

Bare Cove Park Committee Minutes

Tuesday, July 19, 2022

In attendance: Claudia Eaton, Lauren Murphy, Karen Trask, Ray O'Neill, Ted Matthews, Rik Johnson

Absent: Katie Puzo, Michael Cioffi

Guests: Amber Gladeau, Julie O'Brien (South School PTO)

Meeting called to order at 7:00 pm

- Reviewed and Accepted June Meeting Minutes - Approved
- Ranger's Report (Scott McMillan) - Approved
 - Downed trees. Dump. Mowing roadsides/fields. Trimmed low hanging branches.
 - Museum open June 26th and July 10 (37 people on the 10th)
 - Beer truck is gone. Rowing team fence has been tucked away for season (7 month lease).
 - Graffiti - went to police station, met with Detective Gervasi. Thinks possibly people from The Cove.
 - Have tagged kiosks by bunker alley, the cove, the museum, and one overlooking water as well as benches and trash barrel covers.
 - Painted over the trash barrel covers - haven't tagged those again.
 - Two new signs are in at Sheltry Path
 - Have trash barrels in building 80
 - Hingham Rec camp on Mondays - on 11th opened the museum for them.
 - Dropped off lawn mower at DPW to get blades changed. Ordered part for tailgate on pickup (torsion bar).
- Treasurer's Report - Approved
 - Salary. Fuel. Misc - for party.
 - \$2600 under budget for fiscal year
- November South School Race
 - Family fun race - Amber and Julie
 - Saturday, November 19th (always Saturday before Thanksgiving).
 - Historically in Liberty Pole, last year due to security/safety concerns did it in Bare Cove Park and had positive feedback.
 - Event is 9am - 12pm but usually over by 10. Arrival 7:30 to setup.
 - Approx 200 participants last year.

- Office Kilroy - available if needed. No EMT - several mothers who are MDs will be at event.
- Will let police and fire dept (EMT) know about event in the park and obtain porta potty. First aid tent. Map of race (will be Conservatory Loop). Have tents and water stations. Volunteers will clean up after event.
- Off leash day. Committee to consider lawn signs signage for day of events. Fliers ahead of time. Alert public on social media as well.
 - Ray to look into temporary generic signs that could be used for any event on off-leash days alerting people to keep dogs on leash in area of event while it is occurring
- Motion to approve South School Race on November 19 - Approved
- Paul Daly, Derby Cross Country Coach - Tabled
 - Unable to attend in person today, will come in August
- Security System for the Dock House, waterfront area, and electrical requirements
 - Discuss with Building Commissioner how to obtain power (have him join a meeting?) - Ted. Waiver to go through Hingham Woods or Beals Cove. Poles are there. Need road/poles for access.
 - Harbor master has cameras through harbor. Can we tie into system? \$1100 for equipment from eastern alarm for dockhouse, but need electricity.
 - Have had proposals from community members who would need power
 - Events requiring power
 - Well for water?
 - CPC
 - Funding for power
 - Feasibility study
 - Motion to approve going forward with CPC application for power and feasibility study - approved
 - CPC subgroup - Claudia, Rik, Katie, Michael
- Further discussion on projects for the park and 2022 goals
 - Hanover Park and Rec are looking to come to Bare Cove Park on 8/3 from approximately 10-1 as a summer recreation group. 50 kids + 5 adults to do some trail walking, a picnic lunch, and outdoor activities. Ted will follow up on details and have them fill out the permit application.
- Signage
 - Completed previous signage project
 - New project - temporary signs for events occurring on off-leash days
- Items not anticipated on the Agenda. Public Discussion
 - Dewitt Delawter retired from the committee, his 10+ years of service are appreciated.

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Next Meeting; 8/16/22, 7pm by zoom

Lauren Murphy