

**Town of Provincetown  
Recreation Commission Meeting  
Veterans Memorial Community Center  
2 Mayflower Street, Provincetown  
Minutes of Tuesday, May 6, 2014**

**Members Present:** Treg Kaeselau, Tim Downey, David Oliver, Elisabeth Verde

**Members Absent:** Carrie Notaro

**Also in attendance:** Recreation Director, Brandon Motta; Assistant Recreation Director, Angelina Lammie

**Call to order:** 5:15 pm

**Public comments:**

A) None

**New business:**

A) Discuss possible Rec facilities (for potential CPA projects) – Brandon suggests that a possible CPA project would be to resurface the West End Playground with either wood chips or rubber and to remove the sand. The sand gets dirty and messy very quickly and wood chips or the rubber would be cleaner and easier to maintain. Brandon will start looking at information on resurfacing the playground.

**Old Business:**

A) Charter Review Recreation Commission – The mission and authority need to be revised on the charter. Elisabeth makes a motion to revise the mission and authority of the Rec Department to say: To have charge of all youth activities and to operate the designated areas of the Community Center. Treg seconds that motion. Motion approved.

**Director's Report:**

A) Portuguese Festival activities – Brandon reports that the time for the Kids Fishing Derby (on June 27<sup>th</sup>) has been changed to 12pm-2pm and has been moved to MacMillan's Pier this year. At 2:30pm there will be a new event called Crate Races on the pier. Kids (ages 6 & up) and adults will be able to participate in this event. The Kids Games (on June 28<sup>th</sup>) at Motta Field will be run differently this year. The Rec Dept staff will be running the games "Carnival-style" with a variety of carnival games for kids to play. Kids will be able to earn tickets that they can redeem at the prize table. Also, the time for this event is now 10am-12pm.

B) East End Playground update – Brandon reports that the Rec Dept is almost at the bidding stage for updating the East End Playground. The DPW is working on the specs to send it out to bid. Barbara Rushmore is putting in a new sign for the playground.

**Assistant Director's Report:**

A) Spring Sports (Baseball/t-ball, flag football, softball) – Angelina reports that this week starts the Rec spring sports for 2014. Softball is combined with the Truro Rec Department and will be playing in Truro. Baseball/T-ball (grades K-2) will be played in Provincetown starting this week. Flag football is being offered again this year to grades 3 & up. This is an opportunity for the children in town to learn a new sport.

Treg makes a motion to adjourn meeting, second by Elisabeth.

Meeting adjourned at 5:48 pm.