

Wakefield Parks & Recreation Meeting
Monday, November 27, 2023

Present: Ed Ball, Sherry Hatch, Beth Hayes, Wayne Robinson, Greg Hall, Don Cheever, John Meyers, Bo Keating, Alyssa Hall. Unable to attend: Danielle West, Robert Shepard, Tiffany Drena.

Minutes from previous meeting were approved:

Old Business:

Breakfast with Santa:

This coming Saturday. We will have approx. 100 baskets. Items will be brought from the Rec. to the Town Hall on Wednesday and Thursday, all are encouraged to help. Alyssa will send out a note on the group chat. Staffing looks good for the event. We will also be doing cookie decorating. Ticket sales will go to 1 pm. We will have a few vendors selling crafts. Lino donated breakfast goodies.

We discussed using a different ticket format that would require the ticket purchaser to not have to write their names.

Christmas Tree Lighting:

This Friday at 6:30 pm. The tree looks wonderful. Santa is lined up for both events. The weather is expected to be nice.

Basketball Update:

The program is starting this week, In the future we may bump the program into January as this time of year is so busy. We have 4 teams for $\frac{1}{2}$, $\frac{3}{4}$, $\frac{5}{6}$, and then $2\frac{7}{8}$ teams. We are working to find competing teams to play. We work closely with the school on scheduling gym time.

New Business: NONE

Unscheduled:

Pavillion – they continue to work on it and we are working with EverSource on relocating a power line. So far the foundation base is poured. The old snack shack will also be coming down.

Next meeting: Monday, December 11, 2023 @ 5:30 pm

Adjournment at pm

Beth Hayes, Secretary