

# **West Stockbridge Parks & Recreation Committee**

**Minutes for Meeting on:**

**1/11/2023 - 5:00PM**

**21 State Line Road, West Stockbridge, MA**

Attendance: Caitlin Graham (CG), Joe Roy (JR), Helen Nolan (HN)

- 5:03PM Meeting in session.
- CG made a motion to approve previous meeting's minutes. HN seconded. All approved
- Reflections on Sparkles 2022:
  - No DG next year. We provide our own music.
  - JR mentioned that he heard a lot of people ask to not do a parade next year and focus more on indoor activities in the gym.
  - CG mentioned that if we don't do a tree lighting then we don't have to do it at night. Focus mostly on indoor in the gym where it is much more comfortable.
  - Maybe next year have a couple of videos of Santa and the elves decorating and lighting the town tree and post it on social media.
  - Need to buy a new Santa suit.
  - Look into a service to decorate downtown next year.
- CG mentioned that she has received 3 volunteers for the possible dog park. Jana Sax, Page Orloff, and Renee McCormick all volunteered to help.
- JR to do another post in Yokel ad about the status of dog park volunteers.
- 2023 house cleaning:
  - Need to get more totes for storage
  - JR and CG to set up time to return items to church and put away remaining Christmas decorations.
- JR mentioned that it would be great if we could do some simple community events during the winter that could be hosted in the gym to offer folks something to do during the winter and bring the town some good press. JR will follow up next meeting.
- CG asked if Sweet Tree Service got paid. JR to follow up with Chris to make sure it happened.
- Need to set up a time to do storage room cleanup.
- Next meeting scheduled for 2-9 5pm.
- 6PM Adjourn.

Respectfully submitted by,

Joseph P Roy

West Stockbridge Parks and Recreation Clerk

