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Recreation Committee Minutes
June 2, 2011, 6:30 p.m.
Brooklyn Community Building

Jill Van Den Eng called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m. Jill Van Den Eng, Helen McCord, Dorothy Frandy, Stacy Wolfe and Tari Lust were in attendance.

Lust made a motion to approve meeting minutes from May. Frandy seconded. All voted aye. Motion passed.

The budget was reviewed. All but two baskets have been picked up and paid for from the silent auction at Dime a Dip.

Summer Youth Recreation was discussed. A new five-gallon cooler for water or lemonade will need to be purchased for the summer program since there is no water fountain at Legion Park.

Wolfe talked to Heart of Brooklyn about children being sent to the program from the daycare. Parents sign a form releasing responsibility from Heart of Brooklyn during program hours. The committee agreed that parents of children attending Heart of Brooklyn need to sign the same discipline form other parents fill out, stating that disruptive children will be sent back to the daycare and will not be allowed to return to the program.

Field trips will be on Thursdays now. The program runs from Monday through Thursday, making Friday field trips a disruption to the schedule.

Registration and orientation for Summer Youth Recreation will occur on June 22 from 5-7 p.m. The program starts on June 27.

McCord made a motion to hire Shauna Slack as an assistant for the Summer Youth Recreation program for \$9 an hour for 16 to 18 hours a week. Lust seconded. All members voted aye. No nays. Motion passed.

The committee is requesting authority to hire a second assistant for the program.

The July 4th Celebration plans were discussed. Frandy talked to Mike Mason, leader of The Black Sheep. He confirmed his band will play in the shelter at Legion Park from 7-9 p.m. on July 4.

Frandy also put donation cans at local businesses for this year's and future fireworks in the Village of Brooklyn.

Frandy is working on making signs to advertise the celebration and acknowledge contributors.

Popcorn has been ordered to sell at the event a local Boy Scouts troop will sell soda.

The first Get Fit Brooklyn bike ride of the season occurred on June 1st. Six kids and four adults were in attendance. The rides will continue on Wednesday nights at 6 p.m. at Legion Park. They take about 45 minutes and are open to anyone who shows up.

Van Den Eng suggested looking into the Brooklyn recreation e-mail account to send updates to community members about upcoming events.

Upcoming events for the Oregon Calendar of Events include movie nights starting in October.

Website updates should be sent to Van Den Eng, who can compile them and send them to the clerk's office.

McCord made a motion to adjourn at 7:32 p.m. Frandy seconded. All voted aye. Motion passed.