

Rec Board Minutes

October 13, 2025

6:30pm at Barrett Hall

Board Members in attendance: Jason Loomis, Ed Huang, Hilary Linehan, Leslie Berger, Absent: Stephen Drew. Public in attendance: Anne Fayan, left at 6:40pm.

1. **Pocket Park:** Anne mentioned a few names who may be interested in taking over as pocket park gardener. She will contact and Jason has a few contacts as well who he will tell about it. Insurance is needed by gardener? Pocket park fundraiser didn't work out because of drought. Keep the idea for future. Anne also suggested making sure there is more messaging that the pocket park is run only on donations.
2. **Preschool fence:** They want to move the fence on the outside of the big tree instead of where it is now. The board suggests simply moving the gate over. Jody was unable to attend and we would like to ask reasoning as we don't see a need to move the fence Tables to next meeting.
3. **RED BARN:** 2 sides got painted. Back and gym side, next 1 or 2 will continue next summer. Board discussed open dates maybe nov 29 and dec 6. Will finalize at next meeting. Cider sales at red barn request - Leslie sent the info on how to request to use the area
4. **Grants:** email received - we have no pending project that works with the current options
5. **Capital budget:** Town discussion Wednesday Ed can be there to represent rec board
6. **Murray field:** Ed will manage to turn off water
7. **Trash collection:** Nordic waste will do it per bid Ed managed it within budget will be picked up every other week through mid Nov
8. **Tennis court:** no concerns, still people using bikes and causing damage Ed will take down nets when weather works
9. **World Cup viewing:** board will ask Christa to suggest a plan
10. **Programming:** Discussion about providing additional programming. Ed suggested researching what other towns nearby are doing and potentially collaborating. Questions to ask will be circulated and which towns to look at and we will decide what to do in next meeting
11. Adult funding accepting for league- Stephen needs to explain further when he is next at a meeting

Meeting adjourned 8pm