

LUDLOW RECREATION COMMITTEE
MINUTES OF
JUNE 11, 2013

Present: Julie Barr, Pat Rumrill, Joe Gurdak, Pam O'Neil, Howard Paul

Comments from Citizens:

- A citizen called voicing her concern over the little league being disorganized, all the rescheduled games due to weather, the snack shack not being ready until opening day, not enough bleachers and the dugouts were not painted "home" and "away". Discussion followed with Howie. Howie pointed out that the snack shop does not open until opening day for little league, and games were played before opening day. Due to the weather there were many games rescheduled. Team coaches were in charge of letting their players know about schedule changes.

Director's Report:

- Springfield Soccer Club is renting Fletcher Farms for \$50 per game.
- Little League opening day went well; it was done at night due to rain. Games were played at Dorsey and at the little league fields.
- Co-ed softball has 8 teams sign up which is 2 more than last year. Almost everyone has paid. Games are on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday nights. Only one umpire this year to help save money.
- Rugby started at Fletcher Fields on the Cavendish side. They took the soccer goals and flags when Springfield Soccer had a game. Howie had to go on his off time to replace the equipment.
- Babe Ruth started with 20 kids from Ludlow/Chester. 9 from Ludlow the rest is from Chester
- Summer brochure is completed and distributed. Summer Rec starts on 6/24, we are fully staffed.

Old Business:

- Skate Park is going well. The language and garbage does not seem to be a problem. There is an issue with kids hanging at the park who do not skateboard.

New Business:

- Summer programs starting on 6/24. Trip to Hampton Beach this year.
- Fireworks on July 5th and Fisher Cat's game on the 5th. Howie was asked to move the fisher cat's game so that the staff could help work during the fireworks.

Approval of Minutes:

- Minutes were approved for March and May

Next Meeting:

- Tuesday, July 9, 2013 at 5:00p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

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Susan Pollender

Pam O'Neil

Julie Barr

Joe Gurdak