## **RECREATION AND FACILITIES**

6:10, JUNE 2, 2020

PRESENT; RON STEPHENS, ANTHONY TAYLOR, TONI HARPER,
DEBBIE WOLFE, GUESTS; SALLY GRIMM, TRACY SHAHAN

## **OLD BUSINESS:**

- 1. According to the Governor's COVID19 directive, playgrounds will not be opened until July 1, 2020. At the present time, the Village of Bremen is not in compliance.
- 2. The Park Parking lot has been patched.
- 3. The pool has been power washed and will be repaired. On opening day, the pool will operate under the new guidelines set forth by the governor for the new COVID 19 standards.
- 4. Trent Johns has been hired as the Manager/lifeguard. Ben Johns and Lilly Young have been hired as the head lifeguards. There are 10 guards in total that will complete the roster for the 2020 summer season. One candidate will be on standby, once that person meets all the requirements for a lifeguard. The recertification of lifeguards will take place at the Pleasantville pool on Thursday, June 4, 2020. The full certification class for all other lifeguards will take place the week of June 8. It was also discussed that the lifeguards will be reimbursed for the class expenses.
- 5. On Sunday, May 31 a special meeting was held to update the admission charges for the 2020 season.
- 6. At this meeting, it was clarified what the temporary fixes would be to get the pool ready for the 2020 season. Dan Rutherford will complete the caulking around all seams that need attention. Anthony Taylor will put a temporary patch on the two holes in the walls of the pool. In September, after the pool has been closed, American Leak will come in and fix all the problem areas. Sally Grimm said if there was any additional damage, as a result of the temporary fixes, she and Terry will cover any expenses might incur.

- 7. Sally made mention that she and Ron will begin to look at grants that will help Bremen build a new larger swimming pool that will be handicapped accessible, along with a new baby pool.
- 8. The community Yard Sale will be Saturday, June 20, 2020.
- 9. The drinking fountain needs repair.
- 10. A water hydrant will be installed outside the Concession Stand.

## **NEW BUSINESS:**

- 1. The CDBG grant awarded Bremen \$49,000 for a new playground. The funding will not be available until the 2021 season. At that time, James Mako, along with the consultant will guide the village through the process. In the meantime, I will give any papers to Lisa that have been accumulated for the grant.
- 2. At the CDBG meeting, I spoke about obtaining funding for the walking track that Cenell Boch had written. It was suggested that we might find an appropriate grant from ODNR.
- 3. Ron is in the process of hiring an Engineering firm for the village of Bremen.
- 4. We need three contractors to give bits on repainting the Shelter House roof, and repair/replacement of the Restroom/ Concession Stand roof.
- 5. Anthony has procured Forward Vending to install four vending machines at the pool. This company will provide a weekly printout of profits and sales.
- 6. It was ok'd that Val start collecting money for admission passes. Toni proposed that it would be best to use the 10 admissions for \$25. Each time it is used, it will be punched. The pool is not responsible for any lost passes. If there is money left over from pool pass donations, the money will be put in the pool line budget for 2021.
- 7. Tracy Shahan will be asking for people to adopt a flower bed.
- 8. The Community Clean-up Day will take place on Saturday, June 6 from 8-12.

9. Sam Schmelzer will work at the park to complete French class requirements.

7:30

Chair, Deborah Wolfe