.

New Business:

- Summer Playground Camp: The age for counselors has been reviewed and amended from 15 to 14 years old. L. Umphlett will speak with returning counselors and determine how many additional counselors are needed.
- A second Easter Bunny suit has been purchased for Recreation usage.
- Budget: Dir. Fabian presented the Recreation budget on February 10, 2021. The committee was encouraged to review the Recreation Field and explore improvement opportunities.
- Organic Treatment: J. Potemri, M. Broneill, J. Holdridge will explore and obtain information. They will also look for landscaper recommendations for field design and layout.

Any New Business

- Mountain Biking: There has been strong interest in both Mountain Biking programs.
- Exit Surveys: Discussion to send exit surveys once programs are completed to solicit feedback and recommendations.
- Frisbee Golf: M. Perkins will speak with the property owners on Cossaduck Hill, the idea to hold a Rec weekend tournament was mentioned.

Adjourned: 7:04 p.m.