



**PARKS, RECREATION, AND ARTS ADVISORY BOARD MEETING  
MEETING MINUTES  
January 17, 2023**

**CALL TO ORDER**

Chairman Amanda Darnell called the meeting to order at 6:00 pm at Rec-Plex North.

**ROLL CALL**

Members Present: Madaline Barteau, Amanda Darnell, Mike Delehaunty, Terry Lesinski, Andrew Maxey, Ray Meurer, Mike Ring, Tom Russo, John Shetterly

Members Absent: Louis Launer

Ex Officios: Mayor Pagano, Alderman Reimer, Alderman Bateman, Alderman Sartorius, Dan Emrick, Kelsie Grate

Guests: Richard Mueller

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

November 15, 2022 minutes were approved as presented.

**PRESENTATION**

Recreation Superintendent Kelsie Grate gave a presentation on the ice rink renovations and programming. Highlights included: stewardship for the new refrigeration system; an overhaul of the ice rink in February 2022 which includes new boards, painting the locker rooms and spectator seating; investment in new ice skates to rent; over 200 registrants in the Learn to Skate program; information on ice re-surfacer maintenance.

**NEW BUSINESS**

Citizen Advisory Committee for GRG Trail will meet on January 31 to discuss the trail extension from Pitman Hill Road to the Community College.  
1,500 participants attended the open house.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

Arbor Day Tree Giveaway, April 29, 2023.

## **FOCUS COMMITTEE REPORTS**

Arts Focus Committee: Father/Daughter Dance 1/28

Springs Dance 3/31, Discussion on programming (improve, other options available)

Golf Focus Committee: Possibly meeting in February

Historical Focus Committee: Compiling information on Founding Families in Olde Towne, next meeting 2/16, Indigenous people before founders research a possibility

Sustainability Focus Committee: Holidays were busy at Recycle City with cardboard, meetings to pick up in 2023

## **MISCELLANEOUS**

Richard Mueller discussed using a tree stump to make an art piece for the sensory trail.

Mayor Pagano discussed Propositions S and M which will be on the April Ballot.

Mary Kuppler is retiring in April.

## **NEXT MEETING**

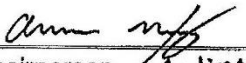
The next meeting will be held on March 21, 2023 at 6:00 p.m. at the St. Peters Cultural Arts Centre, 1 St. Peters Centre Blvd.

## **ADJOURNMENT**

The meeting was adjourned at 7:25 p.m.

Minutes respectfully submitted by:  
Andrew Maxey, Secretary  
Parks, Recreation & Arts Advisory Board

Approved:

  
Chairperson ~~Acting~~

<b>Volunteer Hours</b>		
<b>Name</b>	<b>Additional Hours</b>	<b>Total Hours</b>
Madaline Barteau	2	177
Amanda Darnell	8	465
Mike Delehaunty	6	354
Louis Launer	8	78
Terry Lesinski	2	6
Andrew Maxey	3	23
Ray Meurer	4	196
Mike Ring	2	24
Tom Russo	2	7
John Shetterly	2	95