Minutes of the Hanover Parks and Recreation Committee Meeting held March 3, 2015

Present: Steve Geddes, Mike Tivnan, Kelly, Gina, April

Also Present: Lauren, Art, Kim Leigh, Ryan Bruder

Meeting called to order at 7:08

WATD – Michelle Bermis (sp?) want to use The Grove to do a zip type trip. May 29th Friday. 5am – 11am. We all feel that this would be a good idea.

Open space concerned with the hunters. Going to meeting at open space

James Dunphy former asst director works for North Face want to do a fun run trail day at FPP in August. They do not have liability insurance, wants to do as a back to school day. see if open space will do trail tours.

Should we establish a policy that anyone running a major event at the park has to partner with us.

Next meeting we will come up with policies about major events. And discuss the north face event at the April meeting

Ryan Bruder a scout looking to do a project at the rec center. We spoke at an earlier meeting about making the backyard more playable for the kids, as it is a mud pit. We could also do a lean-to. We cannot contribute and funds to the project, but the scout can get contributions from local suppliers. April 7th we will have a list of needs for Ryan.

Katie Duff – Hanover Day – June 19th & 20th. Carnival on Friday night need selectman approval still – crafts on Saturday and fireworks. Insurance is covered by the town for the Cultural Council. Is insurance required for the vendors? A liability form was signed/initialed by the vendors that are coming this year. The carnival has their own insurance. It is a very successful event. Fire and police chiefs are involved.

Lauren will let hyaa know that and all permit holders that Hanover day will be setting up early in the week and that it will be closed Friday and Saturday night.

Park and rec will be set up at our tent near the bathrooms. Katie will place our registration link on her page.

Nancy Devlin and Donna Pineau—here about the dog park. We are not looking to take away a ball park and give a dog park. They are looking for an area that has parking and plenty of it. Donna was thinking that a dog park would be good at FPP. Randolph has a dog park, and he might have more information. They are looking to possibly have a permit needed to use the park, another area would be possibly behind shaws.

Or the land behind the senior center that is ours. They will talk to Robin Mitton.

Gazebo now to begin construction labor day.

Mr Griffin – dropping off check next week, wants to know about the status of the plaque, we will keep it there in perpetuity. With no guarantees about the life of the tree.

Last meeting minutes reviewed, April makes a motion to accept them, and Steve seconded it. All in favor.

We are looking to have a new fee structure in place. We need to get Norwell's fee schedule, Art has this and Lauren will get it.

Meeting adjorned at 8:30

Mike moves to adjourn. April seconds the motion.

VOTE - All in favor

Adjournment at 8:30pm