

Denton Parks and Recreation Board

April 15, 2024 Minutes

Attendance: Susan Craven, Becky White, Logan Berg, Sam Grimes

Absent: Venus Chapman

Other Attendees: Town Manager, Angel Jenkins, and Mayor Larry Ward

1. **Call to Order:** Becky White called the meeting to order.
2. **Adopt Agenda:**
3. **Approval of Minutes:** Susan Craven motioned, and Sam Grimes seconded.
4. **Citizen Comment:** none
5. **Regular Business:**
 - a. Summer Kick-off: June 1st
 - i. Movie is paid and approved last month "Wonka".
 - ii. Central Methodist is providing the hot dog dinner (will make sure they are providing the chips and drinks as well)
 - iii. Logan Berg will dress up like Wonka.
 - iv. Decorations we have candy canes and lollypops.
 - v. Michelle Timmons with the Worship Center (formerly Pentecostals of Denton) would like to be involved as well.
 - vi. Contact your churches for participation.
 - vii. We provide the popcorn at 8:30pm (have plenty in stock no order at this time)
 - viii. Cotton Candy, will we have the machine or need someone to make it for the event?
 - b. Harvest Pageant:
 - i. Check in on Friday night 6-8pm: Provide pizza party, music, etc.
 - ii. Friday night discussed "Summer Stroll" downtown with community businesses and a car show.
 - iii. Saturday Itinerary: Food trucks
 1. Corn hole tournament: From 10-1pm
 2. Pageant: 12-3pm
 3. 3-8 pm Band, food trucks, Pageant winners announced
 - c. Bike Rodeo:
 - i. Library's grant was approved: Need help with event.
 - ii. Received \$400.00 in donations for event.
 - d. Flyer needs to be sent out to parents at schools for the next three events.
 - i. Summer kick-off
 - ii. Harvest Pageant, car show, and Summer Stroll Back to School Bash

6. **Financial Report:** none at this time.

7. **Comments:**

- Mayor Larry Ward shared the statistics about the different age groups that make up the population in Denton.
 - Children 0-18 25 ½ % of Population
 - Adults 18-64 64.4 % of Population
 - Adults 65 + = 14.2 % population

Mayor Ward suggested having more events for the age group for adults to senior citizens.

- Logan Berg stated that the bunny suit will be cleaned by Denton Wesleyan Church.
- Becky White stated that Martha King has Christmas decorations to donate to Parks and Recreation.

8. **Adjourn:** Logan Berg motioned and Sam Grimes Seconded