

**SUNDRIDGE – STRONG RECREATION COMMITTEE
THURSDAY, March 3, 2016**

PRESENT: **Sundridge** – Ryan Jeffers, Jason Newman, John Carney,
Steve Tompkins and Dorothy Green

Strong – Kelly Elik, Jeff McLaren, Shirley McGirr,
and Betty McLaren

GUEST: Brian McCabe, Township of Joly Councillor
Steven Kissoon

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

C1 CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Chairperson Kelly Elik.

C2 APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

The agenda had been circulated. It was

MOVED BY: Shirley McGirr

SECONDED BY: Ryan Jeffers

That the agenda be approved as circulated for the March 3, 2016 meeting. Carried

C3 DECLARATION OF PECUNIARY INTEREST

None

C4 VERIFICATION OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

The minutes of the February 4, 2016 meeting were circulated. It was

MOVED BY: Jeff McLaren

SECONDED BY: John Carney

That we approve the minutes of the February 4, 2016 meeting be adopted as circulated. Carried

C5 BUSINESS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES

Kelly asked if we had heard anything back from Jocelyn Palm, Glen Bernard Camp. Bettyann replied no that she had not received anything from her to date.

C6 SPECIAL BUSINESS/DEPUTATION

None

C7 SPECIAL COMMITTEE/TASK FORCE REPORTS

None

C8 FOLLOWUP/NEW BUSINESS

SWIM PROGRAM

Discussion took place with regard to the swim program. The committee decided to place an ad in the paper and also to place the ad on both the Sundridge and Strong websites and also on the Sundridge Facebook page advertising that the committee will be providing swim lessons this summer. The committee felt that they should get going on this. Hopefully before the next meeting we will have heard something back from Jocelyn Palm. Dorothy said she had been speaking to a student and she felt that she was qualified to teach swim lessons. Dorothy will try and contact the student and have her call the office.

At the teen dance on February 12th there were about 28 kids in attendance. Comments were the age range was too large. Discussion took place with regard to hosting another dance. This time a pre teen dance was decided ages 10 – 14. Bettyann is to check with the Arena and Dennis Johnstone to see if Friday, May 13th from 7 – 10 p.m. will work. The committee will ask Stephanie Booth if she will do the booth for the dance.

CANADA DAY

Saturday, July 2, 2016

TREE LIGHTING

FAMILY DAY CELEBRATION

The committee decided to hold the Family Day Celebration of Saturday, March 19, 2016 from 1 – 4 p.m. at the SSJ Arena. Bettyann will book the arena, check to see if the ice will still be in for public skating that day, ask Betty Barnes if the Happy Gang would still be interested in serving the hot drinks, ask Jackie Vandebroek if she would be available to help with the craft table to help Dorothy, contact the All Animal Rescue Group for the games, the ladies for face painting and contact the Hubberts to see if they would be interested in doing a taffy pull. Bettyann will put the ad in the paper and send notes out through the school. Brian McCabe will contact ChocPaw for the dog sleds and let Bettyann know if they will be available for that date. Jason will contact Shannon and Mike at the golf course to see if they are available that day also. If there is still snow Kelly will bring the crazy carpets for sledding. It was decided to have cotton candy at the event.

2016 BUDGET

A copy of the 2016 budget was circulated and the committee reviewed it. Kelly asked if the committee was okay with it. Everyone thought it was fine. Kelly asked if the committee members had any other ideas to add. John spoke about the possibility of

having a community garden. John will look into this and get back to the committee with ideas and costs. It was

MOVED BY: Ryan Jeffers
SECONDED BY: Jeff McLaren

That the Sundridge – Strong Recreation Committee accept the 2016 Budget in the amount of \$25,820.00 and recommend that it be accepted by the Village of Sundridge and the Township of Strong. Carried

OTHER PROGRAMS

- Possible dates for Physical Activity Nights – Book school for April 15 or 22, May 27 and June 17

C9 CORRESPONDENCE

None

C10 NON AGENDA BUSINESS

C11 ADJOURNMENT

MOVED BY: Betty McLaren
SECONDED BY: Shirley McGirr

That we do now adjourn at 8:15 p.m. until the next regular meeting Thursday, April 7, 2016 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