

DISTRICT OF BARRIERE
MINUTES OF A RECREATION COMMITTEE MEETING

Held on Wednesday, June 26, 2024 at 9:30am in the Council Chambers at Municipal Hall
4936 Barriere Town Road, Barriere, B.C.

*“We acknowledge and respect the indigenous peoples of Simpcw First Nation
within whose lands we are meeting today.”*

Present: Councillor Louise Lodge - Chair
 Jen Crosman
 Glenda Feller
 Councillor Donna Kibble

Regrets: Councillor Colin McInnis

Staff: Jamie Mosdell, Recreation Coordinator

Chair Lodge called the meeting to order at 9:32am

1. ADOPTION OF AGENDA

Moved by Glenda Feller
Seconded by Jen Crosman
That the Committee approve the June 26, 2024 Recreation Committee Meeting Agenda.

CARRIED

2. ADOPTION OF MINUTES

Moved by Glenda Feller
Seconded by Councillor Kibble
That Council adopt the minutes of the June 12, 2024, Recreation Committee Meeting

CARRIED

3. BLOCK PARTY DEBRIEF

The Committee discussed all portions of the event and noted items to inquire about or change for future years:

- Food Trucks
 - Possible charge to attend or 10% sales paid back to the Recreation Committee.
 - Additional food truck in attendance and possible beverage only vendor

- Vendors
 - Staff is to confirm if the District is able to get a license to sell 50/50 tickets
- Music and Beer Gardens
 - Beer Gardens to be moved closer to the stage
 - Possible time change of event or less bands
 - Beer Gardens last call pushed back later at final band ending time or later
 - Fencing to be around the serving area as well – Quote for 100ft of fencing to be provided plus the rental of the tent
 - Scheduling the event with a possible Minor Ball Tournament
- Advertising
 - Volunteers needed for a working group at least 2 months prior
 - Promotional information to go out with tax handouts

Additional details were discussed that Staff has noted for 2025 Block Party Planning to ensure all topics are remembered for future planning years.

4. BUDGET UPDATE

Ms. Mosdell provided the current Recreation Operational Budget as well as the posted items to the Community Events line item. The Block Party Budget was reviewed with the revenue received and the Committee was happy with the amount that was spent and brought in.

The topic of a signboard was mentioned, and it was suggested a similar version to the one downtown could be installed on the highway near the new market to bring out of towners in for these larger events. Staff will inquire and report back at a future meeting.

5. CANADA DAY

The plans for Canada Day were confirmed and Committee members verified their jobs needed.

It was suggested that a new pop-up tent be purchased with the District logo. Staff will inquire about pricing. It was also noted that having a Parks staff member during these events will be beneficial to assist with heavy lifting and possible issues that may arise, like mechanical or plumbing issues.

6. PUBLIC INQUIRIES – *none submitted*

7. NEXT MEETING – July 10, 2024 @ 930am

8. ADJOURNMENT

Moved by Jen Crosman
That the meeting adjourn at 11:27am

CARRIED

Original signed by _____
Chair Louise Lodge

Original signed by _____
Jamie Mosdell, Rec Coordinator