



TOWN OF HOPEDALE

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Park Commission

Dan Iacovelli, Chair
Bob Biagetti
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Special Note: Due to excessive snow buildup, meetings are being held at Town Hall

Called to Order 18:08

Minutes from last meeting voted on and approved

Boy Scouts are looking to do an overnight in the parklands March 28 – no objections from the commission

- Small group to hike into the park, camp
- Practice and review ‘no trace left behind’
- Recommended leaders advise fire chief and police
- Voted and Approved

Received application for summer band concert series from Hopedale Cultural Council

- June 17, 24, July 8, 15, 22, 29, August 5, 6 PM to 9 PM
- Approved

Received application for Hopedale Day in the Park from Hopedale Cultural Council

- September 12, 2015, 7 AM to 5 PM
- Approved

Pond Clean Up

- Chairman to organize a meeting with interested parties to present the drain mapping and recommendations for BMP
- Contractor pursuing grant opportunities to help with the costs

Fields and Sports

- Can't do much with the tennis courts until snow is melted
 - o Volunteer citizen Dave Guglielmi identifying companies to propose fixing the courts – Consigli no longer doing this business
- Town is taking over Rockwell Landfill in the next 6 month (rough) timeframe
 - o Most of property is easements, limiting real usage. Chairman working with the town to get a better understanding.
- Town Coordinator still working on costs for fixing damaged fields
- Mellen Field dugouts need to be addressed – need to look into drainage and cleanup

Moving forward with job description for Parks Employee, sharing time with Highway Department (Parks March – November, Highway November – March, fluid)

Parks kiosks need to get fixed – Blackstone Valley Tech will do the work if we supply the materials.

Adjourned 18:55