

# NEW DURHAM PARKS & RECREATION COMMISSION MEETING NOTES

Wednesday, February 2021

6:30 P.M.

New Durham Town Hall, 4 Main Street, New Durham, NH

## AGENDA

- Call to Order – 6:35 p.m. Dot Veisel
- Present, Chair Dot Veisel, Vice chair Scott Goodspeed, Chad Chasse, Darlene Demerit, Mark DEntremont, town admin Scott Kidmond, recreation director Celeste chasse
- Excused absence, Carol Allan
- Public Input – (15 minutes)
- Call to order at 6:35PM

New Durham virtual via Zoom executive order number 12.

Posted according to 91 A announced by Chair Dot Veisel

## III. Agenda Review

## IV. Director's Report

Ice fishing derby- Planned for March 6<sup>th</sup>

- Prizes from donation  
Winner for each fish in each category over 18 and under 18.
- Still need 2 volunteers to do fish weigh in station.
- Need food truck or concession stand- Possibly ask General store if they would like to do food, breakfast, and lunch. Other ideas, a good food truck. Attraction.  
Other ideas, local volunteers doing food vending, discussed.  
Mark Mentioned he could volunteer to possibly sell hot drinks by Rec to raise money, among other duties.
- Recreation director Has 30 donation letters out waiting to hear back from
- Got 5 gift cards so far for prizes.
- Talk about obstacle course ideas
  - Crawl through tunnels, pop a balloon, shoot a goal in hockey net, a few more ideas, Celeste will make an obstacle course, part on land part on ice.
- Rec director explained about a resident volunteer that has plowed the ice rink.  
Celeste would like to get them a gas card with a thank you card.  
Rick Akins is the resident Celest proposed a \$50
- gift card for snow removal.
- **Under RSA 39:2-a**
  - Motion Made by Scott Good speed**
  - Go forward with approval of gas card for \$50**
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> by Chad Chasse**
  - Roll call**
  - Unanimous**
  - 5-0**
  - 1 absence**
- Revolution United

Got an email from the revolution. Tried setting up a time to have phone conversation but, have not connected yet.

- Scott Kinmond sent email and then.
  - Revolution got a rely today, so they are meeting tomorrow at 1 PM. To go over financial payments due to New Durham.
- Would like to hire another part time staff person.
  - Bingo started up again this week. and Celest would also like to use part time worker for cribbage for setup
  - And help with special events, and outdoor events.
  - Commission discussion and all unanimous supported the initiative.
  - By consensus we approved the part time higher.
- New Business
  - Meeting draft minutes review will be needed, starting next meeting we will send out the basic meeting notes and have all members review and then approve them for posting.
  - Recreation director asked about doing a beach attendant this year.
  - Commission agreed yes, we would want to, make sure we have a beach attendant.
- Meeting Schedule  
**Next meeting will be set for**  
**March 10<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 PM**  
**New Durham Town hall.**
- IX. Adjournment
- **Under RSA 39:2-a**  
Motion made by Scott Goodspeed to adjourn,  
2<sup>nd</sup> By Chad chasse.

Unanimous

Yes

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Respectfully submitted by Mark DEntremont

February 10<sup>th</sup> 2021