

NORTH ROYALTON RECREATION BOARD MINUTES

Tuesday, May 31, 2016

The Recreational Board meeting was held on May 31, 2016. The meeting was called to order at 6:01p.m. by Mr. Wells

Present: Committee Members: Chair Russ Wells, Todd Althouse, Tony Santangelo, Paul Marnecheck, Dr. John Kelly, Jason Swim; Recognized Clubs & Organizations: Guy DiSiena (NRSC), Bob Baran (Volleyball); Non-recognized Clubs & Organizations: Kevin Demming (YMCA)

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Minutes from April 26th 2016 meeting: Motion to accept minutes Mr. Santangelo, Mr. Marnecheck, 2nd - Motion carried

REPORTS

Recreation Department

Jason Swim – They are working to dry out Heasley field 2 by adding drain tile, etc. After June 10, they will start work on field 1 and 3. New goals will be also be installed. NRBB said that the St Albert field is not in good shape. Mr. Swim is working on the field at St Albert tomorrow. A piece of rebar that holds the fence down is being removed and then they will repair the fence. Mr. Swim asked if NRSC and NRBB got new batteries and paid for defibrillator devices. The Fire Chief needs to test the devices. The City is working with NRCS and NRBB to permanently repair fences at Memorial field. The fence was temporarily fixed for the rest of season. They are seeking bids for a more extensive repair for next year.

School Board

Dr. John Kelly – See attached notes on NRSD sports - Spring 2016 final results.

Council

Paul Marnecheck – Council is still working on deer regulations. Hydrant flushing will begin soon, starting in Ward 6. They are also putting together the 2016 road repair schedule.

Mayor

Robert Stefanik – No Report

NORTH ROYALTON RECOGNIZED CLUBS:

Baseball (NRBB): Dr. John Kelly – Dr. Kelly suggested that NRBB find volunteers that can help get fields ready in early spring when Rec Dept is shorthanded. There was a lot of discussion about how a volunteer program could work. There are some issues to work out. There was also discussion about the start date of baseball and the end of soccer because some kids participate in both sports. Mr. Wells reminded everyone that Baseball used to start after Memorial Day, so that may be part of the problem. Mr.

Wells also suggested that Rec Board should consider not allowing baseball to start until after Memorial Day.

Soccer (NRSC): Guy DiSiena – NRSC finished up with Soccer days last weekend. It was a little wet – but not too bad. The Kona Ice truck has worked out well for Soccer. The extra revenue is nice. NRSC had to buy new soccer goals because of new regulations. There were fundraising activities at Soccer Days to raise money for the new goals. Travel still has a few games left this year. Tryouts have begun for next year's travel teams.

There were 13 teams at the Medina tournament. Medina was very helpful in helping NRSC at the tournament. They won a few of the events.

NRSC mentioned they rent out the NR Field House in the early days of spring because of the unpredictable weather.

Basketball: Tom Grassi – Not Present – No Report. Mr. Swim has made several attempts to contact Mr. Grassi about their requirement to attend Recreation Board meetings. Mr. Wells suggested that the city (Mayor) send a letter or call him again.

Volleyball: Bob Baran – Volleyball finished 4th in their division. Next year they are considering creating 3 teams for girls 4-6 years old. Mr. Baran says there are no other opportunities except the Catholic leagues. Mr. Baran feels that the boys HS league may not have enough interest for a team next year.

North Royalton Community Garden: Paul Marnecheck - Everything is up and running. They received a \$2k donation from Cargill.

NORTH ROYALTON NON-RECOGNIZED CLUBS:

Football: Tim Root – Not Present – No Report

YMCA: Kevin Demming – T-ball is starting soon. The port-a-potty has been delivered to the field. Mr. Demming said the fields need to work. Mr. Swim said it is private property, but they will work on the field as soon as possible. There are only 30 kids signed up for t-ball so far. Mr. Demming says that most wait until the last minute. The YMCA Sports camp is going to start on June 7 M-F 9am-4pm and goes through Aug 21 for 6-12 year olds. The 35 and 50 and over leagues going well and everyone paid on time.

NEW BUSINESS

OLD BUSINESS

No old business

ADJOURNMENT

Moved by Dr. Kelly to adjourn the meeting, 2nd Mr. Marnecheck. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 6:42pm. The next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, June 28th, 2016 at 6:00pm.

NRSD SPRING 2016 FINAL RESULTS

GIRLS TRACK:

Suburban League: 1-6 (League Meet 4th/League Finish 7th)

SUBURBAN LEAGUE ALL CONFERENCE

-800 Meter Run: 1st Place

-Elise Chojnacki

-Long Jump: 2nd Place

-Lexi Chuppa

-4X100 Meter Relay: 3rd Place (H.M)

-Destiny Williams, Juliet Rayer, Lexi Chuppa, Taylor Badamo

OHSAA REGIONAL QUALIFIERS

-800 Meter Run:

-Elise Chojnacki

-4X100 Meter Relay: Advanced to Regional Finals #8

-Destiny Williams, Juliet Rayer, Lexi Chuppa, Taylor Badamo

BOYS TRACK:

Suburban League: 2-5 (League Meet 4th/League Finish 4th)

SUBURBAN LEAGUE ALL CONFERENCE

-4X200 Meter Relay: 2nd Place.

-Zach Knull, Alex Costa, Kevin Ruffner, Tyler Knurek

-4X100 Meter Relay: 2nd Place

-Alex Costa, Tyler Knurek, Jayson Rush, Kevin Ruffner

-Shot Put: 1st Place

-Sam Ferguson

-4X800 Meter Relay: 3rd Place (H.M)

-Mehli Sevastakis, Jacob Dean, Jayson Rush, Alex Costa

-4X400 Meter Relay: 3rd Place (H.M)

-Zach Antonio, Alex Costa, Kevin Ruffner, Jacob Dean

-High Jump: 3rd Place (H.M)

-Jayson Rush

-Discus: 3rd Place (H.M)

-Sam Ferguson

OHSAA REGIONAL QUALIFIERS

-Long Jump: – Did not advance to Finals

-Zach Antonio

- Discus: - Did not advance to Finals
 - Hunter Petit
- Shot Put:
 - Sam Ferguson -
- 4X200 Meter Relay: - Did not advance to Finals
 - Zach Antonio, Kevin Ruffner, Alex Costa, Tyler Knurek
- 4X400 Meter Relay: - Did not advance to Finals
 - Zach Antonio, Kevin Ruffner, Alex Costa, Jacob Dean.

BOYS TENNIS:

Suburban League: 2-5 Overall: 4-12
 -S/L Tournament: 6th Place
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Suburban League: Honorable Mention:
 -Greg Tolbert - Zade Shetawi
 -Jimmy Giles - Jeff Kozik

BASEBALL:

Suburban League: 4-10 (7th Place)
 Overall: 12-15
 Team MVP: Nick Farell
 Team Pitcher MVP: Derek Ritterbusch

Suburban League All Conference

-Nick Farrell: 1st Team
 -Andrew May: 2nd Team
 -Carlo Barone: H.M - Ryan O'Malley: H.M

SOFTBALL:

Suburban League: 5-9
 Overall: 10-12

Suburban League All Conference

-Xiomara Santiago: 1st Team, (ALL District) (All-Ohio –H.M)
 -Lauren Rockocy: 2nd Team

-Micaela Gurka: H.M

-Cassandra Fendrick: H.M

2015/2016 ATHLETES OF THE YEAR

HAROLD CONRAD AWARD/SPONSOR VARSITY LETTERMEN'S CLUB

MALE ATHLETE OF THE YEAR: SAM TARNOWSKI: FOOTBALL/BASKETBALL

HERMAN L. JOY AWARD:

FEMALE ATHLETE OF THE YEAR: KAITLYN DZUROFF: XC/TR

ERIC L. GIBSON AWARD:

ACADEMIC ATHLETE OF THE YEAR: BRIAN CHU (4.375): XC/TR

