

# Walpole Recreation Committee Meeting

4/19/2023

**Attendees:** Kraig Harlow (Recreation Director), David Kuniholm (Committee Member), Scott Rodenhauer (Committee Member), Diane Harty (Committee Member), Marilou Blaine (Committee Member), Toni MacDougal (Resident), Kim Lewis (Resident), Mike Hayes (Resident), Cindy Hayes (Resident) and Sue Kibby (Resident).

## Age in Motion

- Regular participation in the AIM program and comradery is building with members socializing afterwards
- Many Alstead residents are participating as well
- Fee is \$3 to participate

## North Walpole Park

- Saturday, April 22 is Spring Cleanup
- There is concern about a couple dead trees inside NWP
- Diane is beginning to look into estimates to install a pickleball court to replace the volleyball court

## Sidewalk to Tennis Court

- The patchwork is beginning to come up on the path to the tennis court
- Going to talk with highway department if they could look into a quick fix for the summer
- Will work with David to find quotes to see the cost of replacing the pathway

## Swing/Sandbox

- Walpole Elementary School offered us the current swing they have at the school as they are replacing equipment
- Discussion took place on putting it where the old swings were in Whitcomb Park or we need to keep the space available incase need of using the space in the future
- Recreation committee voted 4 No's to 2 Yes's on taking on the swings

## Pickleball/Tennis

- Tennis courts and pickleball court have been setup for use this year
- Wilson & Lawrence will be working on tennis courts in June
- Men's Tennis league begins Monday, May 1<sup>st</sup> from 9am to 10:30pm with 12-20 players
- Toni, Mike, Cindy, Kim and Sue came to committee meeting to discuss Pickleball.
- After listening to resident concerns, Recreation Committee unanimously voted to lift versa court from pickleball court. Will work with Bob Wyte and Basketball Courts MA to take tiles up.
- Recreation Committee will use Vermont Tennis Court surfacing recommendation to paint pickleball lines on tennis courts

**Movie Nights**

- Recreation department will continue to use Swank Motion Pictures for licensing agreement after talking with other towns
- Movies will be shown on June 23<sup>rd</sup>, July 21<sup>st</sup>, and August 18<sup>th</sup>
- Kraig will send out list of movies via email for committee to select movies