

Indianola Parks and Recreation Commission Meeting Minutes

The Indianola Parks and Recreation Commission held a meeting on Wednesday, March 11 at 5:00 pm at the Activity Center. Those present were:

Roger Netsch
Cyd Dyer
Jennifer Leech
Laura Beals
John Hagener
Jon Anderson

Also present were: Mike Bowlin
 Doug Bylund

Approval of Minutes

The minutes were presented for the Commission review and approval. It was moved by Dyer and seconded by Leech to approve the minutes. Unanimous approval.

Public Consideration/Correspondence

Consent Items

In packet

Consent items moved for approval by Netsch and seconded by Anderson. All in approval

Support Group Reports

Sustainability Committee: No report

Trees: No report

Park Friends: No report

FIT: An October Ride is being planned with Rotary and WCLI. There is a March 28 9:00 public input meeting regarding trails of Warren County taking place in Carlisle.

Department Heads Report

- a. Reviewed the 2015-16 department budget request.
- b. Discussed having a commission retreat to discuss director position and staffing needs for Park and Recreation. Also, a discussion on the overlap of Park and Recreation programs with other similar programs in town.
- c. It will cost \$2000.00 for the dog park lock on the main gate. This gate system would allow for the ability to sell day passes.

d. Annual report will be presented to City Council on April 6. 10-12 slides highlighting the year in Park and Recreation.

e. Discussion continues to address the need for soccer fields.

f. Talked with Scott at the YMCA about doing the 2nd grade and under programming for Super Hoopers, Get Goofy volleyball, Tiny Kickers and Kiddy Sports Camp. The price would stay the same and Y members would get a discount.

Parks: The fields are ready, the earliest ever.

Recreation: Meeting was held with competitive teams to reserve fields. Youth and adult basketball finished. Gearing up for outside activities.

Council Reports

None

Commission Member Comments, Reports

no report

Next Meeting

The next meeting will be April 8, 2015 at the Activity Center at 5:00pm

It was moved by Hagener and seconded by Anderson to adjourn the meeting at 6:18 pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Jennifer Leech