

## **Loudon Recreation Meeting Minutes for March 28, 2012**

**In attendance: Alicia Grimaldi, , Jen Pfeifer, Juliana Brien, Laurie Jaquith and Kim Therrien**

**Winter Carnival and Fishing Derby were cancelled due to inclement weather. We will try again next year. Having the details posted on the town website was very helpful in communicating to the community. A special thanks to Loudon Communication Council for assisting us with this method of communication.**

**Loudon Recreation Committee is now on Facebook.**

**Zumba continues to be a huge success with 35 participants for the 4/13-5/25 class. Classes will run through the end of the school year. Melissa Minery to speak with instructor, Tammy Gray to determine if we will hold classes this summer.**

**Alicia Grimaldi and Tom Stevens met with LYAA to discuss coordinating schedules for field use at Landry and Dow Rec Fields. It was unanimous that this was a great idea. LYAA to contact the town clerk and the administrator of the LYAA website to link calendars. A calendar will be link to LYAA and town website. LYAA will be administrators of the site coordinating Rec/Town/Softball/Baseball and Soccer schedules.**

**Also, while at LYAA meeting Comcast was in attendance speaking of an Earthday Field Clean Up day which would be a fundraiser held on April 21<sup>st</sup> from 8:30 to 1:30pm. They will match funds for volunteers providing money and donation of product and services to clean up and work on projects for our Recreation Fields. LYAA to coordinate efforts.**

**Amanda Masse coordinated a babysitting class for March 24<sup>th</sup> for children 12 participants. We have 4 more on a waiting list and if we get an additional 4 we ccan hold another class. Forms are available on the town website, [www.loudonnh.org](http://www.loudonnh.org)**

**Jen Pfeifer received confirmation on Children's Stage Adventures for our week long theater production camp, "The Sword Called Exalibur." Camp will run from July 9<sup>th</sup> thru the 13<sup>th</sup> @ 10:15 to 4:15. Registrations are available on website, [www.loudonnh.org](http://www.loudonnh.org) The committee is looking for a pianist for this year's production. Please contact Alicia Grimaldi @ [affirmhealth@yahoo.com](mailto:affirmhealth@yahoo.com) if interested.**

**Mark Roth, Loudon Resident and Tai Chi instructor will be holding classes beginning April 2<sup>nd</sup> through April 23<sup>rd</sup>, Mondays at 10am.**

**The Loudon Fire Department is holding an open house at the station at 8 Cooper St. on May 5<sup>th</sup> from 10am to 2pm. There will be demonstrations, Q&A, a First Aid**

**Station, Hot Dogs, Beverages, Cotton Candy, Balloons and a Coloring Contest. Loudon Recreation Committee will rent a cotton candy machine from Taylor Rental for the day and purchase coloring books. Kim Therrien has volunteered to do a craft table. Additional volunteers are needed; please let us know if you are able to assist.**

**Bike Safety will be held May 12<sup>th</sup> this year. Boy Scouts will be coordinating.**

**Sadly, Ron Trott has passed away after a long illness. Ron being an amazing giver, sports enthusiast and a man who loved his community wanted to do something for the youth of Loudon. His wife Lynn has coordinated with Loudon Country Club to fund youth programming through Loudon Recreation Committee for golf lessons. Donations can be made to Loudon Recreation Committee for golf instruction on behalf of Ron.**

**Golf Lessons to begin in May for youth, teens and adults at the Loudon Country Club. Registration forms will be available soon at [www.loudonnh.org](http://www.loudonnh.org)**

**Warrant Article #6 passed at town meeting to improve conditions at tennis and basketball courts at the Recreation Field. Kim Therrien will be our tennis instructor again this year and will announce summer schedule soon.**

**It's time to start creating the line up for Community Summer Fun Nights held at the Loudon Recreation Field during the summer every Wednesday evening beginning July 11<sup>th</sup> running through August 22<sup>nd</sup> from 7-8pm.**

**We will begin with our ice cream social with face painting, band Next of Kin, and horse drawn cart rides with Stoneboat Farm. We are presently forming our line up and it will be posted in the Ledger and online as soon as it's solidified.**

**If you have ideas or would like to run a program through the Loudon Recreation Committee please contact Alicia Grimaldi at [affirmhealth@yahoo.com](mailto:affirmhealth@yahoo.com) or call 603-568-5575.**

**The next Loudon Recreation Committee meeting will be held on April 25<sup>th</sup> @ 6:30pm at the Maxfield Public Library.**