

High Park Community Meeting Minutes

June 14, 2022

Present: Janice, Bing, Jean, Eldon, Kim, Allison, Bev, Lesa, Carrie, Nickki, Ashish, Nicole

Member did Introductions. Meeting called to order by Janice, seconded by Jean.

Reports

Bev – Bank Balances Itemized and reviewed by everyone. Detailed report. AGLC- closed. Consolidating Bingo and Casino if switched it will be all one account. Bev recommended we leave the way we have it and AGLC is fine with that. So no changes made to the account. Motion to keep as is. Jean seconded All in favour.

Mastercard receipts some still need to be categorized and sorted.

Nickki – New membership cards – should we sell this years cards still or wait until August for next years cards. Wait to sell until the membership event and don't sell anymore from this years. Add new members for website – write up send to Kim. There is 3 more members from the dinner. Also have packets of seeds for a welcome to the community members.

Jean – Casino will be happening 3rd quarter 2023 for our next date. Members of the board need to help with Bingos or casinos we need 30 people. No date yet. Bingo July 1 need a volunteer. Might need to pay a worker. – Mega Bingo coming – softball parents are doing Bingos as well.

Eldon – Flowers are in. – New Blades on the tractor, Eldon has cut the grass twice.

Ashish – Put together check list for coming events. Plan for getting more people out.

Kim – Sign is coming – For Not to take flowers. Idea – Good Box – promote it – can fundraise off it – they delivered produce to families - delivered to the doors so we just need to promote it if we are interested. GoodBox – 30% of sales. Social media to share and post.

Bing – Program May – Income 395, No expenses Instructor fees \$1320.

Kim – Question Circus Class if any interest. Insurance – Kim's daughter would have to have her own. If interested could do a program or one time event. Age 7-16. Camp as an idea – Kim can get more information and will send out email.

Newsletter – August 1 need one.

Allison – put together electronic files.

Michael – Indigenous Month – Events check out the website. Big Bin events – promote on website. Community can do Block parties applications are there. City Programs running – day camps. July 13 -17 weekend training – they can volunteer with Youth program. Free signage available to post Slow down zones. Hens and Bees raising program. Events Grants and more to come.

Jeff – 1 team for baseball – not enough to make more teams. 1 girls team. They are improving and are going to Provincials. One time 2600 players in the city league now down to 1000. Filed complaint because ball was played when there were restrictions over COVID to not play.

As for this year they have a great coach for the girls team. Tuesday 21 – last game 6:30 come watch U11 Wildcats. Put on facebook – announced. Also add softball onto website – add to high parks website. Would be good to have High Park softball on the High Park website.

Carrie – Nothing

Lesia – Nothing

Janice - Lock box was stolen off hall so lost master key – had locks changed for 1100.

Flowers are being taken out of flower pots. Getting sign to tell people not to do this.

Hand towels for bathrooms – motion ones are expensive. Decided on tork ones. Need to get mirrors need a truck, Bing will pickup mirrors.

AGM for the AGLC meeting West Meadowlark Gestil General stepped up to Direct High Park Representative. Also got a Local artist poster Indigenous piece of art going to get framed for hall.

Nicole Glover – thanks for the rental on the weekend, she was grateful and wedding went good.

Bee Event – Carrie – Went fine – low numbers but new people came and showed interest in more events. Eldon questions – she said they don't do beehives much anymore for big places like community halls. 15 to 20 people came to this event.

Hall Rentals – May each weekend was booked. One in June, July, August for each month.

Nicole – Mentioned interest in events and things we can do at the hall. Discussion was on what the hall has for projectors and tech items.

Yoga group interested in doing an exercise class – no equipment just a video playing. Jeff can look into projectors and equipment for this. iPhone can connect to the projector. Jeff will work on tech stuff for this idea.

Any Questions – Kim motion to conclude reports Ashish seconded. All in Favour.

Bursary - \$5000 Members of Com. Went over the letter of last Bursary. Publicity will put on website for more bursaries. Will work on making a decision in August. Janice will reach out to Marley let her know our programs.

Lawn – done twice takes 3 hours. Eldon asking for \$500 a month proposal and will maintain equipment. Nickki – came to do lawn her husband he could help. Bev – made a motion to pay \$500 to Eldon to end of September. June 1 to Sept 30 lawn maintained. Bing Seconded. Motion carried.

Janice can use the hall for a work function this month there was no concern

Weed pull dates lots of work full day – June 26 at 10 am – Kim will send out a flyer. Areas needed to be clean are along fence line and batting cage, also around rink and hall area.

Fall Cleanup Sept. The roof is leaking – have people in doing work but still leaking. Will have someone look at roof to see the problem.

Membership drive date – Sept 17. Need to update board outside put new information in it. Add programs to sign outside 4 lines with 16 letters. Bing will work on.

Meeting adjourned 8:40 by Kim.

Next meeting August 9, 2022