

**Town of Provincetown  
Recreation Commission Meeting  
Veterans Memorial Community Center  
Minutes of Wednesday, December 4th, 2019**

**Members Present**, Robert Enos, Cathy Nagorski, Heather Rogers, Kristin Hatch, Brandon Quesnell and David Oliver

**Members Absent**: Tim Downey

**Also in attendance**: Recreation Director, Brandon Motta; Assistant Recreation Director Caroline Thompson; Eric Martin; Peter Grosso

**Call to order**: 5:30 pm

**Public Hearings**: No members of the public are present to discuss the interim use rental fees for 387 Commercial St.

Kristin motions to move forward with the proposed rental fees for 387 Commercial St.

Robert Seconds

6-0-0

**Board Member Statements**:

Kristin wishes the board Happy Holidays.

**Old Business**:

- A) Motta Field Event. - Eric apologizes for not having any significant updates since last meeting. However, he said he will have a hard timeline of the event within the next two weeks. Further discussion of the possible summer long event takes place. The events end time will end in relation to the sunset, a "townie" show will also take place. The event would not be held on July 4<sup>th</sup> and Carnival.

Brandon Quesnell asks about the housing for the cast of the event and how many.

Eric replies that it has all been taken care of and approximately 50-75 people.

The question of parking is brought up by the board, and the board makes recommendations on how to eliminate the parking issues if any arise.

**New Business**:

- A) Facility Use Application: Lions Club- Peter from the Lions Club brings forward an application for the Lions Club Parking events that takes place at Motta Field on Memorial Day, July 4<sup>th</sup> and Carnival. The application was tabled to the next meeting.

**Director's Report**:

- A) Winter Sports- Brandon M. talks about the youth basketball program that has started up for grades k-6<sup>th</sup>. Teams will be formed for the 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> boys and girls, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> grade girls, as well as the 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> grade boys. Games will be Wednesday nights. For adult sports, Pickleball is continuing. Indoor soccer will begin December 5<sup>th</sup> and continues on Thursdays from 5:45-8pm. He asks the board to help promote open gym space on Tuesday evenings.
- B) Jerome Smith Field- Brandon M. presents the board a list of items and their costs, that Jerome Smith Field would need if it were to move forward as being an alternative/additional location for Youth Sports. Discussion of the costs presented took place. The first cost was for the planning and engineering of the field as no property lines or boundaries can be determined. The fee was around \$6800.

Robert makes a motion to allow Brandon M. permission to use \$6800 from the Recreation Revolving Fund to cover the cost of the engineering and planning for Jerome Smith Field.

Kristin asks if it is possible that the cost is something the town would contribute too as it is Town Property. Discussion takes place and then Robert motions to make the same vote:

Robert Motions  
Cathy seconds  
4-0-1

**Assistant Director's Report:**

- A) Holiday Breakfast- Working alongside the PTA, Recreation will be helping with the annual Holiday Breakfast. It will take place at St. Peter's Parish Hall on December 14<sup>th</sup> from 9-11am. There will be breakfast, raffles, a visit from Santa, games, face painting and more. Center Pieces for the breakfast were created by the staff and children at Recreation. It is open to all communities and everyone is welcomed and encouraged to attend.

**Other:**

David makes a motion to adjourn.  
Heather Seconds  
Meeting adjourned at 7:40pm