

Recreation & Health Committee meeting 6-26-18

On Tuesday June 26, 2018 at 1830 hours the Bayard Recreational committee meeting began. Those present were Michelle COOLIDGE, Bebe SHORTALL, Candace SMITH, Jeff SMITH, Mike HARIMON, and Stan TAVENNER. Those absent were Gage NORMAN and Andrea MILLER.

1830 hours to 1835 hours- Acknowledged open meetings act. Agenda items list created and written down by Bebe.

1835 hours to 1839 hours- Candace announced that \$633.92 was made from the Mutt Strut. It was discussed about doing the run again, and to not compete with other runs around the area.

1839 hours to 1843 hours- Community garden was discussed. Jeff mentioned the option of using his own property located just west of Jerome Flatts to use as a community garden. The idea of receiving grants, and working together with the school about a garden was mentioned.

1843 hours to 1845 hours- Dog Park was discussed. Bebe mentioned applying for grants. Need to decide if it is grass or gravel is to be used.

1845 hours to 1900 hours- Shooting range was discussed. Mike said that rifle shooting range is not an option at this time, because of how powerful high powered rifle calibers are. Talked about grant funds that are possibly available for indoor pistol range. Mentioned talking to NRD for trees to establish a wind break at trap shooting range. Night Trap shoot open from August 1st to September 19th from 1730 to dark ran by Chimney Rock Rod and Gun Club. Research needs to be done about building, and place for indoor pistol shooting range.

1900 hours to 1910 hours- Stan mentioned places to ride dirt bikes. He asked about the lot next to the pump house on west 8th street. The idea of talking to the school about a piece of their property was mentioned along with a couple of open lots and to talk to a private property owner. Stan explained that it is not his interest in having a place big enough for motor cross racing. Just a place big enough so people can ride to check their machine.

1910 hours to 1916 hours- Jeff talked about repairing the tennis courts. The idea of creating a possible sand Volleyball Court was mentioned and keeping a Basketball Court was mentioned.

1916 hours to 1926 hours- Next meeting will be July 17, 2018 at 1830 hours. Committee was informed that Andrea MILLER will not be able to be a member of the committee anymore, because of her being a Judge. The new Bayard Schools Athletic Director wants to be on the committee. The idea of getting Junior High and High School students be involved on the committee was mentioned. The idea of having seniors be involved on the committee was mentioned. We were informed that Mike GREEN can make Corn Hole boxes. The idea of a car-port for shade at the current Horse Shoe area was mentioned along with planting some trees in the area.

1926 hours- Meeting adjourned.