

**SUNDRIDGE – STRONG RECREATION COMMITTEE
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 2, 2015**

PRESENT: **Sundridge** – Ryan Jeffers, Russell Becker, Dorothy Green
and Steve Tompkins

Strong – Kelly Elik, Jeff McLaren, Shirley McGirr and
Brandon Schmidt

ABSENT: Strong – Stephane Aubin

GUEST: Budd Brown, Township of Joly Councillor

STAFF PRESENT: Bettyann Muir, Joint Recording Secretary/Deputy Clerk
Village of Sundridge

C1 CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 7:05 p.m. by Chairperson Kelly Elik.

C2 APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

The agenda had been circulated to the committee. It was

MOVED BY: Ryan Jeffers
SECONDED BY: Shirley McGirr

**That the agenda be approved as circulated for the April 2, 2015 meeting.
Carried**

C3 DECLARATION OF PECUNIARY INTEREST

None

C4 VERIFICATION OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

The minutes of the March 5, 2015 meeting were circulated. It was

MOVED BY: Dorothy Green
SECONDED BY: Steve Tompkins

**That we approve the minutes of the March 5, 2015 meeting be adopted as
circulated. Carried**

Russell Becker entered the meeting at 7:10 p.m.

C5 BUSINESS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES

Kelly told the committee that Jason Cottrell had found out that Kelly Hickey was the contact name for the snowmobile races in Magnetawan. Discussion took place with regard to hosting snowmobile races.

C6 SPECIAL BUSINESS/DEPUTATION

None

C7 SPECIAL COMMITTEE/TASK FORCE REPORTS

None

C8 FOLLOWUP/NEW BUSINESS

SWIM PROGRAM

No applications have been received for a Swim Instructor Supervisor. Bettyann was asked to advertise through Employment North and also speak to Jocelyn Palm at Glen Bernard Park to see if there was a possibility of sharing a swim instructor. Jeff said he would be seeing Kim Bos at the swim program at Caswell's and will ask her if she knows anyone else who may be qualified. One Swim Assistant application was received. Bettyann was instructed to send out a letter to the applicant explaining that the committee did not receive any applications for a Swim Instructor Supervisor and one is needed to carry out the swim program. The committee will keep looking until June. In the letter the committee will state that the applicant can leave his name in and if he wishes to withdraw his application the committee will understand but would he let the committee know either way.

Brandon Schmidt entered the meeting at 7:25 p.m.

CANADA DAY

Discussion took place with regard to changing the parade time from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. A vote was taken and the parade will be at 4:00 p.m. Bettyann is to contact the Almaguin All Animal Rescue Group to see if the group would be interested in holding children's games like they did at the Family Day Event. Brandon will look into renting the Dunk Tank. There will be face painting, a car racing track, Lakeland Bucket Rides, rock painting and face painting. Bettyann will contact the ladies to see if they are available for face painting. The committee will meet at noon at the waterfront to set up and decorate for the event. A ladder is needed. A to do list will be bought back to the next meeting. Bettyann said she had spoken to Dave St. Onge and he had given a price of \$600.00 for his band to play in the evening after the Steel Band. Dave said his fee was negotiable. Discussion took place with regard to having the Swamp Donkees also play. Bettyann is to call Davey Meloy and ask if he is available and try and negotiation the same price for both bands. Kelly asked who owned the large tents that are stored in the Sundridge municipal garage. Bettyann told her that she thought they belonged to the Sunflower Festival Committee. Kelly will look into it and will ask if the Recreation Committee could borrow them for Canada Day.

TREE LIGHTING

The date of this event will be Sunday, December 6th, 2015. Kelly checked and the Burk's Falls parade is on the Saturday, December 5th, 2015.

FAMILY DAY CELEBRATION

No discussion at this point

OTHER PROGRAMS

- Discussion took place regarding the movie nights that are being held at AHSS. The next movie night will be April 10, 2015. The committee doesn't want to hold their physical activity nights the same night.
- Bettyann will try and book Friday, May 1, 2015 for the next Physical Activity Night. Ryan, Shirley, Jeff and Russell will work the Physical Activity Night at the school. Ryan will pick up some water. It was suggested not to have the two different 45 minute times. Just have the activity from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m. for children from SK to Grade 6. Shirley asked if it could be noted on the notes that go out to the school that the students must wear indoor shoes and to please take them home from school at the end of the day on Friday and bring them back for this activity so they don't go through the school to get them that evening. They are just to be in the gym.
- Bettyann had obtained a price for new golf shirts for the committee members with their names and the Sundridge – Strong Recreation Committee member logo on them. The committee members agreed to pay for half of the golf shirts.

C9 CORRESPONDENCE

A letter had been received from Laura Sullivan asking permission from the Recreation Committee to borrow their popcorn machine and their candy floss machine for the official opening of the Splash Pad. The Splash for Stacey Committee will pay for the popcorn and the candy floss. There will be no cost to the public for the treats.

C10 NON AGENDA BUSINESS

None

C11 ADJOURNMENT

MOVED BY: Ryan Jeffers

SECONDED BY: Jeff McLaren

That we do now adjourn at 9:05 p.m. until the next regular meeting Thursday, May 7, 2015 or at the call of the chair. Carried

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Kelly Elik
Chair

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Bettyann Muir
Joint Committee Recording Secretary
Deputy Clerk Village of Sundridge