

Phippsburg Rec. Meeting October 2, 2024

Present: Amy Burden, Cathy Thomas, Jula Koehling, Amber Mixon, Tammy Doran
Selectperson Rep: Anna Varian

Meetings are to change and become more structured.

Treasurer's Report-

- Minott Walking Path: \$21,397.32
- Rec General Account: \$20,372.91
- Cathy is waiting for the 2 laptops from audit; hasn't got them back, yet.

Trick or Trunk-

- Callie Wells of the PTA suggested providing some lighting at Trick or Trunk. Amy suggested Panda park the Fire Truck at the other end of the parking lot with the headlights pointing down the length of the parking lot.
- We may have a police car, too.
- Four cars have been signed up so far.
- Amber will be away, but will help as much as possible before leaving. She has leftover water, 16-24 smartfood popcorn single serving bags, and juice boxes from movie night. Cathy will pick up some apple cider.
- Will have table set up with refreshments and to receive donation of nonperishable food items for Bath Area Food Bank.

Community Calendar-

- Orders have been placed. Amber spoke to Tina and Bethany and placed same order as last year; not all prepaid; she will track the payments down. Missed the deadline for Sept 15 due to timing, learning curve, and lack of ordering software.
- The calendar ordering software is on the laptops with the auditor; we really need them back.

Aquaboggan Tickets-

- Arrived late; still have some. Cathy checked; no expiration date, luckily, as they are closed now for the season.

Calendar Photo Submissions-

- Cathy to give winner her \$50 Amazon gift card.

Brainstorm for Next Rec Flyer-

- Tammy to bring a copy of last year's Dec Jan Feb flyer to work on 2024-25 flyer.
- Nutrition Class - Only 1 person signed up, so will offer again on Tuesdays in January 2025, 6:30-7:30PM. **Need 6 minimum for the class.**
- Red Cross Babysitters 1-day Course - Jula said Ben Huebler is willing to teach a 4-hour CPR class, affordable for kids/community-maybe a Saturday in January? Will

have some dates at next meeting for the next flyer. Nick Craney is getting CPR dummies and babysitter software; they have pediatric info.

- Marriner's Tickets next flyer? Should buy tickets for January or later? (they play through April)
- Family Game Night this winter. Will try for January or February; will **choose date at next meeting**. Need advance notice because we provide pizza (& could provide cocoa) for families during Game Night. Could have corn hole (Jula & Tammy), ladder ball, Giant Jenga (Amber), puzzles & board games in gym. Anna suggested 5 stations; kids get a sticker at each station they play, and those who earned 5 stickers get to claim a prize from the prize table.
- Rec could have a wrapping table at the Scholarship Craft Fair on December 7. Amber spoke to Shana & Callie about a free gift wrapping table; they liked the idea and are on board. Anna would like to use the Art Rm for her reuse table.

Rec Field Use-

- Emily consolidated the release forms to one page; looks great.
- Cornhole Tournament went great! They will have a bake sale on Election Day. Project Graduation goal is usually \$35,000 for whitewater rafting trip.
- Anna asked if the school and Rec has an agreement or MOA for use of the ballfield.
- Cathy will check with Tina. Jula will check with Ross. Tammy will look in the office files.
- There was some concern about strangers out on the walking path during school hours while children were playing outside on the ballfield.
- Suggested having summer sign stating available sun up to sun down, and a separate sign stating that during school year, the path is available before and after school hours. But the idea was the walking path was for the whole community to use. Maybe sign could say: "During school hours, please be mindful students may be using the field. Please register in the school office at 389-1514." Need to come to terms on sign wording.
- Suggest a video camera be installed by school and aimed toward car area and field. If there happened to be an issue, the car license and person's picture would be on record.

Minott Walking Path Sign-

- We need to put up the sign, currently in the shed, states the rules for walking path

Copier-Let it go?

- Rec Board voted a unanimous yes.
- Cathy will call Toshiba to schedule a pickup.

Next Meeting: November 6, 2024 at 6PM