Final Meeting Notes

Temple Recreation Commission

Thursday September 23, 2021

7:00 PM

Temple Town Hall Annex

Attending: Dan Cournoyer, Gretchen Whitcomb, and Vivian Wills

- 1. Approval of August 4 minutes.
 - a. Draft minutes not available. To be approved next meeting.
- 2. Final plans and preparation for Richard Parker "Elvis" event.
 - a. Peter brought check to Dan
 - b. Vivian will raise curtain
 - c. Vivian will bring apple cider, donuts, water, napkins, cups
 - d. Be here at 6 for set up
- 3. Storage in the Town Hall update (Vivian)
 - a. We need to set a date to sort through the holiday items, etc. and move those things along that are taking up space.
 - b. Store July 4th items at Ballfield (talk to SB)
- 4. Halloween plans
 - a. Rec will hold their event on Oct. 31 (Sunday) as we have traditionally.
 - b. Gretchen suggests Trunk or Treat. Dan and Vivian agree.
 - c. The Town Hall party with costume parade indoors will not be held this year. A costume parade will happen on the Common as we did last year with no judging.
 - d. All agree that the effort for door to door trick or treating last year was well done and Gretchen will contact Krystle Beckmann and Rose Lowry about repeating the effort this year. Timing will be from 5 to 8 pm.
- 5. Final review of new reservation forms for use of Common and Ballfield
 - a. No update to report.
- 6. BAC meeting date and 2022 budget preparation.
 - a. Mike Darnell emailed Vivian about this and the date and time set for Rec is Wed. Nov. 10 at 6 pm.
 - b. We will discuss the budget at the next meeting so it is prepared for the meeting.

7. New Business

- a. Library request Vivian
 - i. Beth emailed Vivian about the library pursuing a grant for funding that includes a season pass to the NE Aquarium through summer 2022. There is a need for \$55 extra to cover the total cost of the membership from end of July through August that would not be covered by the grant if it is awarded. Committee discussed.
 - ii. Action: Vivian made a motion for Rec Cmsn to approve support of this need and provide the \$55 when and if it is called for. All in favor.
- b. Discussion about the town funding and any Rec ideas.
 - i. Tennis courts on the list as suggested by LUC.
- c. July 4 ribbon order (Vivian)
 - i. Vivian has been in touch with the company we used years ago for these special ribbons. The quote per ribbon for 100 or more is .58/per ribbon.
 - ii. **Action:** Vivian made a motion that we order 200. All in favor.
- d. Can Rec sponsor groups that are not official town committees? (Dan)
 - i. Dan said consider Fossils, Temple Band, and Drama Club.
 - ii. Discussion. Dan will mention to Steve Cullinan about Drama Club and Darryl Winebrennar about Fossils. Vivian will mention to Felicia about Temple Band.
- e. Outdoor movie on the Common in Oct. (Dan)
 - i. Dan mentioned trying for an outdoor movie. Perhaps a horror film of public domain with Halloween coming up
 - ii. Discussion. Try for a weekend in the beginning to mid October.
- 8. Next meeting date.
 - a. Thursday Oct 21st @ 7 pm

Meeting adjourned @ 8:00 pm