

Sleepy Park Board Meeting Minutes
September 10, 2018
South Park

Attendance: Joann, Diane, Steve, Greg, Randy, and Pat. Nicole absent.

Steve provided pool numbers for the summer. Some increasing cost due to aging of equipment. Water aerobics was a popular activity. Daily attendance down this year compared to last two years.

Steve reported that soccer fields have been an active area due to St. John's School beginning a soccer program with other schools in Sleepy Eye. Some of their games occur on Wednesday nights with other games in surrounding communities.

Work has been ongoing to replace the fishing pier floor. One more section and railings remain to be replaced.

Discussion regarding local baseball/softball associations requests for field improvements and additions. Problems with drainage and field surfaces discussed. Steve presented estimates for this type of repair and a larger request for additional fields. Board in agreement that the drainage issue and field surface repairs should be addressed as a minimum.

Ongoing work of the parks department includes mowing and weeding.

Work is being completed with closing down the pool for the year.

The new playground equipment for Eagles Park should arrive early October.

Are receiving many compliments from campers at Sportsman's Park regarding the facilities and staff.

Next meeting: October 8 at 6 PM. Location TBD

Respectively submitted,
Diane Evers, secretary