

Fremont Parks and Recreations Board

March 29, 2011

Meeting Minutes

Attending: Neil Ledet, Anne Abernathy, Michael Rumsey, Russell Amaden.

Meeting of Park Board called to order at 6:05 pm.

Minutes from February 8, 2011 meeting read. Minutes approved.

Agenda Items

New Business

- The Community Garden topic was discussed and it was decided that due to a lack of response, this will be tabled at this time. The Park Board will continue to look for a suitable location for a garden through the summer and approach this topic again next year.
- The topic of adding Fruit/Nut trees to the Broad St. park was discussed. Many varieties of trees were considered, including: Hazelnut, Cherry and Pear, along with Gooseberry Shrubs. Neil & Russ will review various varieties and report back at the next meeting. The Board will meet at the park next month to decide on where the trees and shrubs will be placed. Mike will approach the Glee Club on to see if they would be interested in adopting a tree.
- Rain Barrels were also discussed. The Soil & Water District has a grant that will allow them to sell the barrels for \$25.00. An informational meeting will be held at the Library on Tuesday, April 19th at 6:00 p.m. Interested customers must attend the meeting in order to be able to purchase a rain barrel. Additional information meetings will be scheduled in the future.
- Summer camps-Mike reported that Mr. Byler was not in a position to help with a Tennis Camp at this time so this idea has been tabled for this year. Anne will contact the art instructors from last year and schedule them for this year. The board voted to keep the same format as last year for this year's Art Camp.
- As of our meeting, Anne still has not been approached by the Student Council on the board assisting with the Easter Egg Hunt. Mike will contact Mr. Wirrick the Student Council advisor to find out details.
- The next meeting was rescheduled for Monday 4/11 so that those interested could attend the Gardening Meeting at the Library on Tuesday 4/12.

Next meeting tentatively set for April 11 at 6:00 at the Broad St. Park

Meeting was adjourned at 7:00

Meeting Minutes read and approved (as amended if necessary)

Anne Abernathey, President

Neil Ledet, Vice President

Michael Rumsey

Russell Amaden