NORTH HAMPTON RECREATION COMMISSION MEETING DRAFT MEETING MINUTES MAY 2023

In attendance: Danielle Strater, Pete Brogowski, Marty Tavitian, Willow Foley, Jane Morse, Joe Manzi, Kristina Chiumento, Molly Peterson, Dale Rocheford, Kathy Lochiatto

Willow called the meeting to order at 6:08. There were no citizen's comments.

Molly and Christina were introduced to the Commission and well received as they bring so much experience and excitement to the summer programs.

Dale made a motion to accept the April meeting minutes, seconded by Marty and agreed upon by all present.

Memorial Day BBQ:

Joe, Jane and Kathy have secured all ingredients for the event and all who can volunteer have agreed to meet at 9:00 at the school. The parade will begin at the Stone Building and march to the school. After the ceremony the BBQ will begin.

The NHBA contributed 100.00 for this event, Home Depot 50.00, Hannaford 50.00 and Shaw's 25.00 and Dunkins 100 munchkins. Kathy will grill, bring coolers, tools and food to serve. Jane has paper goods and table cloths. The school will provide tables and chairs and allow the public to use the restrooms.

Old Home Day:

The fireworks are booked. The 5K road race route has been determined and the permit has been sent to the state. Joe has reached out to the auction company again and we will be looking for sponsors again this year. There will be a Friday night event at Centennial Hall with food, drink and entertainment. Joe is asking Drew to perform again this year as a solo. We will look at options for bartending and food. There will no dunk tank so the NHFD is looking at options to sponsor.

NHYA:

There will be a pre-K through 4th grade baseball program this summer and parent volunteering is much appreciated. The travel soccer teams registration will be open for sign-ups. Exeter is renting field time at Knowles. Adult Softball League may be starting a week early with 16 participants per team.

Scholarship program:

The official card is Are You In and those members pre-registered with the program will automatically get the scholarship rate.

Family Fun Night:

This fun event will be held 6/30 from 6:00 to 8:00 at Dearborn Park. More planning and details to follow.

Sagamore Golf Tourney:

Kristina is planning this event to to be held either 9/18 or 9/25 at Sagamore Golf in N Hampton. It is hoped there will be a minimum of 41 registrants . Costs will vary based on holes played, either 9 holes for 46.00 plus fee to register or 18 holes for 73.00 plus fee. This includes a cart. There will be hats, tees, etc for prizes. Including one for a hole-in-one.This event will benefit Parks and Recreation.

Willow made a motion to adjourn at 7:13, seconded by Kathy and agree upon by all.