



Tea Park & Recreation Board

Wednesday, May 17, 2023 at 6:30 pm

Board Members: Vicki Pick, John Ganschow, Hallie Munoz, Curt Hauff, & Jeff Portner

Chaired by Brian Headrick

Tea City Hall, 600 E. 1st St., Tea, SD 57064

1. CALL TO ORDER

2. APPROVE THE AGENDA AS PRINTED

Motion by _____ Seconded by _____ to
approve the agenda as printed. Vote:

3. APPROVE THE PARK AND RECREATION BOARD MINUTES

Motion by _____ Seconded by _____ to
approve the Park and Recreation Board minutes on the April 19, 2023 regular
meeting. Vote:

4. PUBLIC SPEAKING (5 Minute Limit Per Speaker)

5. RECREATION REPORT

- a. Spring Soccer Update – U5-U8 ends season on Saturday, May 20. U9-U12 will still have till early June.
- b. Softball Update
- c. Baseball Update
- d. T-Ball Registration Update – Current # of Participants: 222 (as of 5/9/23). Registration ends on Friday, May 26.
- e. Flag Football & Fall Soccer Registration opens on Wednesday, May 31.
- f. Summer Rec. Program – Current # of Participants: 53 (as of 5/9/23). Registration ends on Friday, May 26.
- g. Looking to combine Baseball and Softball Registration together. Issues with parents putting their children in the wrong program. With two separate registrations, you can't just transfer them. There's a lengthy process, which causes more time and more chances of mistakes. I will speak with Harrisburg at the end of the season on this since they also made this change because of this issue.

6. OTHER BUSINESS

- a. Tea Parks and Recreation received the Lyon County – Riverboat Foundation Mini Grant for \$3,000 for new softball & baseball equipment upgrades. All items have been ordered, and Kerr processed it with the foundation to begin the process for them to send us the check.
- b. Tea Pot Days Float
- c. Pickleball lines at Tennis Courts Update - I sent an email to Scott Janco Surfacing. He emailed me back letting me know that they're hoping to get to Tea next week to get the lines painted.

7. BOARD MEMBERS PUBLIC SPEAKING (5 Minute Limit)

8. ADJOURNMENT



Motion by _____ Seconded by _____ to set
Wednesday, June 21 at 6:30 P.M. as the date for the next regular meeting of the Tea Park and
Recreation Board and adjourn this session at _____ P.M. Vote:



Tea Park & Recreation Board Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, April 19, 2023 at 6:30 pm

The regular meeting of the Tea Park and Recreation Board was held on Wednesday, April 19, 2023 at 6:30pm at Tea City Hall. Board members present were: Vicki Pick, Jeff Portner, and John Ganschow. Chaired by Brian Headrick. Also present: Jake Kerr

-Motion made by Pick and Seconded by Ganschow to approve the current agenda as printed. Ayes, all in favor. Motion carried.

-Motion made by Portner Seconded by Pick to approve the March 15, 2023 Tea Park and Recreation Board Minutes. Ayes, all in favor. Motion carried.

RECREATION REPORT

- Pick provided an update on the "A Matter of Balance" class provided by Sanford. This isn't a Tea Parks and Rec. Program, but we helped get the word out of this class so we can offer it in Tea.

- Kerr provided an update on Spring Soccer.

- Kerr provided an update on Volleyball Skills Camp. – It was completed on Sunday, April 16.

- Kerr updated the board on Adult Pickleball League. League completed on Wednesday, April 12. Kerr will look to make small changes for next year's league. Looking to have 20 teams. It would be 10 teams in the advanced division and 10 teams in the beginner division.

- Porter & Kerr provided an update on Baseball and Softball programs.

- Kerr provided an update on T-Ball. There was a total of 154 participants as of 4/11/23.

- Kerr provided an update on Summer Rec. Program. Registration is running a little late with SportsEngine but once it's up Kerr will email last years participants and put an ad out on our social media pages.

- Kerr provided information with having rec. jerseys for multiple programs. This was just a discussion, and which the board provided feedback on this topic.

- Kerr provided a document with having a Tea Parks and Recreation Roster Policy. Kerr provided the reason to have this as a policy for our recreation program, which he explained the issues he had with Spring Soccer.

- Motion made by Pick and Seconded by Ganschow to approve the [Tea Parks and Recreation Roster Policy](#). Ayes, all in favor. Motion Carried.

- Kerr spoke on coaching discount policy. The issue is some people taking the discount and being a coach. Which can be hard to track, with all the participants. The Board and Kerr agreed to still have the discount but refund the coaching discount at the end of the program.

OTHER BUSINESS/QUESTIONS

- Kerr provided an update on the Lyon County Riverboat Foundation Mini Grant for \$3,000. He explained that it will be a random drawing for the grant, which half of the people that applied for the grant will receive their grant application. The presentation is on Monday, April 24.



- Kerr informed the board he received a grant for \$950 to put pickleball line on the Tea Tennis Courts. He contacted Janco Surfacing to do the pickleball lines. They informed Kerr there's no set date in which they'll but will give him a call when he's on the list for the project.

Motion by Portner seconded by Pick to set Wednesday, May 17, 2023 at 6:30pm for the next regular meeting of the Tea Park and Recreation Board and adjourn this session at 8:00 P.M.. Ayes, all in favor.
Motion carried

Jacob Kerr
Tea Park & Recreation Director