

MINUTES FOR THE MEETING OF THE
RECREATION ADVISORY BOARD
Wednesday, October 16th, 2019

CALL TO ORDER: A meeting of the Recreation Advisory Board was held on Wednesday, October 16, 2019 at the Buena Vista Community Center, 715 E. Main Street, Buena Vista, Colorado. Mckenzie called the meeting to order at 7:33am.

Roll Call

Members present were chair Mckenzie Lyle, co-chair Marcus Trusty, Gary Crowder, Jan Johnson, Ashley Davis, Rick Beiterman, Luke Urbine, and Danielle Ryan. Also in attendance were Recreation Director Earl Richmond, Recreation Assistant Ben Eichel, Dennis Heap, Honora Roberts, Rebecca Berry, Brett Mitchell, (Central Colorado UAS Club) Ashlei Ahlene (Food Shed Alliance)

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: Gary moved to approve the September 2019 minutes, as written. Marcus seconded the motion. Motion passes with unanimous approval.

APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA: Jan moved to approve the October 2019 agenda as with amendments. Marcus seconded the motion. Motion passes with unanimous approval.

PUBLIC COMMENT:

Ashlei Ahlene (Food Shed Alliance): Introduced concept of adding parks for farmers markets in town.

New Business

- I. Program Report (Earl- Shane had morning off)
 - a. Soccer finishing up
 - b. Basketball started last night- partnership with BV Schools
 - c. Open Gym VB on Sunday
 - d. Women's VB on WED night
 - e. Chaffee Arts- Glassblowing and MS Arts
 - f. BV Circus started again
 - g. Indoor Pickleball
 - i. Both Pickleball and Tennis Court donating towards new pickleball courts
- II. Rec Director Report (Earl)
 - a. Aspen room entryway finished
 - b. Graffiti removed
 - c. Skate Competition successful
 - d. New BLM trail Bacon Bits connector is finished, Jango is finished, ADA trail open, Whitewater trail rebuilt after high water this summer
 - e. Optimist Club- taking over car show and contributing money to skatepark (Activity Bus is a possibility)
 - f. Volunteer will GPS map intown trails

- g. 14er fest successful- BV REC assisted with races
- III. Recreation Assistant Report (Ben)
 - a. Facility reservation, prices, 2020 changes, phone and voicemail
- IV. BVHS Internships
 - a. Marketing class with BVHS has taken over Instagram account (4x students)
- V. Pocket Park on Meadows Lane
- VI. Sunset Vista GOCO Grant Update
 - a. Grant Application to be submitted next Tuesday
- VII. Drone and RC Park Update
 - a. Club established in 2017
 - b. Chaffee County is UAS friendly
 - c. Long Term- create UAV corridor between BV and Salida Airports, research and testing for drones over 55 lbs
 - d. Create drone park by rodeo grounds

Ongoing Business

- I. Board Pulse: NSTR
- II. 2019 Capital Projects Discussion
 - a. Short recap of possible projects to funded
- III. Special Events Coordinator Update: NSTR

ADJOURNMENT:

Mckenzie motioned to adjourn at 9:06am.

Respectfully submitted:

Mckenzie Lyle, Chair

Ben Eichel, Recreation Assistant


