

Oak Bluffs Park Commissioners Minutes

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September 12, 2011

Members present: Richard Combra Jr, Amy Billings & Buddy deBettencourt

Others present: Elizabeth Durkee (ConCom), Lori Clements

Special Event Applications

The following event was approved:

- Kristin Kasianowicz wedding – East Chop Lighthouse – October 15, 2011

The following event was not approved until Board of Selectmen approve alcohol license:

- Rudino wedding – Waban/Alley Park – August 2 or 3, 2012

Open Space Plan

Elizabeth Durkee advised that the Open Space/Recreation plan needs to be up dated as it makes the Town eligible for certain grants. She would like to focus on the following: how incredible the park system is, recreation action plan (what has been done & what needs to be done), and protecting shoreline & beaches.

Commissioners will review that last plan and meet with her again to discuss it.

Public Input

Pony rides

Lori Clements asked if she could offer miniature pony rides on Tivoli Day and was looking for suggestions on where it could be offered. She is going to have a booth on Circuit Avenue selling cotton candy.

Commissioners felt that Sunset Lake Park would be the best area for it. They suggested that she sells tickets at her booth and direct people to the site.

Commissioners update

Wesleyan Park – Commissioner Billings advised that the condition is getting worse from William Bernard's family's use of it. She advised that she has told people to call the police should they see it being damaged by them.

Commissioner Combra said that he has tried to contact Mr Bernard numerous times but has not had a returned phone call. He hopes that this week they will take the loader down there to level out the piles; he will then locate Mr Bernard and tell him to hydroseed the damaged area. A letter will be drafted for the Commissioners to sign and send to Mr Bernard.

Meeting adjourned.

DISCLAIMER: These minutes are based on a tape recording and as such have a margin of error.

Next meeting September 26, 2011 at 5:00 PM