

**LACONIA PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION MEETING**  
**JUNE 20, 2016**  
**Laconia Community Center- Parks & Recreation Office**  
**7:00 P.M.**

**CALL TO ORDER:**

**RECORDING SECRETARY:**

**ROLL CALL:**

**ADOPTION OF MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETINGS:**

1. Regular meeting minutes of May 16, 2016

**I. OLD BUSINESS:**

- A. Banner Policy - Draft
- B. Grace Capital Church- Wyatt Park- August 1<sup>st</sup> through 4, 2016 from 9am to 1pm for a Missional Vacation Bible School. Withdrawn
- C. Lakes Region Waterski Enthusiasts- Opechee Point- Sunday, August 7, 2016 from 10am to 4pm for Lakes Region Waterski Boat Classic.
- D. Laconia Multicultural Festival- Rotary Park- Saturday, September 10, 2016 from 6am to 6pm for the annual Multicultural Festival.

**II. FACILITY USE REQUESTS:**

- A. ReMAX Bayside - Opechee Park Field, Friday, June 24<sup>th</sup> from 8am to 9am for their Challenge the Wind hot air balloon program.
- B. Laconia Middle School- Opechee Park, Memorial Park, Smith Field & Track, - Monday through Friday August 15, 2016 through November 10, 2016 from 2:30~6:00pm for Fall Sports and March 20, 2017 through June 1, 2017 for Spring Sports.
- C. Grace Capital Church- Opechee Park- Sunday July 17, 2016 for a picnic in the park.
- D. KG Tennis Pro - Memorial Tennis Court- July 5 through August 11, 2016, Tuesdays and Thursdays from 10am to 12pm for a Teen Tennis Boot Camp.
- E. Leavitt Park Assoc.- Leavitt Park beside the building- Saturday, August 27, 2016 from 3~6pm for the annual Leavitt Park Carnival.
- F. Lakes Region Community Services- WOW Trail- Thursday, June 30 and August 4, 2016 from 10am to 2pm for Bike Riding program.
- G. New Horizon Band of Lakes Region- Rotary -Tuesday, August 16, 2016 from 5:30 to 9pm for a free musical concert.
- H. Hands Across the Table- Opechee Cove Picnic area- Wednesday, July 13, 2016 for a picnic.
- I. AA - NH District 11- Opechee Point, Colby Field- Saturday, September 10, 2016 from 9-5pm for summer picnic.
- J. USA Mavericks Baseball- Memorial Park Baseball Field, June 22, 2016 from 7:30pm to 10pm for a baseball game.

III. **ADMINISTRATIVE APPROVALS-ROTARY PARK, WEIRS AMPHITHEATER & PAVILION**

The following wedding requests for Rotary Park have been approved administratively:

- a) Allison Lemire & Tadd Hooker- Saturday, September 24, 2016 from 4:00am-4:30pm for a wedding ceremony.
- b) Jessica Hayward- Saturday, October 1, 2016 from 3:00pm to 6:00pm for a wedding ceremony.

IV. **NEW BUSINESS:**

V. **ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

VI. **NOMINATIONS, APPOINTMENTS & ELECTIONS:**

VII. **PUBLIC COMMENT:**

VIII. **COMMUNICATIONS:**

IX. **OTHER REQUESTS REQUIRING COMMISSION ACTION:**

X. **PARK ASSOCIATION REPORTS:**

- A. Leavitt Park Association –May Minutes of the meeting.
- B. Weirs Community Park Association- No report
- C. Tardif Park Association- no report.

XI. **DEPARTMENT REPORTS:**

**A. Asst. Directors Report submitted by Amy Lovisek**

This has been a very busy month, getting ready for summer! All lifeguards, collectors and camp counselors have all been hired! I haven't been able to say that for a couple of years. I am truly hoping for a great summer season for Laconia Parks & Recreation.

The Opechee Day Camp participants are a little low, but this is usually what happens. Our parents tend to wait for the last minute to register their kids. The numbers will jump soon.

The counselors have been through their training for the camp as well as a tick training to help the kids learn to recognize and remove ticks. Always good to have more trainings!

Tennis lesson and swim lesson sign-ups are doing well. We do still have spots available though.

The Adopt A Spot program did well. We were able to get some new interest in the program and I hope this trend continues.

The camp opened today Monday, June 20<sup>th</sup> and our beaches open June 25<sup>th</sup>.

The 4<sup>th</sup> of July is ready other than parade participants. We are in need of them. Please help us talk it up to people and organizations.

The pickleball program has increased their numbers due to the snowbirds coming back to town! Happy to have them all here.

Wish us luck for a great summer season. Enjoy time with your families.

**B. Directors Report submitted by Kevin Dunleavy**

**XII. PRESENTATIONS**

**XIII. ADJOURNMENT:**