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Recreation Committee Agenda
Thursday, February 6, 2014 7:30 pm
Brooklyn Community Building

Meeting was called to order at 7:42pm. Stacey Hardy (chair), Brit Springer, Dorothy Frandy (trustee), Tari Lust and Sheri Maass were in attendance. Karley Forstrom, Summer Harnack and Susan McCullam were also in attendance.

Frandy made a motion to approve the minutes from January 2, 2014 meeting. Springer seconded. All voted aye – motion passed.

New committee member(s) were not on the boards last agenda so they will go on the February agenda for approval.

Dana Leikness – Oregon Youth Softball – Brooklyn Field Development Fundraiser was unable to attend the meeting so this will be tabled until March/April.

Susan McCallum wanted to speak about the recreation committee having some enrichment classes at the community building for school age children. The Oregon School District currently does this with the classes being held at the Brooklyn Elementary School. This is something the committee will look into.

Budget was reviewed.

Get Fit yoga classes started January 13th and the attendance is going strong. We usually have 12 – 20 people attending the Monday and Thursday night classes. Saturday morning class is a little smaller – with approximately 8-10 attending. Springer will have the Oregon Chamber promote the yoga classes. Frandy made a motion to approve Hardy be reimbursed \$151.75 for Get Fit exercise equipment. Maass seconded. All voted aye – motion passed. We have had some feedback that everyone loves the yoga classes – but, they would also like to see another type of class (ie. Zumba, etc). The committee will look into possibly adding another class.

Movie Night attendance has been 15-25 people – with concession sales going good. We are having a double feature on March 1st – 1st movie will start at 5:00 with doors opening at 4:30; 2nd movie will start at 7:00. We are thinking of having Movie Night extend into April & May – we will discuss this at the next meeting.

Dime A Dip is approaching. Hardy is updating the call list – to be distributed to committee members at the April meeting.

Rec Run is going to be June 14th – run starting at 8:00am and walk starting at 8:15am. Hardy has updated the registration form and the sponsorship form.

Farmers Market planning is in progress – Hardy will attend the Dane County-Madison Farmers market managers meeting in March. Hardy had talked to a former farmers market vendor and she stated that starting out with a monthly farmers market or bi-monthly farmers market might be a good idea. Maass suggested teaming up with an already established farmers market to promote each other. We will discuss further at the next meeting.

4th of July – Frandy is forming a subcommittee. Rain date has been confirmed with the entertainment (Distant Cuzins) and Fireworks (Dan Dean) for July 5th.

Hardy suggested having a community picnic after the Rec Run – not enough time to plan it for this year – but, definitely a goal for next year.

Springer did a website update with 263 site visits from 1/1/2014 to 02/05/2014 with 159 of those being new visitors. Top visits were to Get Fit program, Movie Night, Holiday Light winners and Dime A Dip.

Hardy made a motion for Springer to make up fliers for Get Fit program. One would give discounts to businesses - 5 -10 people attending the class(es) would get 10% off, 10 or more would get 15%. The other would be a flier for Students – giving students half price rates. Frandy seconded. All voted aye – motion passed.

Frandy made a motion to adjourn at 9:10pm. Lust seconded. All voted aye – meeting adjourned.