

PARKS & RECREATION BOARD MINUTES
APRIL 14, 2014

Present: Gary Sieckman, Wade Middaugh, David Mars, Mary Logsdon, and Vee Fasciotti.

Absent: Chairman Mike Fulca.

Guests: Stephanie Jackson with Ashland Assembly of God Church.

Gary Sieckman called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

Gary Sieckman called for any amendments or additions to the agenda dated 04-14-2014. With none, the agenda is approved.

Gary Sieckman called for amendments or changes to the minutes dated 03-10-2014. With none, Gary Sieckman called for a motion to approve the minutes as written. Vee Fasciotti made the motion. David Mars seconded the motion. Motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS:

OLD BUSINESS:

1. ***Easter Egg Hunt*** - Vee Fasciotti stated she wished there were more participation by the board at the event. However she stated the attendance and weather were excellent. 3,000 eggs were put out for the hunt and total cost of the event was \$179.00.
2. ***2014 Ashland Fall Festival*** - Wade Middaugh stated the festival account has \$465 thus far. Vee Fasciotti and Wade will get together on hiring the first band now that funds are available. The Board discussed several options for replacing the two events that were pulled from this year. Vee Fasciotti mentioned a hula hoop contest. Wade Middaugh stated he would like to see the event or events be child related like a sack race, three legged race, or tug of war. The board discussed this and decided to finalize the new events at the May meeting. Mary Logsdon stated she would like to see recycle containers placed at the festival as well.
3. ***Long Range Planning Discussion*** - Wade Middaugh notified the board that the city budget for FY2015 has been passed by the Board of Aldermen. However, the proposed overlay for the City Park Fitness Trail was not added to the budget.

DISCUSSION:

1. Vee Fasciotti stated that at the Easter Egg Hunt she noticed a large whole/crack in the tennis courts. She asked Wade to have someone look at it for possible repair. She also notified the board that the 4 trees that the Ashland Garden Club were donating to the City Park have been planted. There will be 2 more trees planted by the garden club in the near future. The board thanked the garden club for their donations.
2. Wade Middaugh announced that Dusty Weter has resigned from the board.

GUEST COMMENTS:

Gary Sieckman called for a motion to adjourn the meeting. Wade Middaugh made the motion, Mary Logsdon seconded. Meeting was adjourned at 7:15 p.m.



A. Wade Middaugh
Utility Clerk/Park Board Secretary

Mike Fulca
Park Board Chairman