

Hardwick Recreation Committee

Meeting Minutes

December 20, 2023, 6:00 PM

Members present: Jason Bahner, Mallory Greaves, Sara Behrsing, Emily Varvir, Emily Hale and Samantha Collins

Recreation Coordinator: Jason Bahner

Mallory called the meeting to order at 6:05pm.

Secretary: Sara Behrsing

Approval of Budget: Mallory motioned the budget be accepted. Emily Hale seconded it. Motion approved.

Approval of Minutes: Emily motioned the minutes to be accepted. Emily Hale seconded it. Motion approved.

Double check budget: The new budget will be voted on by the select board December 21.

Winter Carnival or by some other name: We chose a date, Sunday, February 25. Everyone should come to the next meeting with ideas.

Some ideas thrown out were:

Crafts, using the high school cafeteria, skating, sledding, skiing, using National Honor Society students for volunteers, outdoor games.

Swim Lessons: Jason met with Aquatic Connections and other swim coordinators. They chose two weeks in July for swim dates next summer; the 22 and the 29. There will be one contract written up and presented to the team before signing. The deposit will be split by each town involved and each town will pay for their own kids. Hardwick will pay all but \$20.00 of the swimming fee. Other towns are providing the lessons free of charge.

Town of Lights Festival: Mallory felt the festival was not the turnout she expected. Prizes were presented to the contestants. There was discussion of a cookie making and decorating bonanza with kids next year where you make, take and give cookies to the food shelf. WE will discuss this idea further.

New Business: Jason will work on the year end write up for the town report and send it out for us to read.

Meeting adjourned at 6:30pm.

