



Tea Park & Recreation Board

Wednesday, September 20, 2023 at 6:30 pm

Board Members: Vicki Pick, John Ganschow, Hallie Munoz, Curt Hauff, & Jeff Portner

Chaired by Brian Headrick

Tea City Hall, 600 E. 1st St., Tea, SD 57064

1. CALL TO ORDER

2. APPROVE THE AGENDA AS PRINTED

Motion by _____ Seconded by _____ to
approve the agenda as printed. Vote:

3. APPROVE THE PARK AND RECREATION BOARD MINUTES

Motion by _____ Seconded by _____ to
approve the Park and Recreation Board minutes on the August 16, 2023 regular
meeting. Vote:

4. PUBLIC SPEAKING (5 Minute Limit Per Speaker)

5. RECREATION REPORT

- a. Flag Football Update – 3 weeks of regular season games are completed. Had to move the games back a week to due to high temperatures on Saturday, August 19. Playoff games will now be on Saturday, October 7.
- b. Fall Soccer Update – 4 weeks of games have been completed for Pre-K-2nd Gr, last day of games is on Sat., Sept. 30. 3rd-6th Gr. Started their games on Saturday, September 9.
- c. [Youth Basketball Update \(Kindergarten & 1st grade\)](#) – Registration deadline is Sunday, September 24 (11:45pm). Current number of participants in the program will be given at the meeting.
- d. [Adult Co-Ed Volleyball League](#) – Currently have completed 2 weeks of regular season games.
- e. Softball Update – Meeting with Harrisburg on Thursday, September 14 to do a recap and improvements for next year.
- f. Youth Indoor Soccer – Kerr will provide an update for this program at the meeting.
- g. Morning Summer Rec Programs

6. OTHER BUSINESS

- a. The Tennis/Pickleball signs are now up. The signs are located by each entrance.
- b. Tea Baseball Association Update
- c. AED for Tea Parks & Rec. Department Update
- d. Wild Water West Update
- e. Smoking/Vaping at youth activities: *Youth activities are those in which the intended participants and/or the attendees are primarily under 18 years of age.*

7. BOARD MEMBERS PUBLIC SPEAKING (5 Minute Limit)

8. ADJOURNMENT



Motion by _____ Seconded by _____ to set
Wednesday, October 18, 2023 at 6:30 P.M. as the date for the next regular meeting of the Tea Park and
Recreation Board and adjourn this session at _____ P.M. Vote:



Tea Park & Recreation Board Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, August 16, 2023 at 6:30 pm

The regular meeting of the Tea Park and Recreation Board was held on Wednesday, August 16, 2023 at 6:30pm at Tea City Hall. Board members present were: John Ganschow, Hallie Munoz, Vicki Pick, Jeff Portner, and Curt Hauff. Chaired by Brian Headrick. Also present: Jake Kerr, Rob Schramm (Tea Baseball Association), & Jim Erck (Tea City Council Member – Ward II).

-Motion made by Portner Seconded by Ganschow to move agenda item Tea Baseball Association (6-b.) to Public Speaking (4-a.), and to approve the agenda after moving that agenda item. Ayes, all in favor. Motion Carried.

-Motion made by Portner Seconded by Pick to approve the July 26, 2023 Tea Park and Recreation Board Minutes. Ayes, all in favor. Motion Carried.

Public Speaking

- Rob Schramm talked to the Tea Park and Recreation Board about taking over the Tea Parks & Rec. Baseball program, and the Tea Parks & Rec. T-Ball program. These programs then would go under the umbrella of the Tea Baseball Association. He also presented ideas in which they would run the baseball program. The Park and Rec. Board thanked Rob for coming to the meeting, and providing that information to them. They let him know that this isn't a decision they can make, and he'd have to get Tea City Council approval.

RECREATION REPORT

- Portner provided an update on T-Ball. The season concluded as of Tuesday, August 15.

- Headrick provided information to the board on Flag Football. The first week of games is on Saturday, August 19. Kerr let the board know they still need two more coaches and is working with those teams to get them a coach.

- Hauff provided an update on fall soccer. Their first set of games for Pre-K-2nd Grade is on Saturday, August 19. Hauff let the board know they're still waiting for DASC to provide them with the schedule. Kerr let the board know once he gets the schedule from DASC that he will email that out to parents with the schedule. Kerr also provided that they still need coaches for three teams, and he's also working with the teams to find a coach for those teams.

- Kerr provided an update on youth basketball which includes Kindergarten and 1st grade. Kerr presented the schedule that works for us to host the program. Due to schedule conflicts, there was a two-week break between the program, the board decided it would be best for it to be 4 weeks instead of 5 weeks because of the long break. Kerr said that he will change that in the registration form, and then get the registration online.

- Kerr provided an update on Adult Co-Ed Volleyball. Kerr mentioned that they have a total of 12 teams which is the most that he can have. Kerr mentioned that he will have two supervisors at the program to help set up, tear down, and keep track of scores. Kerr will be there to help the supervisors the first two weeks so that the program can run smoothly.



OTHER BUSINESS/QUESTIONS

- Kerr mentioned that the Pickleball/Tennis Rule signs are completed, and he has them. He will find a date that works best to hang them up at the facility.
- Munoz provided information about food trucks being at our Fall programs on Saturdays. The board was acceptable with them doing that and saw that as very beneficial for a local business and for parents that attend our games.
- The board brought to Kerr's attention about having an AED at the Tea Athletic Complex. Kerr said he will look at purchasing one.
- The board also brought to Kerr's attention about smoking/vaping during youth activities. There is no state law or city code in which spectators can't. The board will look more into this topic for further discussion.

Motion by Pick seconded by Ganschow to set Wednesday, September 20, 2023 at 6:30pm for the next regular meeting of the Tea Park and Recreation Board and adjourn this session at 7:54 P.M.. Ayes, all in favor. Motion Carried.

Jacob Kerr
Tea Park & Recreation Director