

July 8th we will celebrate the 25th Anniversary of the pool. BBQ, D.J, ribbon cutting, swim swag, invite donors.

f. Trails

Brian Wright to bring to council the development of the Kettles Creek trail.

6. Open Discussion

a. Department Reports

i. Programming and Events

See attached.

ii. Pool & Arena

Pool will be starting to open on Sunday's.

Swim lessons for April were filled in 15 minutes. Registration was online.

Frustration from community members for lack of swimming lessons. Adam indicated that we still have a limited number of certified lessons instructors but continue to work getting lifeguards to become certified.

Arena closed on March 25th.

b. Members Report

Kari Grandoni – Has been appointed President of the Westcastle Racing Club. Madison Grandoni "Stomp" Foundation will be launched on March 30.

Judy Lee – Postponed the youth cross country ski program this winter. AB Parks is interested in participating in the education piece of the Cross Country Ski Program. The Family Winter Event had a dog skijoring demonstration and AB Parks had a display. There are now 4 geocaches located in the Syncline Castle area.

Faith Zachar – April 26/27 will be the Stamps Camp. Spring camp will run May 6 – 31. Regular season starts August 1st.

Brian Wright – Water bylaws are being reviewed in anticipation of water restrictions.


Kris Larson – Midgets were knocked out of the playoffs.

7. Next Meeting

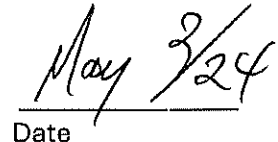
May 2 at 6:00 pm

8. Adjourn

Faith Zachar adjourned the meeting at 7:21 pm.



Approved by Kris Larson, Chair



Date

RECREATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING

March 28, 2024

Town Hall Chambers

Attendance:

Kris Larson – Chair
Kari Grandoni – Vice Chair
Brian Wright – Councillor
Faith Zachar – Community at Large
Judy Lee – Community at Large
Adam Grose – Recreation Manager
Rhonda Oczkowski – Recreation Programmer

Regrets:

Sheen Adamson

1. **Call to Order**
6:07 pm
2. **Approval of Recreation Advisory Committee March 28, 2024 Agenda**
Faith Zachar moved to approve the RAC March 28, 2024 Agenda as presented
CARRIED
3. **Approval of Recreation Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes February 15, 2024**
Brian Wright moved to approve RAC Meeting Minutes February 15, 2024 as amended.
CARRIED
4. **Business Arising from the Minutes**
 - a. **Curling Rink update**
Curling Club has contracted an architect and project manager.
5. **New Business**
 - a. **Town Hall Sports Field**
Kris Larson moved the support of Parks coordinator recommendation to remove baseball backstop and soccer frames from Central Park. Features to be pulled out to remove all hazards. CARRIED
 - b. **Soccer Frames**
See 5a.
 - c. **Summer Games**
Coaldale will be hosting the Southern Alberta Summer Games July 3 – 6th.
 - d. **Regional Swim Meet**
Dolphin Swim Club will host Regionals on August 9 – 11th.
 - e. **25th Pool Anniversary**