

Notes from Moreau Rec Commission Meeting 10/4/2010

Members present - John Farrell, Elizabeth Lanfear, Frank LaBarge, Andy Laing, Keith Kreppein, Garth Baker, Bob Vittengl . Ryan Dennis absent due to work and Steve Gram was ill .

Rec commission discussed progress of signage for Mike Nolan basketball court with tentative dedication on 10/23/2010 at park at 11 am , will review final plans with family and will bring final plans to Joe Patrick for sign permit. Need for landscaping after sign was installed . Keith Kreppein is also working on community sign board for Route 9 in front of highway dept , and Andy Laing will create banners for special events , etc on completion by 12/1/2010.

Motion was made that the Town of Moreau and Little League upgrade the existing concession stand bldg with a small addition to be added to the east end of bldg for serving area approx 10 - 12 ft wide by 36 ft long with a wrapping roof to make bldg look like American Legion concession stand , stone work approx 36 " from base , replace existing roof , and provide privacy stalls for bathrooms. Also a barrier will be installed to prevent access to roadway with a designated crossway to bath house on other side. Little league has committed \$8,000 to project in cash and the town would match funds to get started . Little league will also search for donated materials such as blocks , stone etc , and possible donated labor. Time table would be plans and possible slab this fall and construction at the end of playoffs approx 2011 so this will be ready to go in 2012 season. Votes 6 for 1 opposed - Liz Lanfear passed on to board for approval.

Another discussion about fees for field usage , members stated that a workshop was necessary , members of girls' softball and little were present and discussed possible fee schedule and new fees to use concession stands. Groups felt the fee to use concession was high since they helped build facilities , and this would reduce revenue , but they were in favor of a sign in sheet with walk thru of stand before and after event with a deposit to be held by town . Commission will meet to have a workshop on 10/19/2010 at 7 pm to further discuss .

The town highway dept is expected to finish off the parking lot with stone , and move topsoil to picnic area in the month of October. Also a paved walkway to the bowl with a pad for handicapped access would also be finished.

Motion was made by Andy Laing and seconded by Garth Baker to eliminate late fees for registration of town programs because the town there are no additional expenses to town because of this , and programs seem to be shrinking , and commission felt we need to try to expand programs thru ease of sign up and future advertising.

Vote 6 for Frank LaBarge - abstained

Pow wow discussion and was to be put on agenda for November meeting. Concerns with sign - in , power usage , etc.

Discussion as to first aid kits for programs, Bob V questioned past history of minor injuries , and the fact that large first aid kit was in maintenance building along with ice packs in refrigerator. Motion made by Liz L and seconded by Andy L to purchase small first aid kits for all soccer coaches thru Red Cross approx cost \$15.00 per kit and these kits would recycle thru other programs, Vote 7 for 0 opposed

Meeting ended 10 pm next meeting 11/1/2010