

PARK BOARD
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The Park Board of the Town of St. John met on this date with the following members present:

Attendee 1, Ronald Estep	Attendee 4, Carolyn Walsko
Attendee 2, Richard Spring	Attendee 5,
Attendee 3, Bernie Ducat	Attendee 6,

The following members absent:

Absent 1,	Absent 4
Absent 2,	Absent 5
Absent 3,	Absent 6

The meeting was called to order at 7:35 p.m. by President Ronald Estep.

The Pledge of Allegiance to the flag was said.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The Secretary read the minutes of the February 19, 1981 meeting. The minutes were approved unanimously.

CORRESPONDENCE

Ron Estep received from the Lake County Parks Department information n "Fitness Fun" to be held at Stoney Run County Park on June 6th, 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Richard Spring read correspondence from the Lake County Parks Department. The position of Public Information Officer is open and applications are now being accepted.

OLD BUSINESS

No old business was discussed.

ASSIGNMENTS

- A. Summer Program – Carolyn Walsko had nothing to report.
- B. Winter Program – Richard Spring had nothing to report.
- C. Volleyball Program – Bernard Ducat reported attendance still at 14 to 15 a week (a note: Bernard Ducat sprained his ankle).
- D. Fitness Program – Ronald Estep reported “Run for Fun” still going on.
- E. Budget – Will be discussed as new business.
- F. Park Maintenance – Richard Spring reported none of the park areas had received any fill yet. Mr. Spring is still looking for a part-time maintenance person.
- G. Public Relations – Carolyn Walsko had nothing to report.
- H. Town Board Liaison – Ronald Estep had nothing to report.
- I. Softball & Baseball – Bernard Ducat received a letter from the St. John Girls Softball and St. John Boys Little League. Mr. Estep informed Bernie he can expect a letter from the St. John Fire Department for the use of Larimer Park on Sundays.

NEW BUSINESS

Ronald Estep reported our budget has been reduced to \$14,775.00 by the State Board of Accounts. The parks tax rate has been reduced to \$193.00. Mr. Estep suggested that the members reduce #726 for Other Equipment from \$5,000.00 to \$2,335.00. Ronald Estep made the formal motion to reduce account #726 from \$5,000.00 to \$2,335.00. Seconded by Bernie Ducat. The motion was passed unanimously.

It was brought up that the Park Board will have to watch their spending this year.

There were no bills to be paid.

ADJOURNMENT

Motion was made by Carolyn Walsko to adjourn. Seconded by Bernard Ducat. The meeting was adjourned at 8:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

By: /s/ Carolyn Walsko
Secretary