

July Regular Board Meeting Minutes July 7, 2020

Members

- Present: Jill Newby, Erica Parvin, Janna Hyman, Reba Casler
- > Absent: Rick Homkes, Matt Johnson
- Guests: None
- Meeting started at 7:00 pm

Topics

- > RTP Fundraising
 - o Bricks: Don Parvin had the idea to advertise with Stout and Sons. Reba will head up this new avenue
 - Foundation grant: installation of signs should be finished up by the end of July.
- ➤ Eagle Scout Project
 - Sand volleyball court: The Eagle Scout has dropped out the project due to it being a much larger undertaking than is going to be possible for him at this time. We are still waiting to hear from Martin Marietta about sand and pea gravel donation and maybe we can get the school volleyball teams to help out with this project.
- ➤ Shelter/Playground in CC Park
 - We need to start fundraising and look into other grants to help cover what the DNR grant wouldn't.
- The new playground piece was placed in the park
- We need to get bottle caps cleaned and sorted
- Color Run
 - Planning on hosting a color run partnering with Russiaville Health Care and Western HS
 Environmental Club; we would like to plan this shortly after school opens up as we don't know how long things will stay open!
- Sound Baffles
 - This is still on hold; we are waiting for information from Dave Kieser in order to complete this.
- New Park and Tree Board Member is still being sought after
- Disc Gold course was approved by Town Council
- > Trees still need to be trimmed
- Crenshaw completed two coats of sealer on the walking trail
- Retention wall at Western Heights Pond was completed with rip rap
- Park Mulch
 - o Kaleb Hollingsworth donated the mulch.
 - Erica Parvin' son's baseball team spread this out for us! A huge thank you to the Russiaville Babe Ruth League!
- > Artwork for the parks:



- Eric and Adam Shepherd are going to be tearing the old merry go round down and hopeful able to make a caterpillar of some sort from it to be placed in the park.
- They also have agreed to form a fence made from old iron wheels that we are hoping to collect from local farmers to celebrate our farming community. Janna is going to post on Facebook and try to get these donations.

Ash trees

They will have a second treatment from Makayla Lucas this week for an additional \$300.
 This is on top of the \$700 that was already spent on the first treatment, bringing the total cost to \$1000. She is very confident that the first treatment worked really well for them.

New Merry go round:

- o Erica is going to head up some fundraisers to cover the cost
- o \$4620 for the merry go round, \$500 for the delivery and \$1500 for the installation.

Adjourned at 8:40 pm Minutes taken by Erica Parvin