

Pewaukee Kiwanis Club
Member Meeting

November 24, 2020 – Virtual

“Kiwanis is a global organization of volunteers dedicated to *improving* the world one child, and one community at a time”

Program – Nick Phalin Director Pewaukee Parks & Rec

Guests

Attending: Wyatt, Paul Z., Don, Jim, Pat, Paul B., Rob M., Sheila, Troy, Bob W., Bill, Kent, Linda, “C”

Agenda

1. Mission Statement and Invocation - Jim
2. Program- Park & Rec
 - a. Spring and Summer Activity Guide has been mailed, using new designer and printer
 - i. Many programs offered
 - ii. Reduced enrollment and mask requirements
 - b. Park and Open Space Plan has been completed
 - i. Based on- Community Survey, sent to 3000 random households, 850 responses; Staff feedback; Joint Park & Rec Board
 - ii. Some highlights
 1. Use the document for DNR grant applications (DNR grant for \$116 K was used at Laimon for reconstruction and widening of boat launch to 16 ft and parking lot improvements)
 2. Includes options to benefit downtown business, perhaps a pier
 3. Improvements at South Park to address flooding issues
 4. Kiwanis Village Park (KVP) items such as new/better building (maybe indoor space), determine best use for Pewaukee Athletic Association (PPA) concessions shack
 - c. Discussion about other items
 - i. Work with playground equipment supplier to understand the BIBA smart playground feature that came with the latest equipment, there is an app that users can download to play “games” using the app with equipment. The app captures data that can be fed back to Park & Rec. Concerns were raised about how intrusive the app might be.
 - ii. The new owners of The Beergo will be holding Dec 5 event at KVP
 - iii. Working on a Marketing Plan for proposed splash pad at the Sports Complex, seeking \$1.5M from potential sponsors
 - iv. Monica is looking at ESPORTS virtual competitions to be offered
 - v. Planning to hold movie nights at KVP next year with increased promotion
 - vi. Planning to hold Mud Olympics at KVP in the PAA area in May, the topic of repairs to the area were discussed
 - vii. The “ice rink” (19x46ft) that has been constructed at KVP by Sydney Gurgen as her Girl Scout Project. She solicited the donated materials and repurposed the Gaga ball pits.

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- viii. A little trivia, there are currently 22 boat slips at Liamon Park (rented for \$2700 per season) the waiting list is 39. One slip opened up this year. The gas pier and launch pier and the rentals max out the space available.

3. Business

- a. Calendar:
 - i. Sat Dec 5, Tree Lighting at Historical Society 4:15-5:00
 - 1. Pat has sent email (Nov 10) with specific request for a dozen cookies per family to be delivered to her house by Tues Dec 1
 - 2. We'll serve cookies and hot chocolate outdoors, tables provided by Historical Society
 - 3. We won't set up the tent unless it rains, it's a quick set up
 - 4. Cliff will bring the Santa hats
 - 5. Trying to get Abby to do sing along, Silent Night closing
 - ii. Tue Dec 8 Christmas Party at 5o'clock Club 7:00
 - 1. See Pats Nov 10 email for details, RSVP by Tues Dec 1, also send her your statement for the activity and remember your White Elephant
 - 2. Jean will join us
 - 3. For those interested we will meet at Cliff's house for "warm up" at 5:30
 - b. Christmas Clearing Council - board agreed to continue support, how to proceed for this year <https://www.christmasclearingcouncil.org/> Kent will follow-up
 - c. Board Meeting Update, Jan speakers are committed.
 - i. Kent will contact Bev Burnap and follow-up on her email of Nov 23. She is part of Kiwanis leadership and offered to speak on Kiwanis Childrens Fund (715-817-0119 bjburnap@gmailcom)
 - ii. Jim collected Food Pantry donations, \$268.80 from one month 17 days. Bubba's and NSB continue to be leading locations for donations.
 - d. Other
- 4. Thank you notes
 - 5. Happy IOUs Troy, for Taylor being home from college; Sheila, happy for the wine store; Wyatt happy for good bourbon being delivered

Next member meeting – Virtual Jan 12 2021 (DNR) – Elizabeth Herzmann – Natural Resources Educator