



Reynoldsburg Parks and Recreation Commission Meeting

Wednesday, January 10, 2018

5:30pm

- I. Roll Call
 - a. Meeting was called to order by Steve Donahue at 5:31pm
 - b. Roll was taken by Michelle Brennan. Dawn McCloud and Ryan Phillips were not in attendance. All other members present.
- II. Minutes
 - a. Minutes were approved
 - i. Motion made by Joe
 - ii. 2nd: Teresa
- III. Public Comment
 - a. No public present
- IV. New Business
 1. Tobacco/Smoke Free Zones
 - a. Goes into effect 1/11/18
 - b. Ordinance states we are Tobacco Free
 - i. This does include all Electronic cigarettes as well
 - c. Partnering with Franklin County Public Health on signage for our parks
 - i. 35 Young Lungs at play signs
 - ii. 25 Tobacco Free signs
 - d. Formal Press release with the Franklin County Public Health to be released
 - i. Will also share on Social Media
 - ii. Will attach information to our Blue Sombrero registration software
 - iii. Will have information in the next brochure
 - e. Most areas – Smoking permitted in parking lots only
 - i. YMCA has their own policy of Smoke Free for the entire grounds
 2. Programs/Events

- a. Basketball—wrapping up
 - i. Two more weekends of games
 - ii. Some issues have arisen, will place on the radar for priorities next year.
 - b. Volleyball—registration down approximately 20 participants
 - i. Registration is closed
 - ii. Canceled 8U division – low enrollment numbers
 - 1. Gave option to move up a division
 - 2. About half of the enrolled participants decided to move up. The other half will be issued refunds.
 - c. Soccer—registration entire month of January
 - d. Rock Painting –still very popular
 - i. Misty Day is the instructor
 - ii. Classes continuing to go well and continuing to fill up
 - e. Winter Market—January 25; February 1, 15, 22 and March 1
 - i. Opening day is Thursday January 25
 - ii. Will be at the Senior Center
 - iii. Having some issues getting replies back from some of our vendors
3. Staffing
- a. Andrew Evans, Crew Leader, is leaving his position with the City of Reynoldsburg.
 - i. Last day January 19
 - b. Council approved adding an additional full time maintenance position for 2018
4. Budget
- a. Moving ahead
 - b. Opening Purchase Orders for 2018
5. Projects
- a. Meet with EMHT regarding paving at Spangler and Civic
 - i. Small window to complete at Civic due to scheduled events
 - b. Pine Quarry Bridges
 - i. Bid Documents are currently with ODNR for approval
6. OPRA—January 29-31, 2018—Donna and Chris to attend
- a. Interested in researching various new items
 - i. Playground surfaces
 - ii. Playground music structures
 - iii. Gaga Pits

V. Other/Old Business

- 1. Livingston House
 - a. Still waiting for final invoice from the contractor

- b. The new Emergency room on Main Street has a Livingston House picture framed on the wall

- 2. Cricket Fields

- a. Staff took a field trip to various fields around central Ohio

- b. Size – can be larger than a football field

- i. Reynoldsburg does not necessarily have an area that large

- ii. Reynoldsburg would need to look at a smaller field

- iii. A meeting to discuss with some community members is scheduled for January 19

- 3. Next Meeting—February 7 or 28, 2018

- a. February 7, 2018 at 5:30 City Hall Council Meeting Room

- I. Adjournment at 6:22pm

- a. Motion to adjourn: Joe

- b. 2nd: Teresa