

**Recreation & Parks**  
**February 7, 2023**  
**6:34p @ Community Center**

**Attendance:** Derek Norcross, Linda Rice Collins, Karin Ernst, Matt Martin and Rossana Ferrante

**Approval of Minutes of 1/19/2023 - move approved, all in favor**

**New Business**

- Crocker Park - Contractor given permission to leave equipment while working on house, liability insurance received and any damage done to be repaired.
- Signs @ Green Street in memory of Jeff Scogland and Reggie Hartley 18 X 18 signs. Motion made by Matt to all signs. All in favor
- Fill the cleat 1 pitch softball tournament, Sept 23 with a rain date of Sept 30. Pending insurance and arrangement of co-sponsorship
- Float Storage Agreement - add fees for maintenance to form

**Topics**

- Pickleball
  - Lisa Spinale - 8 Franklin St, Marblehead
  - Betsy Morris - Union St, Marblehead
  - Mary Jane Boudreau - 16 Prince St Marblehead
  - Pam Kelly, Marblehead
  - Re-open discussion at our next scheduled meeting
  - Approach the school to open the courts but leave the nets down
  - Johna Gregory
  - Paul Shepard, Glendale Road
  - Ginger Devlin
  - Motion made by Rossana to open the Vets courts contingent on weather above 30 degrees and no snow and ice and permission from Schools on Feb21 with the use of portable nets, any snow or ice discretion of the board or superintendent to close. Matt motion to amend to put the nets up when the courts open. Motion was not seconded. All in favor of original motion.
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- FY24 Budget Discussion
  - Monday, March 27 @ 7:00 PM Finance Budget hearing
  - Increases due to cost of materials and labor
- Memorandum Of Understanding School Discussion
  - Derek to reach out Sarah Fox for a joint meet to discuss

**Park Report**

- Landscape Donation Website - motion made to ask for split of fees. All in favor. Karin will reach out to Pal
- Stramski
  - New plumbing teacher coming out to take a look at the work
  - Carpentry teacher due back next week
  - All roughed up
  - Ramp Up to Code by Fall
  - Bids for the lift - lowest bid pulled out, 2 bids lefts. 15/17K difference
- Field Report
  - New sign installed on Field 4 at Gatchells for Sean Roy Johnson.
  - Area around the handicap ramp at Stramskis has been dug out and ledge-exposed wall blocks on site just need some temps above 32 to continue.
  - Continue to make garden improvements at Vine St.
- Foreman Report
  - Leaves at High School and Vets Courts, lowered nets at High School and locked gates per AD office.
  - Put field tarps back in place a few times.
  - Redid beach shower base, sanded and painted.
  - Cut back overgrowth Village School access road sidewalk.
  - Orne Playground by playground Vines, wild rose and dead trees removed.
  - Cleaned out Stramskis closet in basement for new water meter to be installed.
  - Small projects around shop, cleaning, and built a new tool rack for the far garage.
  - Stained bare facia at Nature Center

**Recreation Report**

- Revolving Fund
  - Status YTD
  - FY22 -Dec - July
- Programs
  - March Program Start
  - Summer Registration
  - Ski Trip
  - Daddy Daughter Dance
- New Hires

- Leonardo Rosato
  - Emma Callaghan
  - Meg Maguire
  - Kate Dulac
  - Bella Cohen
- Summer
  - Hiring
  - Programs
  - Building Attendant

#### **Correspondence**

- Burlington Public School - approved
- Jamie Slavet - pickleball email
- Maureen Rocco vets courts email

Next Meeting February 28 @ 6:30p Meeting adjourned @ 8:40 PM