**Bloomingdale Recreation Commission**

Minutes – March 2016 Time: 8 pm Location: Bloomingdale Rec. Center

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| Brian Brenkert – President | Present | Rachel Bodor – Director Rec. | Present |
| Theresa Merino - Treasurer | Present | Mike Sondermeyer – Council Liaison |  |
| Kim Buscher - Secretary | Present | Jim Schalago – BOE Liaison | Present |
| Meg Gray | Present |  |  |
| Drew Juhlin - ROSE |  |  |  |
| John Timpanaro | Present | Rich Mizzone - Alternate |  |
| Mary Wescott | Present | Matt Zaccone - Alternate |  |

# Call to Order

* 8:06 pm

# Salute to the American Flag – Brian Brenkert

# Roll Call – see above for attendance

# Public Notice Statement

* Brian Brenkert

# Approval of Prior Minutes

* February 2016 - Theresa, Mary

# Public Comment

* Barbi Gnecco, Cindy Keegan, Laurie Havel re: Junior roller derby team (girls team, Level 2)
  + - *Looking for a place for the team to skate to skate*
    - Looking to relocate their team to be Bloomingdale based
      * Had presented it to WTB administration and was told that they needs to take it to the BOE (will eventually do that.)
      * Ideas: Looking to potentially have roller derby be offered to the town as a sport. Great alternative sport for many.
      * Liability: Carry their own insurance, Have team insurance and each member has to carry their own insurance. The rink then has them sign waivers.
      * Team is self sufficient as far as funding goes. The members pay dues.
      * Have flexibility: number of players, minutes in periods
      * Season: no set season, could feasibly do a fall and a spring season
  + Jim Schalago will mention this to the BOE when he gives his liaison report as the next step
* Jim Schalago re: Boys 4th and 5th grade basketball
  + Concerns with safety and maintaining positive sportsmanship
  + Discussed the need for training - referees and coaching staff

# Director’s Report

* See attached from Rachel Bodor
* Tri Boro Little League Donation request

# Treasurer’s Report

* Town system is down so we have no report at this time
* Comments

# ROSE and Program Liaison reports

* Report sent by Drew
* Subcommittee - Research upgrades to Bogue Park, Drew volunteered to take the lead

# Pending Business

* Nothing new to report

# New Business

* + Field rentals:
    - So far 7 teams confirmed 3 awaiting confirmation
    - Baseball and Softball - WTB and Delazier
  + Men’s softball
    - 4 teams confirmed, most likely 6 (WTB)
  + WTB bathrooms getting new locks. Needs signs so people know they are winterized and not able to be used.
  + ***Motion to approve $500 for Tri Boro and Wrestling - Meg, Theresa***

# Late Public Comment

* None

# Adjournment

* Motion to adjourn - John, Theresa - 9:15 pm

**Next meeting: Monday April 11, 2016 – 8 pm at Bloomingdale Rec. Center**