

Sleepy Eye Park Board
Minutes
September 7, 2020
Sleepy Eye Aquatic Center

Attending: Joann, Pat, Greg Diane and Steve
Absent: Nicole and Randy

Rob Brandl gave a presentation regarding a family business he would propose to start at Sportsman Park. It is a vending machine that would contain fishing bait and other small fishing needs. It would provide a more local source of bait for those interested in fishing on shore. It may be of use for campers and someone coming to lake to enjoy that activity that would not have those supplies. It would probably just contain wax worms and nite crawlers as they would be easiest to keep in a refrigerated machine. He would be responsible for all expenses of setting up and maintaining this refrigerated unit. Park Board members were interested and had a few concerns that Steve will take to the city council for their input and further consideration.

Steve presented some rules he proposes for use of the new Lakeview shelter in the campground. He will discuss with city employee who handles these reservations for further input and then have them posted on website.

There has been a request for a set up of Frisbee golf equipment in Allison Park. The interested party has spoken with Steve with a course plan and offered to do some fundraising. The interested party feels there could be potential for tournaments if we had two courses in the city. Steve will discuss more with this party and inform board as plans progress. Steve says there is active use of current course at Sportsman Park. Board noted that business donated to the last course build.

Other news:

Costs coming in for the Lakeview shelter are running a little higher than thought.

Trees and shrubs will be purchased for campground area between camp sites where others have died or been damaged by campers. Steve hopes to complete that this month.

Parks department has been spraying, as mowing has slowed down.

Pool slide repair and painting is in progress.

Steve informed board that our October meeting will be his last

Next meeting:

October 12, 2020 at 6 PM

Location to be determined by weather