

**Village of Holmen
Park, Recreation, and Library Committee
Meeting Minutes - Wednesday, September 2, 2015**

Committee Chairman Olson called the Holmen Park, Recreation, and Library Committee meeting to order at 5:30 p.m. on September 2, 2015 at the Holmen Village Hall.

Present: Chuck Olson, Steve Johnston, Scott Heinig, Chris McArdle-Rojo, Mike Brogan, Chris Geary

Excused: Dawn Kulcinski

Guests: Patrick Zalewski (Boy Scouts)

Motion by Johnston, seconded by Olson to approve the minutes of the August 5, 2015 meeting. Carried unanimously.

Public Comment: None

Library Director's monthly report: McArdle-Rojo distributed the monthly library usage report to the committee. McArdle-Rojo informed the committee that the 5th Annual La Crosse County Library Leave a Legacy Event will be taking place on Sunday, September 13 from 3-6pm at the Onalaska Library. McArdle-Rojo stated that the fall library programming will begin next week.

Park and Recreation Director's monthly report:

Recreation: Brogan informed the committee that the Fall/Winter Brochures have been distributed. Brogan stated that the Kornfest softball was recently completed and had 40 teams. Brogan informed the committee of the upcoming programs which include: flag football, youth volleyball, adult fitness classes, and co-rec softball. Brogan stated that the WPRA ticket sales end this week. Brogan informed the committee that Kelsie Bolstad, a UW-L intern will begin on September 8th.

Parks: Brogan updated the committee on Kornfest. Brogan stated that the Legion will be invoiced for utility marking by Kish, \$202.54 for irrigation repairs, \$80.00 for four village locks that were cut off and \$275.00 for band shell rental. Brogan stated that the Wisconsin Sports Services Badgerland Girls Sunday Fall Softball League begins at Deer Wood Park on September 13th through October 11th. Brogan stated that parking lots have been painted in the parks, pool, Village Hall, and Library. Brogan stated that shelters are still heavily booked every weekend. Brogan informed the committee of the upcoming band shell events which include: Carmen & Joe – Sept. 6, Joe Cody & Friends – Sept. 13, Movie Night Under the Stars (Big Hero 6) – Sept. 18, String Ties – Sept. 20.

Pool: Brogan informed the committee that the pool closed on August 23rd. Brogan stated that there was a near drowning incident on August 15. Brogan informed the committee that Andrew Carlson will not be retuning as pool manager in 2016.

Village Hall: Brogan informed the committee that the heating/AC fence has been repaired on the north side of Village Hall.

Motion by Johnston, second by Olson to adjourn at 5:52 p.m. Motion carried.

Chris Geary
Asst. Park & Recreation Director