

**Town of Wilmington  
Recreation Commission  
Minutes of the Meeting  
March 3, 2022**

**Present:**

Members – Sares Alambath, Charles Biondo, Michael Burns, and Laurie Robarge

Also in Attendance – Recreation Director Karen Campbell, and Senior Clerk, Marilyn Manos

Absent – Jennifer Crane

The meeting was called to order at 5:05 p.m.

**Minutes**

The February 10, 2022 meeting minutes were accepted unanimously. Motion by Charles Biondo; second by Laurie Robarge.

**Director's Report:** Karen reviewed the details of the Monthly Report for February 2022.

**Old Business:**

Finance Committee meeting – February 10

“Recreation Wear”: T-shirts have arrived! With Cardsmart gone, there are not many places to purchase Wilmington apparel. We created t-shirts to show your town spirit and they are now available in our office for \$15, as well as Wilmington Recreation caps for \$25.

**New Business:**

All members present agreed to change the next Commission meeting to April 14.

Yentile bathrooms: Residents went to social media to ask when the Yentile bathrooms would open. It does not seem to be understood that the bathrooms undergo winterization so the pipes do not freeze and cannot just open and close whenever the weather is nice.

Spring/Summer program registrations: Our Playground Program filled with a total of 240 kids in 2.5 weeks. Tiny Tots/Kids Club are both still available with steady registrations. We have day trips available each month through August. “Cabbage Island” filled quickly, and “Spring Fling” has 2 seats left! All overnight trips are full as well.

**Discussion/Questions:**

Quality of water at Silver Lake: Overall it is beautiful and we as a community are lucky to have it. The visiting geese made it problematic for Summer 2021 and caused beach closures.

Swimming at the lake will open Saturday, June 11 – Sunday, August 7, 10 – 6 p.m. The hours will be the same as last year, which is very helpful due to the lifeguard shortage.

The next meeting will be held on Thursday, April 14, 2022 at 5:00 p.m. in Town Hall, Room 9.

The meeting was adjourned at 5:51 p.m. by a unanimous vote. Motion by Laurie Robarge; second by Charles Biondo and Sares Alambath.

Marilyn Manos  
Senior Clerk, Recreation