



Town of Ixonia

Park & Recreation Committee Minutes Monday, May 12th, 2025

1. Call Meeting to Order, Roll Call and Pledge to the Flag: Chairman Peter Mark called the meeting to order at 4:59pm. Members present included; Ryan Lipovsek, Heather Harris, Rick Ziegler. Town employees; Ben Degner and Andrew Beaudette
2. Approval of minutes: Harris made a motion to approve the April minutes as presented. Ziegler seconded the motion. Motion carried, 4-0.
3. Report from Park & Recreation Staff
 - a. Parks open: Parks are open, water is running.
 - b. Summer staff: No Brandon, will work with Andrew, Brayden and Dylan
 - c. Start of baseball: All teams have started and are working through the new processes.
 - d. Building improvements: Plan to look at dug out roofs in fall, culvert under the pull track to be assessed later with the highway shop. Hardball building ceiling is fixed for now; pieces were cut short. Bobcat; update with negotiations for possible replacement of equipment. Posts are set at Ski Slide park for dugout #3, no roof as of yet.
4. Discussion and possible action on Easter egg Hunt - April 12, 2025 - final review
 - a. Thank you notes sent
 - b. Reassembling eggs: Will check with the church to see if they would be interested in doing it again this year, or consider asking 4-H club.
 - c. Update from Ixonia Fireman's Association regarding monetary donation: No additional funds are available. Need to consider asking for more money or additional donations for next year.
5. Discussion and possible action on 2025 movie night – August 19 Rain date Aug 26
 - a. Chip donations – Ryan will take care of
 - b. Inform Chivaree on park – done
 - c. Advertising; discuss with Josh at Ixonia Bank: Gave recommendation of movie choice and can update Ixonia Bank to proceed with advertising per their plan.
6. Fundraising efforts for playground equipment at Fireman's Park
 - a. Discuss possible partnership with Ixonia Elementary on fundraising; movie night: consider PTO @ school for concessions or church volunteers
 - b. Kickball tournament as possible fundraising idea: Family friendly kickball tournament as fundraiser possibly before Movie Night. Discuss adding to advertising with bank if decide to develop a committee to move forward with tournament.
7. Update, discussion and possible action on filling open Park & Rec Committee positions
 - a. Received 2 applications: Received applications from Carl Jaeger and Chris Griswold to join Park and Rec committee. Mark made a motion to approve the applicants and recommend to Town Board for approval. Lipovsek seconded the motion. Motion carried 4-0.
 - b. Received 1 resignation (effective August 2025): Heather Harris has submitted resignation effective August 2025.
8. Review previous months Financial Reports: Reviewed
9. Next meeting date – June 09th, 2025 at 5pm

10. Motion to Adjourn: Harris made a motion to adjourn @ 5:40pm and seconded by Ziegler. Motion carried 4-0.

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