

**VILLAGE OF CHERRY VALLEY, ILLINOIS
RECREATION BOARD MEETING
WEDNESDAY JUNE 1, 2016**

Chairman Lori Kuhn called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM. A Roll Call was taken by Heather Church:

MEMBERS:	DINA BRANDT	ABSENT	DAN JAROCKI	PRESENT
	JILL WEDIG	ABSENT	NATALIE SCIBONA	PRESENT
	TINA KITCHEN	PRESENT	STACEY CHESTER	PRESENT

YOUTH MEMBERS: LUCA BRANDT ABSENT

Others Present: Trustee Dave Schroeder, President Jim E. Claeysen, and Sergeant Jesse Pearse

ADOPT THE AGENDA: Natalie Scibona moved to adopt the amended agenda. *Under New Business add item 8. Newsletter.* Stacey Chester seconded. Motion carried.

Jill Wedig, Dina Brandt and Luca Brandt entered at 7:06 PM.

APPROVE THE MINUTES: Natalie Scibona moved to approve the minutes from the May 4, 2016 meeting. Stacey Chester seconded. Motion carried.

EX-OFFICIO'S REPORT: DAVID SCHROEDER. Ex-officio Dave Schroeder reported that the Village will start sending out the newsletter 3 times a year and that the Recreation Board need to get all of their events to Kathy Trimble by first thing Thursday June 2, 2016 so that the newsletter can be sent to the printers.

PUBLIC COMMENT: None.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

1. **Youth Fishing** - See Mike Mungor's report attached.
2. **Sandbox Fill** - 10 yards sand cost \$30 more than budgeted; the additional \$30 came out of the Recreation Boards Miscellaneous Funds. The sand was gone in less than a week. Nothing else reported.

NEW BUSINESS:

1. **National Night Out (August 2, 2016)** - Sergeant Pearse took the floor and discussed what he has ready for National Night Out on August 2, 2016 at the Baseball Diamond. Sergeant Pearse asked if Recreation Board would assist with prize donations. President Jim E. Claeysen will contact Coley's Coolers to see if they would like to participate in National Night Out. Scott Kramer will provide his PA system to use. Sergeant Pearse told Recreation Board that there has to be someone supervising the bouncy house, last year the bounce house was shut down due to too many kids being too rough. Recreation Board decided to do a kick ball game instead of a whiffle ball game this year and will ask Citizen of

the Year Jean Johnson if she would roll out the first pitch to start the night. Dan Jarocki will get the kick balls. Jill Wedig will get 30 t-shirts (2 colors) with logo on front-no numbers on back. Sergeant Pearse asked if the volunteers could arrive as close to 5:00 PM as possible but understands that people will just be getting off work. Dan Jarocki moved to request up to \$500.00 for National Night Out to purchase t-shirts, prizes and gift cards. Jill Wedig seconded. Motion carried by voice vote.

2. **Citizen of the Year** - Lori Kuhn and Jill Wedig will pass out cupcakes and refreshments and handle the cleanup at the June 7, 2016 Village Board meeting.
3. **Movie Night (June 18, 2016)** - Movie will start once it is dark. Dan Jarocki will email Public Works Director Chuck Freeman to make sure the lights are off and garbage cans will be ready for that night. Village Hall staff will make sure the popcorn and movie is accessible to Recreation Board. Nothing else reported.
4. **Garden Walk (June 26, 2016)** - The Garden walk is from noon to 4 PM rain or shine. Flyers and posters have been printed and will be distributed to local businesses around town in the next week. There will be 10 homes and 1 business participating. Nothing else reported.
5. **4th of July** - Jill Wedig confirmed that the Fire Trucks are ready. Lori Kuhn reported that the Northern Illinois Corvette Club will have 15 - 20 cars participating. Stacey Chester will be in charge of the parade line up. Trustees and citizen of the year will judge the “anything with wheels” participants. Jill Wedig will put the flags along the route. Dina Brandt will put together the goody bags and get the DQ gift cards. Dina and Luca Brandt will lead the kids on their bikes. The parade will end at Baumann Park. Dina Brandt moved to request up to \$700.00 for the 4th of July Parade. Jill Wedig seconded. Motion carried by voice vote. Nothing else reported.
6. **Street Dance (September 17, 2016)** - Waiting to hear back from 4 bands that have been contacted. All are within recreation boards budgeted amount. Nothing to report at this time.
7. **T- Shirts** - Recreation Board decided on a red tye-dye t- shirt to wear in the summer and to any of their warm events and will be purchasing jackets that they will pay for out of pocket. Nothing else reported.
8. **Newsletter** - Dina Brandt will email Kathy Trimble with the July and August events. Nothing else reported.

ADJOURNMENT: Chairman Kuhn entertained a motion to adjourn. Dan Jarocki moved to adjourn at 8:26 PM. Jill Wedig seconded. Motion carried.

Minutes recorded by Heather Church

Minutes reviewed by Chairman Kuhn June 13, 2016.

Memo to: Cherry Valley Recreation Board
 From: Mike Mungor
 Re: Spring 2016 Youth Fishing Tournament
 Date: May 14, 2016

The Spring 2016 Youth Fishing Tournament was held on Saturday May 14th. Cold (40 deg.), windy conditions did not dampen the spirits of those kids who participated. Attendance was quite good despite the weather conditions. The 22 participants were:

Name	Age	School
Blake Sanders	5	White Swan
Noah Janesak	6	White Swan
Shane Weber	7	Parker
Carter Deutsch	7	St. Rita
Heidi Bontjes	8	White Swan
Caelen Janesak	8	White Swan
Isaiah Carter	8	Froeberg
Evan Bate	8	Ringwood
Jackson Fletcher	8	Rockford Christian
Cole Roach	9	Monroe Center
Kent Bontjes	9	CV
Gavin Stephens	9	Poplar Grove
Brandt Water	10	Monroe Center
Aiden Bousom	10	Carlson
Erik Bate	10	James C Bush Elementary
Jaxson Weisser	11	Rolling Green
Jamison Gable	12	Flinn
Jack Osborne	13	St. Peter
Ben Taylor	13	St. Peters
Zander Guttridge	13	Flinn
Ashley Gotsch	13	Immanuel Luth Belvidere
Lauren Chester	14	Immanuel Luth Belvidere

Grand Prizes (\$25 MC gift cards) were awarded to largest fish caught of different species. Winners were:

Zander Guttridge 7" Bass
 Carter Deutsch 9" Crappie
 Heidi Bontjes/Shane Weber (same family, shared prize) 7.5" Bluegill

Winner of the "guess the number of fish crackers and gummy worms in the fishbowl" contest was Lauren Chester with a guess of 234. Actual count was 246.

Grab bag items (fishing lures) were available for all participants.

AGENDA
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RECREATION BOARD
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7:00 PM

CHAIRMAN: LORI KUHN

MEMBERS: DINA BRANDT STACEY CHESTER
 TINA KITCHEN DAN JAROCKI
 JILL WEDIG NATALIE SCIBONA

YOUTH MEMBERS: Luca Brandt

ROLL CALL:

ADOPT THE AGENDA:

APPROVE THE MINUTES: May 4, 2016.

PUBLIC COMMENT:

EX-OFFICIO REPORT: David Schroeder.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

1. Youth Fishing Tournament
2. Sandbox Fill

NEW BUSINESS:

1. National Night Out
2. Citizen of the Year
3. Movie Night
4. Garden Walk
5. 4th of July
6. Street Dance
7. T-Shirts

ADJOURNMENT:

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