

Hewitt Area Recreation Department Minutes August 17, 2010

Chairman Scott Wunrow called the meeting to order on Tuesday August 17, 2010 at 7:05 PM at the Yellowstone Recreation Park Pavilion.

MINUTES

Bev Schiferl made a motion to approve the July 17, 2010 meeting minutes as written, second by Jeff Sternberg. Motion Carried

TREASURER'S REPORT

Anne Iwanski read the treasurer's report; the ending balance is \$33,654.58. A motion to accept the treasurer's report as read was made by Mike Hoerl, second by Jeff Binder. Motion Carried.

OLD BUSINESS:

2010 Softball/Volleyball, Concession Stand, Raffle Wrap & Improvements

- 5-6 year old softball went well; may need to make up a new mat for home base; need to put an age limit on the registration forms for next season to not allow 4 year olds.
- 7-8 year old softball went well; would like to have a trail to this field; could use another bleacher; would like to have a batter's cage installed for next season.
- 9-11 year old softball went well; would be nice to have a scoreboard; pitching helmet needs new foam installed or purchase a new helmet; would like a sign put up to "stay off fence".
- 12-14 year old softball went well; would like a bat rack installed or buy two sets of bats for each team; holes need fixing in the field; would like a lock box installed for the shed to allow coaches access to the helmets for practice; have more umpires for the championship game.
- Volleyball went well, had a very good group this year; would like a scoreboard for next season.
- Concession stand sales were very good; Schwan's ice cream was a big hit.
- Raffle ticket sales were good; did print extra tickets but still ran out at the tournament, need people to return their unsold tickets.
- The beer stand did about the same as last year; everyone enjoyed the DJ and would like to do this again next year.

NEW BUSINESS:

- There was discussion on items wanted and needed for next year.
 - 7-8 year old softball would like another bleacher; replace old bleachers that are near the 12-14 year old diamond; bleachers needed for volleyball; we could use a total of 7 new bleachers. (Estimate cost \$10,500)
 - Purchase new white fence to replace some of the damaged fence.
 - Trail to the 7-8 year old diamond. (Estimate cost \$2,000)
 - New cheese dispenser for concession stand. (Estimate cost \$200)
 - August 5-6, 2011 will be the date for tournament weekend next year.
 - Purchase new canvas for dugouts.
- There was also discussion on donating money to the Fire Department and money to the Village of Hewitt website.
 - Motion by Bev Schiferl, second by Fran Lang to donate \$1,000.00 to the Fire Department; (\$250.00 of this money to be put towards the sponsorship of the annual Pumpkin Run and the remaining \$750.00 to be put towards rescue equipment) and to donate \$2,000.00 to the Village of Hewitt to help improve the website.Motion Carried.
- 2010 Members Christmas Party: Look into reservations at Buck-a-Neer Supper Club for Sunday, December 12, 2010 as first choice and Sunday, December 5, 2010 as second choice.

Meeting adjourned at 8:40 PM.

NEXT MEETING DATE: February 15, 2011.

Cheryl Uthmeier

Secretary