

Grand Isle Town Recreation Committee Minutes

November 18th, 2014

Members present: Jeff Martin, David Graham, Julie Dickie, Kate O'Neill, Shevonne Travers

Shevonne presented the most recent information about the Donaldson Park transfer, the electrical work and the plywood that was purchased to better protect one of the buildings on the property.

The committee as a whole agreed to remain in touch with Local Motion but at this time did not have the person power to assist them in furthering the bicycle trail through Grand Isle.

The committee evaluated the most recent Trunk or Treat, finding it quite successful. The Burlington Free Press put the story on the front page on Saturday, November 1st.

The committee as a whole agreed to charge a minimal amount to any North Hero or South Hero child who wished to be part of the GI youth basketball team this year.

The committee decided to level fund the recreation programs for next year. Shevonne will share this information with the town clerk.

Shevonne shared that a resident of GI might be interested in providing access to his private tennis court on East Shore South. She will see what she can do to investigate this further.

Shevonne discussed the plans for the upcoming Turkey Trot at Donaldson Park.

Julie discussed the plans for the Holiday Tree Lighting event scheduled for the first Saturday in December. The GI Historical Society will open up the school house again for this event.

David Graham expressed interest in a several day grant writing seminar and will look into it a bit further.

He also shared information about disc golf and Jeff Martin expressed an interest in looking further into this potential project.

The committee decided to open bids once again for the paving of the basketball court. Shevonne will work with her spouse, Pat Travers, to make sure these requests go out once again in January.