Town of Warren Parks and Recreation Meeting April 27, 2020 Minutes

Attendance:

Commission Members present: Dave Schneiderbeck, Kirby Mullen, Don Murphy, Kathy Andreasen, Kathi Brown.

The meeting was called to order at 7:36 pm

Programs:

Juke Box Bingo - we are collaborating with Morris and Goshen - there is a professional running the event. There will be prizes. For ease of use, people will register through the Morris Town Site. We will be splitting the cost between the three towns.

We have a "Three mile - three town" contest - get out and walk 3 miles, track your progress and compete with residents of other towns. There will be stickers and prizes.

Don is going to slowly put other sites out for people to take advantage of: for example: "Cosmic Kids Yoga"

Carla's Saturday fitness class will be offered online. Park and Rec has sponsored it and we are trying to encourage people to be active on Saturday mornings.

We will also sponsor "Three Town Trivia Night" in May with Morris and Goshen.

Dave reported that the trails in town are being used like never before.

Dave suggested that the Town put up kiosks with information about the trails that are consistent with the Land Trust trail signs. He has suggested this to Tim Angevine. Tom Reinhardt, a Warren resident, is making the kiosks for the Land Trust. It would be good to have the town match the signs and kiosks so everything in Town is consistent. And, we'd like to have people know about the trails in Warren. Don is working with Missy and has ordered flowers to distribute to Seniors who are alone in order to lift their seniors.

Along with Morris and Goshen, we are putting together a "gift bag" for elementary school kids. We are also thinking of doing something similar for Seniors.

We are still unsure about what will happen with the Memorial Day parade and the beach. Even if we change our schedule, we need to protect the beach. We are still in a holding pattern.

People are expressing excitement about our trips as soon as we can run them again.

Dave wondered about when the last time we stocked Fiddlers Pond? Don will check.

Suggestions for the future:

- Drive in movie
- Decorate your home on Memorial Day for a "Memory all Day" in honor of Memorial Day. Fly your flags, decorate your house, etc. No-one has to gather.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:08 pm.

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