

RECREATION COMMISSION APRIL 20, 2009

MEMBERS:

Tom Schwarzweller, Chairman
Tom Adams, Co- Chairman
Karen Guidarelli
Amy Ferg
Denee Martin
Karen Freeland

Also present:

Mark Cain, Recreation Director, **Members of the Farmington Chamber Of Commerce, Cal Cobb, Sherry Canzano, Diane Mordue, Sue Stehling.**
The meeting began at 7:00 PM.

Mr. Schwarzweller and recreation members made introductions and welcomed the Farmington Chamber of Commerce members to their meeting.

MINUTES:

Ms. Martin made a motion to approve the March 9, 2009 minutes, seconded by Ms. Freeland. All member voted "aye" to approve the minutes.

SUMMER RECREATION:

Mr. Cain said that he has been in contact with the Ontario County workforce and will be asking for approximately six assistance in addition to the regular summer recreation staff.
Mr. Cain said that the summer recreation program will need to hire 3-4 assistants, 2-3 leaders, and 4 C.I.T.'s.
Summer recreation employee interviews will be held on May 18, 2009 at 6:00 PM.
Registration will be held on June 1, June 3, June 8, and June 10.
Mr. Cain will place an ad in the Penny Saver on May 2, 2009.
Mr. Cain would like to schedule the CPR class on June 13 (4hrs) and first aid class on June 6 (3hrs).

JULY 3 CELEBRATION:

The members of the Farmington Chamber of Commerce said that they will help in any way they can. They would like to have a booth selling pulled pork sandwiches and to pass out information.
Mr. Schwarzweller talked about the possibility of using corporate sponsors in the future.
Everyone discussed the need to have more advertising about the available food at the celebration.
All the members discussed the recent surveys the town has mailed out to random homes.
Mr. Schwarzweller will place a blog on the recreation web page letting the public know that these surveys will be coming out.
Mr. Schwarzweller will e-mail Mr. Cobb whom will place a message in the next Chamber of Commerce news letter about the July 3 celebration.

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EASTER EGG HUNT:

The Easter Egg hunt went well despite the bad weather. A suggestion was made to have jobs available for the student volunteers.

MERTENSIA PARK:

Mertensia Park is scheduled to open May 30, 2009 with a ribbon cutting ceremony at 10:00.

Ms. Martin passed out information on area parks with pavilions and what is charged to rent them.

The next meeting will be held on MAY 18, 2009 AT 6:00 for interviews.

Mr. Schwarzweller made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 9:00, seconded by Mr. Adams. All members voted "aye" to adjourn.

Mary Richter, Clerk of the Board recorded the minutes.