Sandisfield Recreation Committee Minutes January 11, 2023

Meeting opened 3:56pm by LR, seconded by LS. December minutes signed. Warrants/ none

Discussed cleaning out / taking inventory of our storage space (January/February) LR requested adults only, due to hazards. Availability LS (wkends), AC (Mon), KM (maybe eve after 8pm)LR (any daytime). LR and AC cleaned out wooden closet earlier that day.(pantry items)

Remaining budget as of Jan 4,2023 (as per Janey's weekly report) is \$3,798.08 We are right on track with 6 months left. FY24 budget request is due Jan 20. LR secured \$1,000 grant from our Cultural Council (June Family day)

Winter Dance plans discussed: finger foods(magic meatballs(LS), pigs in a blanket(LR), veggies/dip(condiment cups for dip), possibly cheese/pepperoni/crackers(AC).

Juice boxes for children, sparkling beverage for adults. BYOB has been posted on Connect. ***We will need a bag of ice***

Chocolate fountain: items will not be dipped, rather a small condiment cup will be filled by ladle for sanitary reasons. Strawberries, pineapple chunks, marshmallows, and small pretzel rods We will need to check on plates, cups, plastic ware...need decorations

LS may bring projector (stars on ceiling) LR has LED lights (vibrates with music)

DJ is arriving 1 1/2 hrs before start of program (3:30pm) he has some fun things for children to do, LR has glow in the dark items .

March discussed: LS suggested similar to our Fall Festivities, with a Spring/St Patty's day twist (small crafts, decorate cupcakes, beverage bar with fixings) to be continued***

April discussed: Berkshire Bunnies (\$150, all in favor) Easter program, to be continued ***

May discussed: parade BBQ (salads/juice packs) honor wall, LR will ask Cultural Council if they would like to help out financially with bicycle decorating.

DPW mentioned a few years back they were approached to "ready" the large plow, and nothing was done.

LR suggested childrens handprints (paint)

We need to check to see what else needs to be done to prep plow.

June discussed: Family day at Looking Glass Gardens (Sun, June 11) Grant will cover approx half of anticipated expenses

LR closed meeting at 4:40pm, LS seconded.

MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE: Lynn Rubenstein Anina Carr Laurie Seddon Katie Murray (zoom) (zoom was not functioning 100%)

MEMBERS ABSENT: Laura Messina