

RECREATION COMMITTEE MINUTES

April 9, 2007

7:00 PM

PRESENT: Effie Morgan, Linda Carman, Joe Spagnola, Herb Henry, Sam Hunter, Leo Marquez, John Daddario, Alonzo Bishop, Kelly shaw, dulce Gomez, Cyndy Wilks, Pepi Dragotta, Jimmy Ridgeway, Kim Gauntt, Melissa Hemple, and T. Carl Hemple Sr.

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Carl Hemple Sr.

The meeting was blessed.

Flag Salute

Minutes from the March meeting were approved, all were in favor.

Committee Reports:

Effie Morgan – Ladies Softball sign-ups, not so good. Maybe try co-ed softball in the fall.

John Daddario – Hall of Fame Inductions will be held 4/14 @ 11 am. Food will be provided. Lee Ware & Vinnie Woodruff are inductees.

Sam Hunter – Babe Ruth sign-ups at a stand still. 38 signed up so far.

Alonzo Bishop – Little League try-outs are Fri. & Sat. 85 signed up so far. Having issues with things getting done, paperwork, etc. By April 28th a new president will be elected. Sam Hunter has offered to help get Little League organized.

John Daddario – Awards luncheon was held for Basketball Champs and were awarded basketball championship jackets. Thank you to Melissa Hemple & Carl Hemple Sr. for attending.

Dulce Gomez – 20 teams, went to Fairfield Twp., for additional field space. Waiting for Fairfield Twp. Mayor to approve. Clean up Day will be held April 21, 2007 @ 9 am.

Kelly Shaw – Kids Fest is set for Saturday may 5, 2007 from 11 am – 3 pm. Event is being sponsored by TD Bank North.

Zoological Society Members, Bonnie Facemyer, President and Steve Poloff, Treasurer attended our meeting. They are in charge of fundraising, promotions, capital improvements, enrichment for the animals, rehabilitation and purchasing new zoo animals.

Bridgeton Invitational Tournament Committee Members, Shari Hayes, Wes Zoyac & Sam Hunter attended our meeting. The tournament dates for this years' tournament will be August 1 - 15, 2007.

Cyndy Wilks – Bridgeton Girls Basketball League President Danielle Dixon would like to do a “Coaches Clinic” in August.

John Daddario made a motion to the City of Bridgeton Mayor & Council to keep the dugouts as they are @ Alden Field. Jim Ridgeway 2nd the motion, all were in favor.

By-Laws Committee – Rules and Regulations for Recreation Committee being formed.

Memorial Day – American Legion will handle Broad Street Cemetary @ the GAR Plot, and will have a ceremony. All flags will be put on all veterans graves. Volunteers are needed.

Directors' Report by Melissa Hemple:

Kansas City BBQ – Entry forms are online. Ten to Fifteen teams are interested.

Skatepark – Looking for additional funding. Location has been changed to Tennis Courts, by the farmstead.

Music Festival – Saturday June 16th, 11 am – 8 pm. We will be having a “We’ve Got Talent Competition”, will also be held that day.