

BRODHEAD PARK BOARD MINUTES TUESDAY, 02 APRIL 18

Council Rep – Paul Huffman

Call to order at 5:30 pm - Present: Missy Kuebli, Becky Malkow, Wally Wilson and Wade Boegli. Paul Huffman showed up at 5:37. Absent: None.

A motion to accept previous minutes: Motion by Wally, second by Becky. Motion passed.

Public Appearances: Tim Stocks and Casey Jones

Committee comments or questions: None

2018 SUMMER APPLICATIONS: Anyone wanting to apply for summer employment with the Brodhead Park & Rec. Dept. had to have their application in by February 28th. On Thursday, March 29th, pool manager Mary Semrow and Wade interviewed all first time applicants. Wade presented the 2018 summer employees to the park board, everyone was in favor. Wade will take the list to the City Council for final approval.

APRIL REMINDERS: Wade handed out his April reminder list. This is a “to-do” list of what needs to be done during the month of April. April and May are the two busiest months in the Parks and Recreation Department.

REC PROGRAMS: There is one more week of Dodgeball remaining for 4th – 6th grades. Youth Ball Sign-Up was from February 15th – March 15th, after the 15th there is a \$20 late fee. There will be adult softball meetings on Wednesday, April 4th for Tuesday and Wednesday night leagues and a meeting on April 11th for the Sunday night league. The winter volleyball leagues finished up on March 18th and March 21st. Each team manager was sent a thank you/summer reminder letter for the upcoming season.

OLD BUSINESS: Badger Swimming Pools installed the new pool heater on March 12th. Summer application deadline was February 28th. The interviewing process will take place Thursday, March 29th for all first time applicants. Adult ball meetings will be Wednesday, April 4th for the Tuesday and Wednesday night leagues and Wednesday, April 11th for the Church Softball league at City Hall. Advertising sign letters were sent out to all of the previous owners that hung signs on the big diamond at Legion Park in 2017.

NEW BUSINESS: Wade installed new pool grates in the bottom of each pool. These grates go over the drains that are required per the Virginia Graeme Baker Pool and Spa Safety Act that was passed in 2008. New safety netting has been ordered for the 3rd base line and left field fencing on the big diamond. This netting is paid for through the sign advertising. New chain link fencing will replace old fencing on the youth boys and girls diamonds. This is paid from the youth ball fundraiser money. Passed last week, lifeguards now only have to be 15 years old, rather than 16 to lifeguard. There was a shortage of lifeguards, many water parks pushed for the age change. It passed.

ANY OTHER BUSINESS: The Park Board would like to keep the meeting time at 5:30pm on the first Monday of the month.

Next meeting: May 7, 2018

ADJOURN: Motion by Wally, second by Becky to adjourn. Motion Passed at 5:52P.M.

Submitted by Wade Boegli