

JOCELYN RECREATION COMMITTEE

MINUTES

MAY 4, 2023

The Jocelyn Recreation Committee met on May 4<sup>th</sup> at the Jocelyn Township Office. In attendance were Judi Dukes, Janet Callahan, Cori Murdock, Debbie Alcock, Julie Stevens, Bernie Crosby, Antonia Gardner, Faye Stevens, Sharon Stevens and Laurie Thompson. Also in attendance was the Deputy-Clerk.

23.12 Moved by Bernie Crosby  
Seconded by Janet Callahan

Resolved that we do call the meeting to order at 1:05 p.m.  
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23.13 Moved by Laurie Thompson  
Seconded by Faye Stevens

Resolved that we do adopt the minutes of March 2, 2023, as presented.

Vouchers were presented.

23.14 Moved by Antonia Gardner  
Seconded by Julie Stevens

Resolved that we do adopt Voucher 2023.03 (March) in the amount of \$3,280.00 (wages-\$546.43, payroll deductions-\$534.12, mileage-\$39.44, utilities-\$108.90, hall phone-\$50.26, hall-\$70.00, Irish Stew-\$414.87, Loppet-\$17.27, Seminar-\$70.00, Food Bank donations-\$753.87, Chamber Map-\$175.00, parks-\$37.61, disc golf-\$40.00, groomer-\$423.14)

And Voucher 2023-04 (April) in the amount of \$1,298.16 (hall fuel-\$777.63, hall water test-\$27.96, hall phone-\$50.26, utilities-\$114.25, groomer-\$148.00, Irish Stew-\$180.06)

Paid of out Recreation funds.  
Cd.

It was decided to have additional arrow signs made for the trails and a new parking lot sign. A suggestion was to have the trails brush hogged once in mid-June and again at the end of August.

Those who have done the accessibility online training were asked to please provide a copy to the office for their training records.

Recreation's next event is the Mountain Maple "Trail" Run/Walk and Kids Fun Run on Sunday, May 28<sup>th</sup>. A review of job lists and volunteers was done.

A work bee at the grounds to clean up the trails before the Run/Walk was scheduled for Tuesday, May 16<sup>th</sup> at 10 a.m.

Laurie Thompson and volunteers have been doing apple tree pruning workshops and mulching at the grounds.

The Inclusive Community Grant application had been filed and it was suggested to apply to the Ontario Trillium Foundation for capital grant funding for new windows, front door, ramp, and automatic door at the hall. Will reapply for the ramp and door with this program as well in case we are not successful with funding with the first grant application.

23.15                                 Moved by Bernie Crosby  
  Seconded by Janet Callahan

Resolved that we do make application to the Ontario Trillium Foundation Capital Grant program to improve Community facilities and spaces at the Jocelyn Township Hall.

Cd.

Bernie will order a new 11' x 11' pop-up tent to be used on the grounds.

Cori gave an update on Disc Golf. The next tournament will be on June 10<sup>th</sup> and leagues will start at the end of June. Cori requested permission to start the groundwork for the expansion of an additional 9 holes. They will seek sponsorship money to fund the new holes, so it may take a couple of years before it is completed. Cori would like to block off an additional 'driveway' (south of #3670) as this is the area of the grounds where the new course location will be, and it would deter traffic/vehicles accessing the grounds from that direction. Recreation had no objection to the groundwork or cordoning off the driveway.

Cori also mentioned the need for an additional outhouse, and it was suggested to look at the condition of the one behind the schoolhouse. If it's in good shape, it can be moved to the Disc Golf trails.

There was discussion on how or if the House of History, School House and Jim Snider Shed will be used this season. Recreation will meet on June 1<sup>st</sup> at 9 a.m. to check out the building's condition before making a decision.

The mailbox at the House of History driveway will be removed as it is in bad condition.

Laurie Thompson will be taking care of the Children's Fall Fair list this year.

It was decided to have Heather Parr work on the Tractor Flower bed at the grounds. Judi would be in contact with her to discuss weeding and planting.

A financial summary of the Irish Stew supper was given to members.

23.16                                 Moved by Antonia Gardner  
  Seconded by Sharon Stevens

Resolved that we do adjourn and agree to meet again June 1<sup>st</sup> at 1 p.m.  
Cd.