

**Town of Seven Devils
Recreation Commission
Minutes--Regular Session
June 11, 2013**

The Town of Seven Devils Recreation Commission met at 4:00 in Town Hall on June 11, 2013. Members present were Anne Fontaine, Kay Lambert, Leigh Sasse, and Martha Stearns. Tom Bookstaver was absent. Mike Potter, Will Doerfer, Lisa Rose, and Libby Rose were also present.

Chair Anne Fontaine called the meeting to order and distributed copies of the agenda.

Leigh Sasse made a motion to accept the minutes of April 9, 2013. Kay Lambert seconded the motion, and it passed.

New Business

Anne Fontaine introduced Mike Potter, who has applied to be a member of the Recreation Commission. Kay Lambert made a motion that we recommend Mike to the Town Council as a member of the Recreation Commission. Leigh Sasse seconded the motion, and it passed.

Anne Fontaine announced that TDA has provided funds for several projects. The tennis courts have been restriped. Two new tables for the playground area and two new benches for the tennis court have been funded. A structure to shade the picnic tables has been ordered at a cost of \$3400.00. It is guaranteed for ten years, and public works employees will install it.

The Walking Challenge is successful. To date, forty-three residents have registered and have walked a total of 1150 miles.

Anne reported that we have \$380.68 remaining in our line-item budget. We will need to use this to produce pictures of the playground to be displayed at SafetyFest. Other expenses include refreshments and supplies for the kite workshop to be held on June 21.

Old Business

We will meet to do a playground cleanup on Saturday, June 15, at 10:30.

SafetyFest—Duplicate library books to be sold at SafetyFest will need to be sorted by June 25. We will meet at 9:00 a.m. on July 6 to set up the Recreation Commission tables.

Andy Sicard, a Grandfather Mountain State Park ranger, will lead a Kite Workshop at the Seven Devils Resort Club on Saturday, June 21, from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. The workshop will include the history of kite usage, weather (particularly wind), and making and flying kites. We will encourage RSVP's so enough materials can be provided. Anne Fontaine will provide refreshments for this workshop.

We will sponsor a workshop about salamanders led by a Grandfather Mountain State Park ranger on Friday, July 12, at 10:30. Leigh Sasse and Mike Potter will provide refreshments.

There was a discussion about how to publicize our events. Mike Potter suggested that the Recreation Commission have a Facebook account, and we decided to implement this.

Submitted by:
Martha Stearns, Secretary