

The Parks and Recreation Commission, Berlin, WI is Called to Order at 4:40pm, April 3, 2019, by Charlie Beard.

Roll Call:

Present: Charlie Beard, Felicia Page, Glenn Hameister, Kimberly Nikolai, Jerry Bella, Josh Nigbor

Absent: Victoria Hill

Also Present: Scott Zabel, Sara Nighbor

We have a quorum for the meeting.

**General Public Comments:** Michelle Cassidy from the Berlin Farmers and Artists Market talked about their summer activities. On August 20, 2019, there will be small animal demonstrations at Nathan Strong Park. June 18-chickens, July 16-bunnies, August 20-bee keeping and Essential Oils and Pets educational workshop, September 17-goats. They would also like dogs to be allowed in the Park August 20, 2019, because they would like to demonstrate applying essential oils to them. They will have poop bags available as well and they are also will to be responsible for the clean up after the animals leave. Jerry Bella made a motion to approve the schedule, and Felicia Page seconded. The motion was passed.

**Approval of the minutes:**

A motion is made by Felicia Page to approve the minutes of the March 6, 2019 meeting. Jerry Bella seconded. The motion is passed.

**Review and Approval of P&R Monthly Expenditure and Revenue Accounts:**

A motion is made by Felicia Page to approve the Parks and Recreation 2019 expenditure accounts, seconded by Jerry Bella. The motion passed.

A motion is made by Jerry Bella to approve the 2019 Parks and Recreation revenue accounts, seconded by Kimberly Nikolai. The motion passed.

**Public Appearances:** none

**New Business:**

A.) Color Run

Carol Fehring from All Saints Catholic Church requested approval to have a Color Run during their annual church picnic on June 23, 2019. It will be one mile long and there will be two color stations all the way and one at the end. They are estimating 50 people that are interested in participating in the run, and each participant will receive one color packet to throw in the air at the end. There will also be a balloon arch. All Saints will be responsible for the clean-up; however the color will be left in the park. It will go away with the rain. Jerry Bella made a motion to approve the color run. Kimberly Nikolai seconded. The motion passed.

B.) Update on the bench painting competition

Sara Nighbor presented on the progress of the bench painting competition. She reached out to both the Boy Scouts and the Berlin High School Woods Class. Both are willing to make the benches. AARP has a grant available that she will be applying for. She is hoping to be able to start building the benches next month.

**Adjourn:**

A motion is made by Charlie Beard to adjourn. The motion was seconded by Jerry Bella.

Next Meeting date-May 1, 2019